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Meeting Minutes JUDICIARY & LEGISLATION COMMITTEE

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Monday, November 18, 2002

9:00 AM

Room 301-B, City Hall

Present 5 - D'Amato, Richards, Johnson-Odom, Murphy, Gordon

9:00 A.M.; Meeting Convened: 9:17 A.M.

- 1) [021078](#) A substitute ordinance relating to the setting of a boundary line between the City of St. Francis and the City of Milwaukee in the 14th Aldermanic District (detaching territory from the City of Milwaukee).

A motion was made by Ald. Murphy that this matter be RECOMMENDED FOR PASSAGE. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye 5 - D'Amato, Richards, Johnson-Odom, Murphy and Gordon

No 0

- 2) [021075](#) Communication from Water Works relative to the Water Main Replacement Program.

---Received.

A motion was made by Ald. Johnson-Odom that this matter be RECOMMENDED FOR PLACING ON FILE. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye 5 - D'Amato, Richards, Johnson-Odom, Murphy and Gordon

No 0

- 3) [021032](#) Resolution authorizing payment of the judgment in the lawsuit entitled Oconomowoc Residential Programs, Inc., et al. v. City of Milwaukee, Case No. 97-C-251. (City Attorney)

A motion was made by Ald. Murphy that this matter be RECOMMENDED FOR ADOPTION. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye 3 - D'Amato, Richards and Murphy

No 2 - Johnson-Odom and Gordon

- 4) [020976](#) Substitute resolution authorizing the return of real estate located at 8019 West Marion Street, in the 5th Aldermanic District of the City of Milwaukee to its former owner upon payment of all city and county tax liens and any special improvement bonds, with all interest and penalty thereon and all costs as sustained by the City in foreclosing and managing said real estate. (Kenneth Palme)

---Return of property contingent upon payment of fine and orders taken care of.

A motion was made by Ald. Johnson-Odom that this matter be RECOMMENDED FOR ADOPTION. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye 5 - D'Amato, Richards, Johnson-Odom, Murphy and Gordon

No 0

- 5) [020975](#) Substitute resolution authorizing the return of real estate located at 4637 North 38th Street, in the 1st Aldermanic District of the City of Milwaukee to its former owner upon payment of all city and county tax liens and any special improvement bonds, with all interest and penalty thereon and all costs as sustained by the City in foreclosing and managing said real estate. (Home Ownership Foundation, Inc.)

A motion was made by Ald. Johnson-Odom that this matter be RECOMMENDED FOR ADOPTION. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye 5 - D'Amato, Richards, Johnson-Odom, Murphy and Gordon

No 0

- 6) [021067](#) Resolution approving and authorizing a stipulation between the City of Milwaukee and Vision Group International Inc., regarding personal property taxes, account numbers 9301-0090 and 9301-0091 for omitted 2000 and 2001, for the personal property located at 2018 South 1st Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin. (City Attorney)

A motion was made by Vice Chair Richards that this matter be HELD TO CALL OF THE CHAIR. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye 5 - D'Amato, Richards, Johnson-Odom, Murphy and Gordon

No 0

- 7) [021020](#) Resolution relative to the cancellation of cleanup charges placed on the 2002 Tax Roll.

A motion was made by Vice Chair Richards that this matter be RECOMMENDED FOR ADOPTION. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye 5 - D'Amato, Richards, Johnson-Odom, Murphy and Gordon

No 0

- 8) [021019](#) Resolution relative to the cancellation of snow removal charges placed on the 2001 Tax Roll.

A motion was made by Ald. Johnson-Odom that this matter be RECOMMENDED FOR ADOPTION. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye 5 - D'Amato, Richards, Johnson-Odom, Murphy and Gordon

No 0

9:20 A.M.

- 9) [021063](#) Resolution appropriating \$10,000 from the Outside Counsel/Expert Witness Fund Special Purpose Account for the purpose of retaining an expert to assist in evaluating the claim filed relative to the death of Mario Mallett. (City Attorney)

A motion was made by Ald. Gordon that this matter be RECOMMENDED FOR ADOPTION. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye 5 - D'Amato, Richards, Johnson-Odom, Murphy and Gordon

No 0

- 10) [021018](#) Substitute resolution to settle claims of Attorney Laurie A. Eggert, Eggert Law Office, Attorney D. Michael Guerin and Attorney Kenneth Murray for defense of various police officers.

