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Meeting Time: 05-17-22 13:30

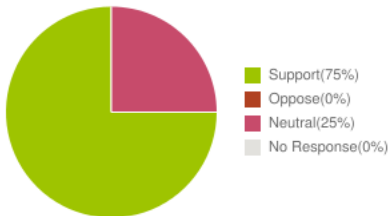
eComments Report

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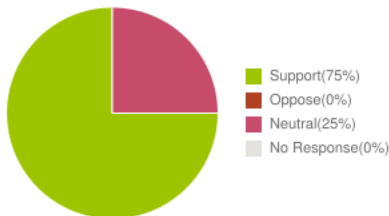
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2 22-556 A resolution supporting the people of Ukraine and condemning the unprovoked aggression and war crimes committed by Russian Federation soldiers in Ukraine	2	2	0	0
3 22-600 Urging the State of Wisconsin to keep Felmers O. Chaney Correctional Center open and reconsider alternative sites for the construction of a Type 1 Juvenile Correctional Facility	1	0	0	1

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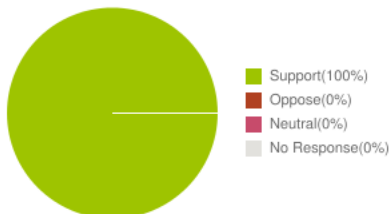
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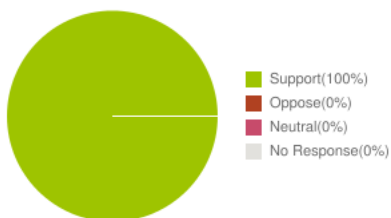
Location:

Submitted At: 10:12am 05-17-22

Residents of a given geography need to be able to request and obtain support in case of emergency. In these challenging political and economic times, the work of Public Safety Telecommunicators becomes even more vital to the smoothing out the bumps that come from people, imperfect as we are, living in close proximity with one another. Given the 19% poverty rate for Milwaukee County (Census - ACS 2019) - translating into nearly one in five individuals below the federal poverty line - calls to both 911 and 211 are likely to overlap, with many linked to the mental and physical health problems that come from poverty itself. In addition to seeking out structural changes that recognize the key role of Public Safety Telecommunicators as protective services, I would also like to see efforts to more directly engage the public on the best ways to call 911 and 211 and obtain first medical assessments and/or emergency fire response (rather than defaulting to police, which in many cases only elevates and worsens conflict).

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Karina Tweedell

Location:

Submitted At: 1:44pm 05-17-22

Hello! My name is Karina Tweedell. I'm an immigrant from Ukraine, now residing in Milwaukee. I would like to emphasize just how important our government's support for Ukraine is to me, my family, and our Ukrainian community at large. I've been a Milwaukee Public Schools teacher for the past 11 years. I know of many local educators, medical professionals, entrepreneurs, and others from Ukraine, who all have families and friends deeply impacted by the injustices inflicted on Ukraine by Russia. The unprovoked war must stop as soon as possible with Russia taking responsibility for the war despicable war crimes they've committed against the people of Ukraine. The outcome of the war in Ukraine will set the precedent for the territorial integrity of countries all over the world. Besides the millions of innocent Ukrainian lives taken, people tortured and raped, this war is deepening the global food insecurity with every day it goes on. Russian aggression must be stopped as swiftly as possible.

Dina Borysenko

Location:

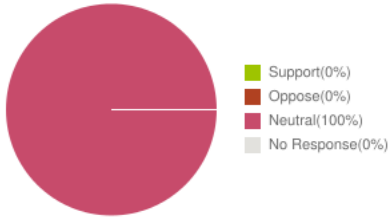
Submitted At: 11:09am 05-17-22

I fully support this resolution. Being a Ukrainian native and now a US citizen, I am pleading all branches of an American government to show their support for Ukraine in their fight against Russian brutality, total disregard for international laws and agreements, and violation Ukrainian sovereignty.

Milwaukee is currently hosting several families that fled the war and on a closer examination it turns out we (American society) do not offer them much support: no avenues for them to rent a place without a credit history, no authorization for employment without waiting for several months, no financial support, no medical insurance. We can do better.

Agenda Item: eComments for 3 22-600 Urging the State of Wisconsin to keep Felmers O. Chaney Correctional Center open and reconsider alternative sites for the construction of a Type 1 Juvenile Correctional Facility

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Location:

Submitted At: 5:00pm 05-16-22

As a Milwaukee community member, I write to urge all elected officials in the Milwaukee area and esp. the County Board to take a clear stance to protect the Felmers O. Chaney Correctional Center at 2825 N 30th St, Milwaukee, WI 53210. To reiterate points also made in Resolution 22-600, the Chaney Center provides much-needed pre-release beds for men finishing their sentences. I would also like to see an effort made to re-establish at the Chaney Center a functioning urban farm and/or community clean-up in conjunction with neighbors in the area. With regards the \$41.7 approved to build a type 1 facility: please, do not allow these funds to expand the carceral state footprint. The Climate Crisis and costs of new building construction feel relevant to point to here, too. Could you please investigate how these funds can be used to renovate, improve conditions at Vel Phillips, and ensure enough bed capacity at that site to bring the youth incarcerated at Lincoln Hills closer to home, moving with as much urgency as possible? Thank you very much for your work in these challenging political times.