



# City of Milwaukee

200 E. Wells Street  
Milwaukee, Wisconsin  
53202

## Meeting Minutes - Draft

### BOARD OF CITY SERVICE COMMISSIONERS

*Frank Bock, President*  
*Marilyn Miller, Vice President*

*Commissioners Janet Cleary, Kobena-Marcus Collins and Steve Smith*

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Tuesday, April 23, 2024

1:30 PM

VIRTUAL

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414-251-0392  
United States, Milwaukee  
Phone conference ID: 312 464 208

**Present** 5 - Bock, Miller, Smith, Cleary and Collins

1. CALL TO ORDER

*Meeting commenced at 1:34 P.M.*

2. ROLL CALL

*All Commissioners were present.*

3. [231998](#)

Communication for the approval of the April 17, 2024 meeting minutes.

**A motion was made by Kobena-Marcus Collins, seconded by Janet Cleary, that this Communication be APPROVED. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**

**Aye** 4 - Bock, Miller, Cleary, and Collins  
**No** 0  
**Abstain** 1 - Smith

GENERAL HEARING

4. [232000](#) Communication from the Department of Public Works, Administration, to extend the temporary appointment of Tammy Deau, Business Operations Manager, from April 28, 2024 through July 27, 2024. This is the first extension request.

**A motion was made by Janet Cleary, seconded by Kobena-Marcus Collins, that this Communication be APPROVED. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**

**Aye** 5 - Bock, Miller, Smith, Cleary, and Collins  
**No** 0

5. [232001](#) Communication from the Department of Public Works, Operations Division-Forestry Services, to extend the temporary appointment for 6-months for Mickey Critton, Urban Forestry Crew Leader, from April 28, 2024 through October 26, 2024. This is the first extension request.

**A motion was made by Janet Cleary, seconded by Kobena-Marcus Collins, that this Communication be APPROVED. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**

**Aye** 5 - Bock, Miller, Smith, Cleary, and Collins  
**No** 0

6. [232003](#) Communication from the Department of Public Works, Operations Division-Fleet Services, to extend the temporary appointment for Brian Field, Fleet Operations and Training Manager, from April 28, 2024 through October 26, 2024. This is the first extension request.

**A motion was made by Kobena-Marcus Collins, seconded by Steve Smith, that this Communication be APPROVED. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**

**Aye** 5 - Bock, Miller, Smith, Cleary, and Collins  
**No** 0

7. [232004](#) Communication from the Department of Public Works, Operations Division-Sanitation Services, to extend the temporary appointment for Vernon Gomilla, Sanitation Supervisor, from April 12, 2024 through October 12, 2024. This is the second extension request.

**A motion was made by Marilyn Miller, seconded by Kobena-Marcus Collins,**

that this Communication be APPROVED. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:

**Aye** 5 - Bock, Miller, Smith, Cleary, and Collins

**No** 0

8. [232005](#)

Communication from the Department of Public Works, Operations Division-Sanitation Services, to extend the probationary period for Cleotha Hood, City Laborer, for 6-months, from May 7, 2024 through November, 2024. This is the first extension request.

**A motion was made by Janet Cleary, seconded by Kobena-Marcus Collins, that this Communication be APPROVED. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**

**Aye** 5 - Bock, Miller, Smith, Cleary, and Collins

**No** 0

9. [232006](#)

Communication from the Milwaukee Health Department to extend the probationary period for 8-months retroactive from April 17, 2024 through December 31, 2024. This is the first extension request.

**A motion was made by Steve Smith, seconded by Janet Cleary, that this Communication be APPROVED. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**

**Aye** 5 - Bock, Miller, Smith, Cleary, and Collins

**No** 0

10. [232007](#)

Communication from the Department of Public Works, Administration, in support of the reinstatement request from Troy Tranberg to return to his former position of Equipment Mechanic III, which is currently titled Equipment and Tool Mechanic III.

**A motion was made by Kobena-Marcus Collins, seconded by Janet Cleary, that this Communication be APPROVED. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**

**Aye** 5 - Bock, Miller, Smith, Cleary, and Collins

**No** 0

#### PUBLIC HEARING

11. [232008](#)

Communication from the Department of Public Works, Administration, to amend the City Service Commission Rule III, Section 4, "Applications", removing the residency requirement for all DPW job titles designated as emergency positions for the City of Milwaukee.

**A motion was made by Steve Smith, seconded by Janet Cleary, that this Communication be APPROVED. In addition, DER will contact the Information Technology Management Division in the Department of Administration to**

**determined if they will remove the residency requirement also. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**

**Aye** 5 - Bock, Miller, Smith, Cleary, and Collins

**No** 0

#### ADJOURNMENT

*Kobena-Marcus Collins motioned to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Janet Cleary. All in favor. None opposed. The motion carried.*

*The meeting adjourned at 2:09 p.m.*

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