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January 14, 2016

Mr. Grant Langley, City Attorney Office of the City Attorney Room 800, City Hall City of Milwaukee

Dear Mr. Langley:

The City of Milwaukee has reached agreement on new terms and conditions of employment for employees represented by the Milwaukee Police Association, for the period 2013-2017. The Agreement contains provisions that involve the following changes to the retirement benefits of employees:

- 1. Effective Pay Period 1 (December 20, 2015) employees newly eligible for service credit as a "policeman" in ERS will be eligible for normal service retirement benefits no earlier than age 50 with twenty-five years of service as a policeman.
- 2. Effective Pay Period 14 (June 19, 2016), employees who file for a Duty Disability Retirement Allowance shall have the application referred to the Medical Council, inlieu of the Medical Panel, whether the injury is physical or a mental injury.

Please assign an Assistant City Attorney to draft the language of an ordinance implementing the new provisions. A Common Council file (CC#151274) has been opened for this matter.

If you have any questions please contact Nicole Fleck at 286-3371.

Sincerely,

Deborah A. Ford Labor Negotiator

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