



City of Milwaukee

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Meeting Agenda

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Monday, April 14, 2025

9:00 AM

City Hall, Room 301-B

1. [241902](#) Appointment of Rafael Garcia to the Board of Review by the Mayor. (15th Aldermanic District)
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2. [241905](#) Appointment of Martin Matson to the Board of Review by the Mayor. (10th Aldermanic District)
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3. [241913](#) Appointment of Ken Little to the Board of Review by the Mayor. (2nd Aldermanic District)
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4. [240295](#) Resolution relating to the claim of Quinton Peterson.
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5. [241886](#) Resolution relating to the appeal of Frank Pero for property damage.
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6. [241718](#) Resolution relating to the appeal of Abdisalam Osman for property damage.
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7. [241538](#) Resolution relating to the claim of Jose Garcia.
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8. [241788](#) Resolution relating to the claim of Travelers Personal Insurance Company on behalf of Meakalotta Edwards.
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9. [241829](#) Resolution relating to the appeal of Eric LaRue for property damage.
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10. [241102](#) Resolution relating to the appeal of Brenda Bell-White for property damage.
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11. [240735](#) Resolution relating to the appeal of G'Juan Korth for property damage.
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12. [241947](#) Communication from the Office of the City Attorney relating to changes in the process for the sale of properties taken in tax foreclosure.
Sponsors: Ald. Coggs
13. [241813](#) Substitute resolution amending the City of Milwaukee's State Legislative Package to express support for passage of 2025 AB125/SB135, legislation creating a special observance day in honor of Vel R. Phillips.
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14. [241847](#) Resolution amending the City of Milwaukee's legislative package to seek introduction and passage of state legislation to make Wisconsin a "hands-free cell phone state."
Sponsors: Ald. Burgelis, Ald. Perez, Ald. Moore, Ald. Westmoreland and Ald. Bauman
15. [241692](#) Communication from the Intergovernmental Relations Division and Legislative Affairs Division relating to Legislative updates.
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16. [241952](#) Resolution relating to legislative bills.
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--- LRB-0951
Exempting tobacco bars from the public smoking ban.

---- AB-143/SB-141
Allowing an unlicensed person to use a motor vehicle and providing a penalty.

---- LRB-0060
The rights of sexual assault crime victims.

---- LRB-2448
Prohibiting hedge funds from acquiring single-family homes in this state.

---- LRB-1435
Requiring periodic inspections of parking structures.
17. [241642](#) Substitute resolution approving the settlement of the lawsuit entitled Matthew Drought v. City of Milwaukee et al., EDW Case No. 23-CV-1738
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18. [241822](#) Resolution authorizing payment of the claim of Jeffrey Smith, in the amount of \$15,000.
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19. [241908](#) Substitute resolution approving the settlement of the lawsuit entitled Torrey D. Hardy v. Alondra Santiago, Oscar Espita, Nicholas Romeo, Jordan Bryant, City of Milwaukee, et al. EDW Case No. 24-CV-1107
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Following Files are Being Place on file as they are no longer needed:

20. [141801](#) Communication from the Equal Rights Commission relating to its 2014 activities and priorities.
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21. [151354](#) Resolution relative to legislative bills.
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22. [160231](#) Communication relating to the processing of manufacturing appeals and the payments of refunds by the City.
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23. [161539](#) Resolution relative to legislative bills.
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24. [170937](#) Communication from the Fire and Police Commission relating to updates and current activities.
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25. [181597](#) Communication from the Department of Public Works relating to snow removal at city owned properties, crosswalks, and bus stops.
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