

Milwaukee County

COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

County Courthouse

901 N. 9th Street, Rm. 201

Milwaukee, WI 53233



Journal of Proceedings - Final

Monday, October 28, 2024

6:30 PM

ANNUAL HYBRID PUBLIC HEARING

Zoofari Center

9715 W. Bluemound Road | Milwaukee, WI 53213

& Microsoft Teams

Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors

*1st, Anne O'Connor - 2nd, Willie Johnson, Jr.
3rd, Sheldon A. Wasserman - 4th, Jack Eckblad
5th, Sequanna Taylor - 6th, Shawn Rolland
7th, Felesia A. Martin - 8th, Steven Shea
9th, Patti Logsdon - 10th, Marcelia Nicholson
11th, Kathleen Vincent - 12th, Juan Miguel Martinez
13th, Priscilla E. Coggs-Jones - 14th, Caroline Gómez-Tom
15th, Sky Z. Capriolo - 16th, Justin Bielinski
17th, Steve F. Taylor - 18th, Deanna Alexander*

County Clerk George L. Christenson

CALL TO ORDER

ROLL CALL at 6:32 p.m.

Present 18 - Alexander, Bielinski, Capriolo, Coggs-Jones, Eckblad, Gómez-Tom, Johnson Jr., Logsdon, Martin, Martinez, O'Connor, Rolland, Shea, Taylor (5), Taylor (17), Vincent, Wasserman and Nicholson

Supervisor Felesia A. Martin appeared during the call of the roll.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Chairwoman Marcelia Nicholson led the Pledge of Allegiance.

OPENING REMARKS

Chairwoman Marcelia Nicholson provided Opening Remarks.

Deputy County Clerk Stefan Dostanic provided instructions for in-person and virtual participation for the Public Hearing on the County Executive's 2025 Recommended Budget and Amendments by the Committee on Finance-BUDGET.

PUBLIC HEARING ON THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE'S 2025 RECOMMENDED BUDGET AND AMENDMENTS BY THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE-BUDGET

1 [24-827](#) From the County Executive, providing the 2025 recommended budget.

- Attachments:** [24-827 2025 Recommended Operating Budget](#)
[24-827 2025 Recommended Capital Budget](#)
[24-827 2025 Recommended Budget Line Item Detail Report](#)
[24-827 Recommended Budget Position Supplemental Report](#)
[24-827 Preliminary Tax Limit \(received 09/26/24\)](#)
[24-827 2025 Recommended Budget Overview \(received 10/08/24\)](#)
[24-827 Amendment 1 \(received 10/25/24\)](#)
[24-827 Public Hearing Materials \(10/28/24\)](#)
[24-827 Annual Public Hearing Public Comment Cards \(10/28/24\)](#)

**PUBLIC HEARING ON THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE'S 2024
RECOMMENDED BUDGET**

The following people appeared and spoke regarding the County Executive's 2025 Recommended Budget and Amendments by the Committee on Finance-BUDGET:

- Rose K. Onama**
Pat Jursik, Preserve Our Parks
Barb Kaprelian, Friends of Pulaski Park
Royce Potter
Tom Stawicki, Legislative Director, Amalgamated Transit Union, Local 998
Derek Clayton, Friends of the Domes
Elizabeth J. Ermenc
The Alamo Family, Clarke Square Neighborhood Initiative
Kevin Meyers, Member, Paratransit Taxi Taskforce
Tanya Crothers-Lewis, Faith In Place
Jan Wilberg, Chairperson, Milwaukee County Commission on Aging
Terrence Moore, Sr., Volunteer Vice-President, American Association for Retired Persons - Wisconsin
Clay Ecklund
Representative Ryan Clancy, District 19, Wisconsin State Assembly
Lucas Alamo
Amelia Berendt, Legislative Assistant, Wisconsin State Assembly
Jennine Sonntag, Friends of Hales Corners Park and Pool
Sue Saller, Save Jackson Park Drive
Ted Kraig, Citizen Action of Wisconsin
Candice Owley, Citizen Action of Wisconsin
Blue Pelikan, Democratic Socialists of America (DSA) - Milwaukee
Louise Petering, League of Women Voters of Milwaukee County
David Petering
Mike Seavert, Executive Board, Friends of Hales Corners Park and Pool
Ken Sobczak
Annie Carrell, Member, Healthy Climate Wisconsin
Tiffany Stark, Milwaukee Alliance Against Racist and Political Repression (MAARPR)
Fred Steger, Friends of Hales Corners Park and Pool
Krystal Raymond, Case Manager, My Choice Wisconsin
Kat Klawes, Citizen Action of Wisconsin