A motion was made by Ald. Johnson-Odom that this matter be RECOMMENDED FOR ADOPTION. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye 5 - D'Amato, Richards, Johnson-Odom, Murphy and Gordon

No 0

- 11) [021017](#) Resolution canceling various City claims. (City Attorney)

A motion was made by Ald. Gordon that this matter be RECOMMENDED FOR ADOPTION. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye 5 - D'Amato, Richards, Johnson-Odom, Murphy and Gordon

No 0

- 12) [020993](#) Resolution to cancel real estate taxes levied against certain parcels bearing various key numbers on the 2000 & 2001 tax rolls, plus interest applicable to date of repayment, if appropriate. (Assessor's Office)

A motion was made by Ald. Murphy that this matter be RECOMMENDED FOR ADOPTION. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye 5 - D'Amato, Richards, Johnson-Odom, Murphy and Gordon

No 0

- 13) [020992](#) Resolution authorizing payment of the claim of Russell Sommer File No. 02-L-103-4. (City Attorney)

A motion was made by Ald. Gordon that this matter be RECOMMENDED FOR ADOPTION. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye 5 - D'Amato, Richards, Johnson-Odom, Murphy and Gordon

No 0

- 14) [020991](#) Resolution authorizing payment of the claim of Randy Paskzkiewicz File No. 02-L-103-3. (City Attorney)
- A motion was made by Ald. Gordon that this matter be RECOMMENDED FOR ADOPTION. The motion carried by the following vote:**
- Aye** 5 - D'Amato, Richards, Johnson-Odom, Murphy and Gordon
- No** 0
- 15) [020990](#) Resolution authorizing payment of the claim of Joseph L. Mazur File No. 02-L-103-2. (City Attorney)
- A motion was made by Ald. Gordon that this matter be RECOMMENDED FOR ADOPTION. The motion carried by the following vote:**
- Aye** 5 - D'Amato, Richards, Johnson-Odom, Murphy and Gordon
- No** 0
- 9:45 A.M.
- 16) [020989](#) Resolution authorizing payment of the claim of Brian Maletzke File No. 02-L-103-1. (City Attorney)
- A motion was made by Ald. Gordon that this matter be RECOMMENDED FOR ADOPTION. The motion carried by the following vote:**
- Aye** 5 - D'Amato, Richards, Johnson-Odom, Murphy and Gordon
- No** 0
- 17) [020988](#) Resolution authorizing payment of the claim of Andres Guerra, File No. 02-L-103. (City Attorney)
- A motion was made by Ald. Gordon that this matter be RECOMMENDED FOR ADOPTION. The motion carried by the following vote:**
- Aye** 5 - D'Amato, Richards, Johnson-Odom, Murphy and Gordon
- No** 0
- 18) [021050](#) Substitute resolution authorizing settlement of the lawsuit entitled Belinda Marshall v. Milwaukee Employees' Retirement System/Annuity and Pension Board, Case No. 01-CV-011043.
- A motion was made by Ald. Johnson-Odom that this matter be RECOMMENDED FOR ADOPTION. The motion carried by the following vote:**
- Aye** 5 - D'Amato, Richards, Johnson-Odom, Murphy and Gordon
- No** 0
- 19) [020980](#) Appeal of Ezzard White relative to a claim for property damage. (10th Aldermanic District)
- A motion was made by Vice Chair Richards that this matter be HELD TO CALL OF THE CHAIR. The motion carried by the following vote:**

Aye 5 - D'Amato, Richards, Johnson-Odom, Murphy and Gordon

No 0

- 20) [020983](#) Communication from the City Attorney's Office transmitting a communication from William Liska, Authorized Agent for Miguel Estrada relative to a claim for property damage.

A motion was made by Ald. Gordon that this matter be RECOMMEND TO DISALLOW & INDEF. POSTPONE. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye 4 - D'Amato, Johnson-Odom, Murphy and Gordon

No 0

Abstain 1 - Richards

- 21) [020984](#) Communication from the City Attorney's Office transmitting a communication from Carl and Sandra Rucker relative to a claim for property loss and for negligence inflection of emotional distress.

A motion was made by Ald. Murphy that this matter be RECOMMEND TO DISALLOW & INDEF. POSTPONE. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye 5 - D'Amato, Richards, Johnson-Odom, Murphy and Gordon

No 0

- 22) [020985](#) Communication from the City Attorney's Office transmitting a communication from Raymond and Theresa Markowski relative to a claim for personal injuries.
---Duplicate file.

A motion was made by Vice Chair Richards that this matter be RECOMMENDED FOR PLACING ON FILE. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye 5 - D'Amato, Richards, Johnson-Odom, Murphy and Gordon

No 0

- 23) [020981](#) Appeal of Jacqueline Thomas relative to a claim for personal injuries. (12th Aldermanic District)

A motion was made by Vice Chair Richards that this matter be RECOMMEND TO DISALLOW & INDEF. POSTPONE. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye 5 - D'Amato, Richards, Johnson-Odom, Murphy and Gordon

No 0

- 24) [020982](#) Communication from the City Attorney's Office transmitting a communication from Diane Renteria relative to a claim for property damage.

A motion was made by Ald. Murphy that this matter be HELD TO CALL OF THE CHAIR. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye 5 - D'Amato, Richards, Johnson-Odom, Murphy and Gordon

No 0

Meeting Adjourned: 11:10 A.M.

*Kathleen M. Marquardt
Staff Assistant*