



# City of Milwaukee

## Meeting Agenda

City Hall  
200 East Wells Street  
Milwaukee, WI 53202

### JUDICIARY & LEGISLATION COMMITTEE

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Thursday, July 6, 2006

9:00 AM

Room 301-B, City Hall

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#### AMENDED 6/29/06

The JUDICIARY AND LEGISLATION COMMITTEE may convene into closed session at 9:00 A.M. on Thursday, July 6, 2006 in Room 301-B, City Hall, 200 E. Wells St., Milwaukee, Wisconsin, pursuant to s. 19.85(1)(g), Wis. Stats., for the purpose of conferring with the City Attorney who is rendering advice concerning strategy to be adopted by the City with respect to Item #3...Resolution authorizing settlement of the claim of Robert Ragsdale and Item #4...Resolution authorizing settlement of the lawsuits entitled Arthur L. Jones v. City of Milwaukee, Appeal No. 05-1008 and Arthur L. Jones v. City of Milwaukee, Appeal No. 05-4510 and then will go into open session for the regular agenda.

1. [060308](#) Appointment of Donald Fraker to the Administrative Review Appeals Board by the Mayor.

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2. [060305](#) Appointment of Jennifer Gonda to the Community Relations-Social Development Commission by the Mayor.

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9:30 A.M.

3. [060234](#) Resolution authorizing settlement of the claim made by Robert Ragsdale.

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4. [060336](#) Resolution authorizing settlement of the lawsuits entitled Arthur L. Jones v. City of Milwaukee, Appeal No. 05-1008 and Arthur L. Jones v. City of Milwaukee, Appeal No. 05-4510.

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5. [060235](#) Resolution authorizing payment of the claim of Matthew Maudlin, C.I. File No. 04-L-136.  
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6. [060236](#) Resolution authorizing payment of the claim of Justin Tollefson, C.I. File No. 05-L-132.  
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7. [060013](#) Resolution relative to various legislative bills.  
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**This item, file #060343, will not be heard at this time; It will likely be heard at the Finance & Personnel Committee meeting of July 10, 2006.**

8. [060343](#) Resolution authorizing an agreement with Wisconsin Physicians Service Insurance Corporation for runout of subrogation recovery services.  
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9. [060230](#) Communication from the Ethics Board transmitting their 2005 Annual Report.  
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10. [060322](#) An ordinance relating to revision of various provisions of the code for purposes of correcting errors, clarifying language and eliminating obsolete provisions.  
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11. [051004](#) Communication from the City Attorney relative to expenditures from the Outside Counsel/Expert Witness Fund Special Purpose Account.  
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12. [060162](#) Resolution authorizing the City Attorney to request proposals for the collection contracts for the receivables of the City of Milwaukee and for Municipal Court judgments.  
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Items below will be heard no earlier than 9:45 A.M.

13. [060178](#) Resolution relating to an appeal from Martin Kaye for property damage. (5th Aldermanic District)  
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*---\$50.69 claim related to damage sustained to a private vehicle while parked in a city-owned lot. The city had barricaded the area to prevent vehicles parking there, but an unknown person moved the barricades. The city took appropriate action and is not liable.*

14. [060237](#) Resolution relating to an appeal from Atty. Jake Josetti on behalf of Susan Rettler for property damage. (3rd Aldermanic District)  
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*---\$14,056.72 claim related to the towing of a private vehicle. The vehicle owner did not accept the settlement amount of \$428.18*
15. [060289](#) Resolution relating to a claim from Mattie Roberts for property damage. (2nd Aldermanic District)  
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*---\$9,224 claim related to backwater in a basement. The sewer was on a regular cleaning schedule and the city had no prior notice of any problem with the sewer.*
16. [060288](#) Resolution relating to a claim from Eisenberg, Weigel, Carlson, Blau & Clemens, S.C. on behalf of Elizabeth Crespo-Rivers for personal injuries. (12th Aldermanic District)  
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*---\$28,546.38 claim related to a trip and fall on a public sidewalk. The city had no prior notice of a hazard and cannot be held liable.*
17. [060280](#) Resolution relating to the claim of Coca-Cola Bottling of Wisconsin in the amount of \$2,600 for loss of business.  
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*---\$2,600 payment of a claim previously granted by the committee.*
18. [060233](#) Resolution authorizing settlement of the lawsuit entitled Metropolitan Property & Casualty Insurance Company v. City of Milwaukee, Case No. 05-C-005461.  
*Sponsors:* THE CHAIR
19. [041758](#) Resolution establishing a sister city relationship between the City of Milwaukee and Ningbo, China.  
*Sponsors:* Ald. Murphy  
*---May be placed on file as no longer needed*

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