



# Milwaukee County

County Courthouse  
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Milwaukee, WI 53233

## Meeting Minutes Intergovernmental Relations Committee

*Chairperson: Supervisor Sequanna Taylor*  
*Vice Chairperson: Supervisor Steven Shea*  
*Supervisor Willie Johnson, Jr.*  
*Supervisor Deanna Alexander*  
*Supervisor Sylvia Ortiz-Velez*  
*Committee Coordinator: Kelsey Evans, 414-278-4013*  
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Thursday, October 18, 2018

3:30 PM

Room 201B

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**PLEASE NOTE: All items advancing to the County Board from this committee will be considered at the Thursday, November 1, 2018, meeting.**

### Call To Order

**Roll Call at 3:41 p.m.**

**Present** 4 - Shea, Alexander, Ortiz-Velez and Taylor  
**Excused** 1 - Johnson Jr.

### RESOLUTIONS - 3

- 1      [18-718](#)      A resolution in support of the Milwaukee County District Attorney, State of Wisconsin, and the United States Federal government to reform statutes and practices relating to the expungement of criminal and civil conviction and criminal and civil non-conviction records.

**Sponsors:**      Taylor

**Attachments:**      [18-718 RESOLUTION](#)  
                                  [18-718 FISCAL NOTE](#)  
                                  [18-718 POWERPOINT PRESENTATION](#)  
                                  [18-718 IGR AMENDMENT I](#)  
                                  [18-718 COUNT BOARD RESOLUTION](#)

**APPEARANCES:**

**Nicole Brookshire, Director, Office of African American Affairs**  
**Kelsey A. Evans, Committee Coordinator, Office of the County Clerk**

Joe Peterangelo, Senior Researcher, Wisconsin Policy Forum, appeared spoke for information only regarding this item.

Mr. Peterangelo provided an electronic presentation, which is attached to this file.

Paul Mozina registered in favor of this item, but did not speak.

Supervisor Taylor introduced Intergovernmental Relations (IGR) Amendment I, which is attached to this file.

**A motion was made by Supervisor Taylor that this Resolution be AMENDED with IGR Amendment I. The motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**

**Aye:** 4 - Shea, Alexander, Ortiz-Velez and Taylor

**Excused:** 1 - Johnson Jr.

**A motion was made by Supervisor Taylor that this Resolution be RECOMMENDED FOR ADOPTION AS AMENDED. The motion PREVAILED by the following vote:**

**Aye:** 4 - Shea, Alexander, Ortiz-Velez and Taylor

**Excused:** 1 - Johnson Jr.

- 2      [18-736](#)      A resolution urging the United States (U.S.) Congress to reduce its fiscal outlays to the U.S. Department of Defense and reallocate those funds to domestic concerns with the goal of a more peaceful international system and enhanced domestic human fulfillment.

**Sponsors:**      Shea

**Attachments:**      [18-736 RESOLUTION](#)  
                                  [18-736 FISCAL NOTE](#)  
                                  [18-736 COUNTY BOARD RESOLUTION](#)

The following people appeared and spoke in favor of this item:

Don Timmerman, Casa Maria  
George Martin, Peace Action Wisconsin  
Julie Enslow, Peace Action Wisconsin  
Babette Grunow, WI Bailout People.org / End the Wars  
Jim Carpenter, United Nations Association of Greater Milwaukee  
Mark Foreman, Veterans for Peace  
Jill Ferguson, Peace Action Wisconsin  
Pamela Richard, Peace Action Wisconsin

The following people registered in favor of this item, but did not speak:

Thomas Sefry  
Tom Rodman, End the Wars Coalition  
Paul Mozina  
Sue Cottrell, Peace Action Wisconsin  
Patrice O'Neill, Peace Action Wisconsin  
James Balk, OWR - Grassroots South Shore  
Thomas R. Niebler, Peace Action Wisconsin  
Ken Greening, Voces de la Frontera  
Pamela Carlson, Peace Action Wisconsin  
Jenny A. Hills, Peace Action Wisconsin

Mr. Martin, Ms. Grunow, Mr. Carpenter, and Ms. Richard provided materials to Committee members, which are on file with the Committee Coordinator.

A motion was made by Supervisor Shea that this Resolution be **RECOMMENDED FOR ADOPTION**. The motion **PREVAILED** by the following vote:

**Aye:** 3 - Shea, Ortiz-Velez and Taylor

**No:** 1 - Alexander

**Excused:** 1 - Johnson Jr.

3      [18-760](#)      A resolution encouraging the retroactive decriminalization of marijuana in the State of Wisconsin.

**Sponsors:**      Moore Omokunde, Alexander, Taylor , Ortiz-Velez and Shea

**Attachments:**      [18-760 RESOLUTION](#)  
                                 [18-760 FISCAL NOTE](#)  
                                 [18-760 COUNTY BOARD RESOLUTION](#)

**APPEARANCE:**  
Supervisor Supreme Moore Omokunde, District 10

Supervisors Alexander, Taylor, Ortiz-Velez, and Shea requested unanimous consent to be added as cosponsors of this resolution. There being no objection by Committee members, it was so ordered by the Chairwoman.

George Martin, appeared and spoke in favor of this item.

The following people registered in favor of this item, but did not speak:  
Paul Mozina  
Julie Enslow

A motion was made by Supervisor Shea that this Resolution be RECOMMENDED FOR ADOPTION. The motion PREVAILED by the following vote:

**Aye:** 4 - Shea, Alexander, Ortiz-Velez and Taylor

**Excused:** 1 - Johnson Jr.

**Length of Meeting: 3:41 p.m. to 5:04 p.m.**

**Adjourned,**

**Kelsey A. Evans  
Committee Coordinator  
Committee on Intergovernmental Relations**

Deadline for the next meeting:  
The Committee on Intergovernmental Relations meets at the call of the Committee Chairperson.

All original documents and agenda setting copies must be delivered to the Legislative Services Division Manager in Room 105 of the County Courthouse no later than Friday, November 16, 2018, at 4:00 p.m., for a possible Thursday, November 29, 2018, meeting.