



City of Milwaukee

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Meeting Minutes

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Monday, June 8, 2020

1:30 PM

Room 301-B, City Hall

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Meeting convened at 1:45 pm

(Ald. Murphy arrived at 2:04pm)

Present 5 - Hamilton, Dodd, Spiker, Bauman, Murphy

1. [191949](#) Communication from the Milwaukee Election Commission and the United States Postal Service relating to the 2020 Spring General Election.

Appearing:

Ald. Coggs - Sponsor

Neil Albretch - Election Commission Director

Claire Woodall-Vogg - NEWLY appointed, Election Commission Director

A motion was made by ALD. BAUMAN that this Communication be HELD TO CALL OF THE CHAIR. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:

Aye 5 - Hamilton, Dodd, Spiker, Bauman and Murphy

No 0

2. [200213](#) Resolution relating to the creation of a SafeVote Program.

Individuals present:

Ald. Marina Dimitrijevic

Ald. Dodd, Ald. Bauman, Ald. Hamilton and Kovac added as co-sponsors during the committee meeting.

Pastor Greg Lewis

A motion was made by ALD. DODD that this Resolution be RECOMMENDED FOR ADOPTION. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:

Aye 5 - Hamilton, Dodd, Spiker, Bauman and Murphy

No 0

3. [200197](#) Substitute resolution directing the Department of Administration - Intergovernmental Relations Division to seek introduction and passage of State legislation ensuring greater accountability and transparency for police officers involved in homicides whether on- or off- duty.

Individual present:

Ald. Milele Coggs

Ald. Perez and Ald. Kovac added as co-sponsor and item #2.

Brenda Wood - City Clerk's Office

A motion was made by ALD. DODD that this Resolution be RECOMMENDED FOR ADOPTION. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:

Aye 4 - Hamilton, Dodd, Bauman and Murphy

No 0

Abstain 1 - Spiker

4. [200171](#) Appointment of Ald. Scott Spiker to the Administrative Review Appeals Board by the Common Council President.

A motion was made by ALD. DODD that this Appointment be RECOMMENDED FOR CONFIRMATION. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:

Aye 4 - Hamilton, Dodd, Bauman and Murphy

No 0

Abstain 1 - Spiker

5. [200194](#) Appointment of Claire Woodall-Vogg as the Executive Director of the Election Commission by the Mayor.

A motion was made by ALD. SPIKER that this Appointment be RECOMMENDED FOR CONFIRMATION. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:

Aye 5 - Hamilton, Dodd, Spiker, Bauman and Murphy

No 0

6. [191427](#) Resolution relating to the appeal of Lynette Washington for property damage. (5th Aldermanic District)

Hold to the call of the chair, by Ald. Bauman, as Ms. Washington not present.

Reconsider, by Ald. Bauman, as Ms. Washington now present.

A motion was made by ALD. BAUMAN that this Resolution be RECOMMENDED FOR DISALLOWANCE & INDEF. POSTPONEMENT. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:

Aye 5 - Hamilton, Dodd, Spiker, Bauman and Murphy

No 0

7. [191351](#) Resolution relating to the claim of Martha Watts
- Held so can get photographs and agreement on the location of the accident. The City Attorney's Office file also does not have photos.
She will re-send the photos and the location address.*
- A motion was made by ALD. BAUMAN that this Resolution be HELD TO CALL OF THE CHAIR. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**
- Aye** 5 - Hamilton, Dodd, Spiker, Bauman and Murphy
- No** 0
8. [191350](#) Resolution relating to the claim of Attorney Todd R. Korb on behalf of Samantha Vanlerberghe
- A motion was made by ALD. BAUMAN that this Resolution be RECOMMENDED FOR DISALLOWANCE & INDEF. POSTPONEMENT. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**
- Aye** 5 - Hamilton, Dodd, Spiker, Bauman and Murphy
- No** 0
9. [191607](#) Resolution relating to the claim of Kate E. Kelley
- Claimant not present.*
- A motion was made by ALD. BAUMAN that this Resolution be RECOMMENDED FOR DISALLOWANCE & INDEF. POSTPONEMENT. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**
- Aye** 5 - Hamilton, Dodd, Spiker, Bauman and Murphy
- No** 0
10. [191836](#) Resolution relating to the claim of Attorney George E. Chaparas of Carlson, Blau & Clemens, S.C. on behalf of Edward Mendoza.
- Claimant not present.*
- A motion was made by ALD. BAUMAN that this Resolution be RECOMMENDED FOR DISALLOWANCE & INDEF. POSTPONEMENT. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**
- Aye** 5 - Hamilton, Dodd, Spiker, Bauman and Murphy
- No** 0
11. [191865](#) Resolution relating to the claim of Attorney Robert Levine on behalf of Susan Vorlob.
- Claimant not present.*
- A motion was made by ALD. BAUMAN that this Resolution be RECOMMENDED**

