



City of Milwaukee  
Employees' Retirement System

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Milwaukee Common Council  
Finance and Personnel Committee  
200 E. Wells Street, Room 205  
Milwaukee WI 53202

Attn: Ald. Nik Kovac, Chair

Dear Committee Members,

The Annuity & Pension Board by action duly taken at its November 23, 2015 meeting requests Finance and Personnel Committee authorization for paid release from duty in excess of thirty-two hours pursuant to City Ordinance 350-219 for four employee elected trustees in order to attend 2016 scheduled Annuity & Pension Board meetings, Board Committee meetings, due diligence travel to visit investment managers and pension related conferences. The trustees and the dates of the currently scheduled ERS meetings, due diligence and conference travel are attached.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Bernard J. Allen".

**Bernard J. Allen**  
Secretary & Executive Director