Velly Marsh
Ron Jansen
Marshall Gradinjan
Crystal Keller, My Way Out
Donald G. Schwartz, Co-Founder, Friends of Hales Corners Park and Pool
Diego Garcia, MAARPR
Casey Serrano, MAARPR
Olivia McClain, MAARPR
Daniel Welytok
Sara Torres
Ben Turk
Aurelia Cejc, MAARPR
Pearl Foster, MAARPR
Dr. Ax Delassio-Parson
Joseph Walsh, Cupertino Community Gardens
Michael Clouthier
Elizabeth Bjork, MAARPR
Timothy Faust
Ezran Anastas, District 7, Milwaukee County Commission on Youth
Willie Pritchard, Northside Rising - Citizen Action of Wisconsin
Luanne Hill, Friends of Hales Corners Park and Pool
Rick Marino
Femi Akinmoladune
Autumn Pickett, DSA - Milwaukee

Candice Owley and Louise Petering distributed written materials to County Supervisors, which are included and attached to this Budget file as "24-827 Public Hearing Materials (10/28/24)."

The following people appeared virtually and spoke regarding the County Executive's 2025 Recommended Budget and Amendments by the Committee on Finance-BUDGET:

Carol Ogorchock
Athena and Caroline Olsen
William Lynch
Amanda Richman, Healthy Climate Wisconsin
Alexander Kostal

The following people registered and provided written comments regarding the County Executive's 2025 Recommended Budget and Amendments by the Committee on Finance-BUDGET:

Amy Donahue
Rebecca Freek
Michael Haeberle
Pat Habanek
Francisco Enriquez, Common Ground
Maria Schmid, University of Wisconsin-Madison - Extension
Christa Beall Diefenbach, Executive Director, Friends of the Domes
Ashley Friday
Rich Schiel
Brian Weinhold, Friends of the Domes
Stef Schiel
Pernell Evans, Metcalfe Park

Jim and Gretchen Daul
Jenne Hohn, Friends of the Domes
Cheryl Baker, Friends of Hales Corners Park and Pool
Roger Krawiecki, Friends of the Domes
Deb Schiel, Friends of the Domes
Rita Gutowski
Jacki Scudder
Mike Kroh
Amy and Brian Ellison
Ellen V. Wilkinson, Friends of the Domes

The following people registered to speak virtually regarding the County Executive's 2025 Recommended Budget and Amendments by the Committee on Finance-BUDGET, but did not appear:
Daniel Huber
Melody McCurtis

PRESENTATIONS BY SUPERVISORS

There were no Presentations by Supervisors.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

- 2 [24-1](#) From the Milwaukee County Clerk, Office of the County Clerk, providing an informational report regarding Summons and Complaints.

Attachments: [24-1 Summons and Complaints \(10/28/24\)](#)

A motion was made by Supervisor Shea that the October 28, 2024, listing of Summons and Complaints be RECEIVED AND PLACED ON FILE. The motion PREVAILED by unanimous voice vote:

Aye: 18 - Alexander, Bielinski, Capriolo, Coggs-Jones, Eckblad, Gómez-Tom, Johnson Jr., Logsdon, Martin, Martinez, O'Connor, Rolland, Shea, Taylor (5), Taylor (17), Vincent, Wasserman and Nicholson

NOTICE OF CLAIMS

- 3 [24-2](#) From the Milwaukee County Clerk, Office of the County Clerk, providing a report regarding Notice of Claims.

Attachments: [24-2 Notice of Claims \(10/28/24\)](#)

A motion was made by Supervisor Shea to SUSPEND THE RULES to consider Item 3. The motion PREVAILED by unanimous consent:

Aye: 18 - Alexander, Bielinski, Capriolo, Coggs-Jones, Eckblad, Gómez-Tom, Johnson Jr., Logsdon, Martin, Martinez, O'Connor, Rolland, Shea, Taylor (5), Taylor (17), Vincent, Wasserman and Nicholson

A motion was made by Supervisor Shea that the October 28, 2024, listing of Notice of Claims be DISALLOWED. The motion PREVAILED by unanimous voice vote:

Aye: 18 - Alexander, Bielinski, Capriolo, Coggs-Jones, Eckblad, Gómez-Tom, Johnson Jr., Logsdon, Martin, Martinez, O'Connor, Rolland, Shea, Taylor (5), Taylor (17), Vincent, Wasserman and Nicholson

FILES REFERRED TO STANDING COMMITTEES

- 4 [24-3](#) From the Milwaukee County Clerk, Office of the County Clerk, providing an informational report regarding Files Referred to Standing Committees.

