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Resolution relating to locations for in-person absentee voting in the City of Milwaukee.

This resolution directs the Election Commission to provide alternative in-person absentee voting at any of the following locations in the City for the Fall 2024 Elections:

- 1. Zeidler Municipal Building, 841 N Broadway
- 2. Capitol Drive Voting Center, 6001 W Capitol Dr
- 3. Zablocki Library, 3501 W Oklahoma Ave
- 4. American Serb Hall, 5101 W Oklahoma Ave
- 5. Washington Park Library, 2121 N Sherman Blvd
- 6. Tippecanoe Library, 3912 S Howell Ave
- 7. Good Hope Library, 7715 W Good Hope Rd
- 8. Clinton Rose Senior Center, 3045 N Martin Luther King Jr. Dr.
- 9. Mitchell Street Library, 906 W Historic Mitchell St
- 10. Milwaukee Area Technical College, 700 W State St
- 11. University of Wisconsin Milwaukee, 2200 E Kenwood Blvd

Whereas, Voting is both a right and a vital core of a healthy democracy; and

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Whereas, Section 6.855, Wis. Stats., allows the Common Council to designate alternate locations for in-person absentee voting; and

Whereas, Voting by mail is not the best option for every voter; and

Whereas, In the Fall of 2016, 52,373 voters cast ballots at in-person absentee voting locations and in Fall of 2020, 61,323 voters cast ballots; and

Whereas, Offering in-person absentee voting at more sites offers greater opportunities to voters throughout the City and may further racial equity and access to in-person voting opportunities; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee, that the Election Commission provide additional absentee voting at any of the following locations for the Fall 2024 Elections:

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