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The Honorable, Mayor Cavalier Johnson Members of the Milwaukee Common Council

As the city heads into the 2023 budget, I would ask that you consider the needs of the Community Collaborative Commission. This body was created by the Common Council on April 14, 2020, and the 13-member body is composed of volunteer citizen members representing various constituencies. This body is requesting \$60,000 in the 2023 budget to continue its important work.

The money will be spent as follows:

\$30,000 to pay Carlton Mayers, a consultant, to facilitate 12 public meetings, in collaboration with MPD in 12 aldermanic districts (3 were already held in 2022) to use as a base for creation of the Community Oriented Policing Engagement Plan.

\$10,000 to pay for four quarterly, in-person public listening sessions to be held in 2023. This money will be used for location rental and food/refreshments for attendees.

\$20,000 to be used by the Community Research and Survey Committee of the Commission to continue its work on hiring a consultant to survey 7,000 city residents on their perception of the police.

Thank you very much for your support!

Respectfully,

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Nate Hamilton, Chair Community Collaborative Commission