FOR DISALLOWANCE & INDEF. POSTPONEMENT. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:

Aye 5 - Hamilton, Dodd, Spiker, Bauman and Murphy

No 0

12. [191848](#)

Substitute resolution authorizing the return of real estate located at 5043 N. 54th Street, in the 1st Aldermanic District, to its former owner Above Horizons LLC Milwaukee Freight LLC c/o Shannon Chachere-Buie.

Non-appearance.

A motion was made by ALD. BAUMAN that this Resolution be RECOMMENDED FOR PLACING ON FILE. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:

Aye 5 - Hamilton, Dodd, Spiker, Bauman and Murphy

No 0

13. [191844](#)

Substitute resolution authorizing the return of real estate located at 1113 S. 37th Street, in the 8th Aldermanic District, to its former owner Jonathan W Kowalski.

A motion was made by ALD. BAUMAN that this Resolution be RECOMMENDED FOR PLACING ON FILE. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:

Aye 5 - Hamilton, Dodd, Spiker, Bauman and Murphy

No 0

14. [191845](#)

Substitute resolution authorizing the return of real estate located at 2577 S. 62nd Street, in the 11th Aldermanic District, to its former owner Ronald M. & Linda Phillips.

Not present.

A motion was made by ALD. BAUMAN that this Resolution be RECOMMENDED FOR PLACING ON FILE. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:

Aye 5 - Hamilton, Dodd, Spiker, Bauman and Murphy

No 0

15. [191622](#)

Substitute resolution authorizing the return of real estate located at 2513 N. 9th Street, in the 15th Aldermanic District, to its former owner Nathaniel Smith.

Schedule for June 29th. He is present; thought it would be scheduled for June 29th.

A motion was made by ALD. SPIKER that this Resolution be HELD TO CALL OF THE CHAIR. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:

Aye 5 - Hamilton, Dodd, Spiker, Bauman and Murphy

No 0

16. [200101](#) Resolution authorizing settlement of claims in the lawsuits entitled CP-South Howell LLC et al. v. City of Milwaukee.
Mary Schanning and Alison Flanagan - City Attorney's Office
- A motion was made by ALD. DODD that this Resolution be RECOMMENDED FOR ADOPTION. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**
- Aye** 5 - Hamilton, Dodd, Spiker, Bauman and Murphy
- No** 0
17. [200201](#) Resolution authorizing settlement of claims in the lawsuit entitled Ryan Wisch v. City of Milwaukee.
Ald. Bauman moved that the committee convene into closed session. There were no objections.
Ald. Bauman moved to go back into open session. There were no objections.
- A motion was made by ALD. BAUMAN that this Resolution be RECOMMENDED FOR ADOPTION. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**
- Aye** 5 - Hamilton, Dodd, Spiker, Bauman and Murphy
- No** 0
18. [200142](#) Resolution cancelling real estate taxes levied against certain parcels bearing tax key numbers on the 2018 and 2019 tax rolls, plus interest applicable to date of repayment, if appropriate.
6:39 P.M.
- A motion was made by ALD. DODD that this Resolution be RECOMMENDED FOR ADOPTION. This motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**
- Aye** 5 - Hamilton, Dodd, Spiker, Bauman and Murphy
- No** 0

Meeting adjourned: 6:39 P.M.

Linda M. Elmer

Staff Assistant

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