Attachments: [24-3 Files Referred to Standing Committees \(10/28/24\)](#)

A motion was made by Supervisor Shea that the October 28, 2024, listing of Files Referred to Standing Committees be RECEIVED AND PLACED ON FILE. The motion PREVAILED by unanimous voice vote:

Aye: 18 - Alexander, Bielinski, Capriolo, Coggs-Jones, Eckblad, Gómez-Tom, Johnson Jr., Logsdon, Martin, Martinez, O'Connor, Rolland, Shea, Taylor (5), Taylor (17), Vincent, Wasserman and Nicholson

CORRECTION AND APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS

- 5 [24-4](#) From the Milwaukee County Clerk, Office of the County Clerk, providing a report regarding Journal of Proceedings.

Attachments: [24-4 DRAFT Journal of Proceedings \(10/28/24\)](#)
 [24-4 FINAL Journal of Proceedings \(10/28/24\)](#)

A motion was made by Supervisor Shea that the Tuesday, October 1, 2024, Journal of Proceedings be ADOPTED. The motion PREVAILED by unanimous voice vote:

Aye: 18 - Alexander, Bielinski, Capriolo, Coggs-Jones, Eckblad, Gómez-Tom, Johnson Jr., Logsdon, Martin, Martinez, O'Connor, Rolland, Shea, Taylor (5), Taylor (17), Vincent, Wasserman and Nicholson

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

There were no items of Unfinished Business.

REPORTS OF COUNTY OFFICERS

There were no Reports of County Officers.

RESOLUTIONS AND ORDINANCES BY AND FROM STANDING COMMITTEES

There were no Resolutions and Ordinances By and From Standing Committees.

RESOLUTIONS AND ORDINANCES BY AND FROM SELECT OR SPECIAL COMMITTEES

There were no Resolutions and Ordinances By and From Select or Special Committees.

E-COMMENTS

- 6 [24-7](#) eComments submitted to the Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors for the Public Hearing regarding the 2025 Recommended Budget via the County Legislative Information Center (CLIC).

The Office of the County Clerk collects eComments submitted via CLIC, and appends these official public records to Reference File No. 24-7 at the conclusion of each meeting.

Attachments: [24-7 eComments \(10/28/24\)](#)

The October 28, 2024, record of eComments is attached to this file as "24-7 eComments (10/28/24)."

The October 28, 2024, record of eComments was DISCUSSED WITH NO ACTION TAKEN.

COUNTY BOARD CITATIONS AND CERTIFICATES

- 7 [24-5](#) From the Milwaukee County Clerk, Office of the County Clerk, providing a report regarding County Board Citations and Certificates.

Attachments: [24-5 Citations & Certificates \(10/28/24\)](#)

A motion was made by Supervisor Shea that the October 28, 2024, listing of Citations and Certificates be ADOPTED. The motion PREVAILED by unanimous voice vote:

Aye: 18 - Alexander, Bielinski, Capriolo, Coggs-Jones, Eckblad, Gómez-Tom, Johnson Jr., Logsdon, Martin, Martinez, O'Connor, Rolland, Shea, Taylor (5), Taylor (17), Vincent, Wasserman and Nicholson

RESOLUTIONS AND ORDINANCES PRESENTED UNDER SUSPENSION OF THE RULES

There were no Resolutions and Ordinances Presented Under Suspension of the Rules.

FILES NOT REFERRED TO STANDING COMMITTEES

- 8 [24-6](#) From the Milwaukee County Clerk, Office of the County Clerk, providing an informational report regarding Files Not Referred to Standing Committees.

Attachments: [24-6 Files NOT Referred to Standing Committees \(10/28/24\)](#)

A motion was made by Supervisor Shea that the October 28, 2024, listing of Files Not Referred to Standing Committees be RECEIVED AND PLACED ON FILE. The motion PREVAILED by unanimous voice vote:

Aye: 18 - Alexander, Bielinski, Capriolo, Coggs-Jones, Eckblad, Gómez-Tom, Johnson Jr., Logsdon, Martin, Martinez, O'Connor, Rolland, Shea, Taylor (5), Taylor (17), Vincent, Wasserman and Nicholson

ADJOURNMENT at 8:43 p.m.

A motion was made by Supervisor Shea that this meeting be ADJOURNED to Thursday, November 7, 2024, at 9:30 a.m. The motion PREVAILED by unanimous voice vote:

Aye: 18 - Alexander, Bielinski, Capriolo, Coggs-Jones, Eckblad, Gómez-Tom, Johnson Jr., Logsdon, Martin, Martinez, O'Connor, Rolland, Shea, Taylor (5), Taylor (17), Vincent, Wasserman and Nicholson

Upcoming Meetings of the Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors:

Thursday, November 7, 2024, at 9:30 a.m. (Budget Adoption)

Thursday, November 14, 2024, at 1:30 p.m. (Veto Session, if necessary)