

Reply to Common Council File No. 021030
From DOA-Budget and Management Division

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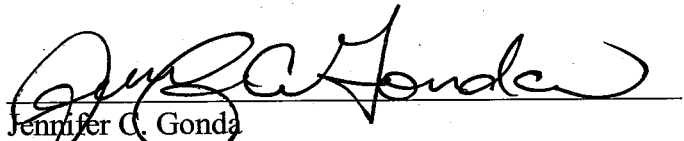
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Common Council File No. 021030 is a resolution authorizing the Milwaukee Public Library to apply, accept, and fund the TEACH Project Implementation Services Grant offered by the Milwaukee Public Schools. This is a continuing grant funded by a Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction program.

The TEACH Project funds 30 Computer Service Aides recruited from the MPS system to assist library patrons with computer troubleshooting during peak service hours. Providing customer assistance to patrons using computers serves to increase the technological literacy of Milwaukee residents, as well as providing valuable job training opportunity for MPS students.

The TEACH grant funding is for January 1, 2003 through December 31, 2003 and is in the amount of \$42,321. This project was initiated in the 2000 Budget.

**RECOMMENDATION: APPROVE COMMON COUNCIL FILE NO. 021030
AUTHORIZING THE MILWAUKEE PUBLIC LIBRARY TO APPLY, ACCEPT,
AND FUND THE TEACH PROJECT IMPLEMENTATION SERVICES GRANT.**


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