



Milwaukee County

Meeting Minutes Committee of the Whole

Chairperson: Theodore Lipscomb, Sr.

Legislative Services Division Manager:

Janelle M. Jensen, 414-278-4228

Director of Research and Policy: Steve Cady, 414-278-4347

Wednesday, September 18, 2019

5:00 PM

Mitchell Park Horticultural Conservatory

(The Domes)

524 South Layton Boulevard

Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53215

DOORS OPEN AT 5:00 PM

Open House - Public Can View Information and Exhibits Regarding Domes Task Force Recommendations Proposal

The Committee of the Whole will consider an informational Business Plan and Conceptual Design report as the final recommendation by the Domes Task Force, for the Mitchell Park Horticultural Conservatory (The Domes).

Call To Order

Roll Call at 6:16 p.m.

Present 15 - Nicholson, Taylor , Schmitt, Weishan Jr., Haas, Alexander, Staskunas, Cullen, Moore Omokunde, Sebring, Wasserman, Logsdon, Ortiz-Velez, Shea and Lipscomb Sr.

Excused 3 - Johnson Jr., Dimitrijevic and Martin

1 [19-677](#) Domes Task Force Update - Phase III **(INFORMATIONAL ONLY
UNLESS OTHERWISE DIRECTED BY THE COMMITTEE)**

Attachments: [19-677 Report - Domes Task Force Phase III](#)
[19-677 Resolution - 16-200 with attached Corp Counsel Opinion](#)
[A2 - Future Path and Feasibility Study – Phase 3 Report \(137 Pages\)](#)
[19-677 MEMO \(09/04/19\)](#)
[19-677 ARTSMARKET APPENDIX \(09/18/19\)](#)
[19-677 Audio Roll Call \(09/18/19\)](#)
[19-677 Audio Opening Remarks \(09/18/19\)](#)
[19-677 Audio Item 1 \(09/18/19\)](#)
[19-677 COMMENT CARDS \(09/18/19\)](#)

This Informational Report was DISCUSSED WITH NO ACTION TAKEN.

A) Domes Task Force Adopted Recommendations

Attorney William Lynch, Chairman, Milwaukee County Task Force on the Mitchell Park Conservatory Domes, appeared and spoke for information only regarding this item.

B) Presentation by ArtsMarket

Louise K. Stevens, President, ArtsMarket, Inc., appeared and spoke for information only regarding this item.

2 Public Comments

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

Father Bill Johnson
Taina Gonzales, Cristo Rey Jesuit High School (CRJHS)
John Jimenez, CRJHS
Abigail Rose, CRJHS
Jim Goulee, Preserve Our Parks
Lueverne LaViolette, Arbor Day Participant
Craig Wisoll, Save Our Domes (SOD)
Patricia Adams
Lee Valentin
Lee Davis
Sebastian Clancy
Catherine Wittig
Karen Hoang
Susan Rablin
Angelina Negani
Ian Bautista, Clarke Square Neighborhood Initiative
Peter Zanghi, Milwaukee Preservation Alliance (MPA)
Zeno Franco, Medical College of Wisconsin
Anna Lampkins
Esperanza Gutierrez, SOD
Olga DeFever
Deanna Andre
Katherine McEwen

Natalia Fajardo, registered as speaking in favor of this item, but did not appear.

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

Val Kupczak-Rios
Luis Delgadillo
Suzanne Powell
Elizabeth Fehriay
Margarete Harvey
Roger Krawiecki
Barbara Mangev
Sandra McSweeney
Lori Gramling
Michael Egly
Gerald Karnowski
Ron Schwenson
Carrie Skurzewski
Clarence Schreiber
Jeffrey Loss
Sarah Gail Luther, Friends of the Domes (FOD)
Andrew Swant
Dale K. Hester
Dean Muller
Patty Doherty
Michael Balistreri
Claire Muza, Teens Grow Greens

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

Tim Kitzman
Dorothy Kenngott
David Swanson
Ezell McQuay
Carol McQuay
Katherine L. McEwen
Dr. Lori Gensch, MPA
Fietlung Thao, Cream City Conservation Corps
Marilyn Wiseman
Wesley Wiseman
Mary Philipp, FOD
Sally Sullivan, FOD
Shirley Todor
Doris Fons
Nancy Comta
Terrence Christopherson
Christopher J. Thomas

The following people appeared and spoke for information only regarding this item:

Tammy Rivera, Southside Organizing Center
Kathy Arciszewski
Jule Biesiada
Michael Alt
Denise Schanz

Andrea Rodriguez registered as speaking for information only regarding this item, but did not appear.

The following people appeared and spoke against this item:

David Charney
Roman Berdes
James Ganzlin
Gregory F. Bird

Mary Goris, registered (not in favor, not against) but did not speak regarding this item.

Barbara Aho submitted written comments, but did not register in favor or against this item.

Adjourned at 7:56 p.m.

Length of Meeting: 6:16 p.m. to 7:56 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Janelle M. Jensen

**Legislative Services Division Manager, Office of the County Clerk
Committee of the Whole**

Deadline for the Next Meeting:

The Committee of the Whole meets at the Call of the County Board Chairperson.