

City of Milwaukee

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Meeting Minutes

WATER QUALITY TASK FORCE

ALD. JAMES BOHL, JR., CHAIR,
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Friday, February 10, 2017

9:00 AM

Room 301-B, City Hall

1. Call to Order

The meeting convened at 9:03 AM

2. Roll Call

Ald. Perez joined the meeting at 9:05 AM

Present 6 - Bohl, Johnson, Perez, Lewis, Korban and McManus

Absent 1 - Baker

Excused 1 - Gramling

3. Workforce Development for Lead Service Line Replacement

Ghassan Korban discussed the workforce development planning for lead service line replacement.

4. Discussion of the Scope for a Potential Audit of WaterWorks Operations

Tea Norfolk - Legislative Reference Bureau

5. Discussion Related to the Date Milwaukee Started Using Copper for Water Service Lines

Tea Norfolk - Legislative Reference Bureau

6. Update on Various City/State Bills Related to Lead and Water

Brenda Wood - Intergovernmental Relations

7. Public Comment

Shean Winston asked about the OSHA standards for the workers removing the lead

service lines, also about the notification to people buying city owned foreclosed homes.

Robert Groff asked when the City will replace lead lateral service line.

Robert Miranda of Freshwater for Life Action Coatlition stated the lead pipes should be included in the audit. He added that his organization is still takes issue with the ownership of private-side lead service lines.

Octvia Parker Dominican Center stated residents are concerns with obtaining water filters.

Sarah DeRoo stated the Health Department has purchased more filters and they will be arriving soon.

8. Adjournment

Mr. Korban moved, seconded by Ms. Lewis for adjournment. The meeting adjourned at 10:17 AM.

Molly Kuether-Steele Staff Assistant

Items related to this meeting can be found in the following files:

<u>160676</u> Communication related to the activities of the Water Quality Task

Force.

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<u>160957</u> Communication from various agencies related to the activities of the

Water Quality Task Force.

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