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Title: Substitute motion authorizing Downtown Montessori Academy, Inc., to operate a Milwaukee Common Council charter school and approving the proposed charter school contract.

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0	COMMON COUNCIL	06/16/1998	ASSIGNED TO	STEERING & RULES COMMITTEE			
0	STEERING & RULES COMMITTEE	07/09/1998	HEARING NOTICES SENT				
1	CITY CLERK	07/13/1998	DRAFT SUBMITTED				
1	STEERING & RULES COMMITTEE	07/16/1998	RECOMMENDED FOR APPROVAL				Pass
Action Text: A motion was made by Ald. Gordon that this matter be RECOMMENDED FOR APPROVAL. The motion carried by the following vote:							
Mover:	Fredrick Gordon	Aye:5 - Kalwitz, Frank, Henningsen, Murphy, and Gordon	No:0	Excused:3 - Pratt, Scherbert, and Nardelli			5-0-3

1	COMMON COUNCIL	07/24/1998	HELD IN COUNCIL	Fail
	Action Text:	A motion was made by Ald. Scherbert that this matter be HELD IN COUNCIL. The motion failed by the following vote:		
Mover:	ALD. SCHERBERT	Aye:7 - D'Amato, Schramm, Richards, Butler, Scherbert, Breier, and Nardelli		7-10
		No:10 - Pratt, Kalwitz, Henningsen, Johnson-Odom, Gordon, Frank, Witkowiak, Pawlinski, Murphy, and Hines Jr.		
1	COMMON COUNCIL	07/24/1998	APPROVED	Pass
	Action Text:	A motion was made by Ald. Pratt that this matter be APPROVED. The motion carried by the following vote:		
Mover:	ALD. PRATT	Aye:11 - Pratt, Kalwitz, D'Amato, Henningsen, Johnson-Odom, Gordon, Frank, Witkowiak, Pawlinski, Murphy, and Hines Jr.		11-6
		No:6 - Schramm, Richards, Butler, Scherbert, Breier, and Nardelli		

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..XXBY:
THE CHAIR

..TITL:
Substitute motion authorizing Downtown Montessori Academy, Inc., to operate a Milwaukee Common Council charter school and approving the proposed charter school contract.

..ANLS:
- Analysis -

This motion authorizes Downtown Montessori Academy, Inc., to operate a Milwaukee Common Council charter school, as recommended by the charter school review committee. The motion also approves the proposed charter school contract attached to the file and authorizes and directs the appropriate city officials to execute the contract.

..BODY:
Whereas, The state charter school statute, s. 118.40, Wis. Stats., and the charter school ordinance, chapter 330, Milw. Code, authorize the Common Council to grant authority to operate a Milwaukee Common Council charter school to applicants who meet the requirements of the statute and ordinance; and

Whereas, Downtown Montessori Academy, Inc., has applied to operate a Milwaukee Common Council charter school as authorized under the Milwaukee charter school ordinance, chapter 330, Milw. Code, and the Wisconsin charter school statute, s. 118.40, Wis. Stats.; and

Whereas, The charter school review committee has made a written, positive finding for the applicant for all factors described under s. 330-15, Milw. Code, and has recommended that the Common Council grant the application to operate a Milwaukee Common Council charter school; and

Whereas, The City Attorney has negotiated a proposed 5-year charter school contract with the applicant and that proposed contract is attached to this file; now, therefore

It is moved, By the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee, that the Common Council approves the charter school review committee's recommendation and authorizes Downtown Montessori Academy, Inc., to operate a Milwaukee Common Council charter school beginning with the 1998-99 school year; and

It is further moved, That the Common Council approves the proposed charter school 5-year contract

submitted by the City Attorney and authorizes and directs the appropriate city officials to execute the contract substantially in the form attached to this file, with such revisions as may be required by the City Attorney.

..ZDPT:

..DFTR:

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