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Resolution directing the Administration Director to develop and present a plan to the Common Council for a City budget public education and participation initiative.

This resolution directs the Administration Director to develop and present a plan to the Common Council for a City budget public education and participation initiative. The Administration Director shall present this plan to the Common Council within 4 months of adoption of this resolution.

Whereas, The 2020 Budget was adopted by Common Council File Number 190001 on November 26, 2019; and

Whereas, Amendment 42L placed a footnote in the Budget stating, "The Administration Director shall develop and present to the Common Council a City budget public education and participation initiative"; and

Whereas, City budgets establish the priorities of municipal government by determining where to allocate funds; and

Whereas, Residents of Milwaukee should be educated on the budgeting process and have the opportunity to influence the allocation of funds; and

Whereas, Participatory budgeting allows citizens to identify, discuss and prioritize public spending; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of Milwaukee, that the Administration Director shall develop and present a plan to the Common Council for a City budget public education and participation initiative; and, be it

Further Resolved, That the Administration Director shall present this plan to the Common Council within 4 months of adoption of this resolution.

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