

Kuether-Steele, Molly

From: Owczarski, Jim
Sent: Friday, May 04, 2018 1:26 PM
To: Kuether-Steele, Molly
Subject: FW: Mke Turners endorsement of Vel Philips naming

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Thanks,

Jim

Jim Owczarski, CMC
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From: Trotter, Jensen
Sent: Friday, May 04, 2018 1:11 PM
To: Council Members _Aides
Subject: RE: Mke Turners endorsement of Vel Philips naming

Good Morning,

Please find below a statement of endorsement by the Milwaukee Turners for the renaming of 4th Street to Vel R. Phillips Avenue.

Thank you,
Jensen

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Subject: Mke Turners endorsement of Vel Phillips naming

Dear Jensen,

Thank you so much for being willing to give this to our alderman, Bob Bauman, and also to distribute our endorsement to the other alderpeople before today's vote.

Regards

Julilly Kohler, VP

Milwaukee Turners

1034 N. Vel R. Phillips Ave.

Milwaukee, WI

Milwaukee Turner Endorsement of 4th Street Name Change to
Vel R. Phillips Ave

- The Milwaukee Turners enthusiastically support the plan to rename Milwaukee's 4th Street as Vel R. Phillips Avenue. The Milwaukee Turners own and operate what is probably the oldest non-residential property on 4th Street, the National Landmark Milwaukee Turner Hall. The Milwaukee Turners were founded in 1853 by immigrants and refugees from Germany who became strong abolitionists and allies of Frederick Douglass. Turner Hall includes a [1911](#) memorial to over 20 of its members who gave their lives in the fight to end chattel slavery and to save the Union.
- "We would be honored to have Vel Phillips's name included in the address for our historic building," stated Milwaukee Turner President Arthur Heitzer

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