



Milwaukee County

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Meeting Minutes Intergovernmental Relations Committee

Chairperson: Supervisor Joseph J. Czarnecki
Vice Chairperson: Supervisor Willie Johnson, Jr.
Supervisor Anthony Staskunas
Supervisor Eddie Cullen
Supervisor Sequanna Taylor

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Thursday, September 10, 2020

10:00 AM

County Legislative Information Center

VIRTUAL MEETING

This meeting was live-streamed on the County Legislative Information Center:
<https://milwaukeecounty.legistar.com/Calendar.aspx>

Call To Order

Roll Call at 10:03 a.m.

Present 5 - Johnson Jr., Staskunas, Cullen, Taylor and Czarnecki

RESOLUTIONS/ORDINANCES - 7

- 1 [20-681](#) A resolution supporting State of Wisconsin legislation which would address policing accountability and transparency
- Sponsors:** Nicholson, Taylor , Johnson Jr., Rolland, Shea, Clancy, Martin and Sumner
- Attachments:** [20-681 RESOLUTION](#)
 [20-681 FISCAL NOTE](#)
- APPEARANCES:**
Kelsey A. Evans, Committee Coordinator, Legislative Services Division, Office of the County Clerk
Supervisor Ryan Clancy, District 4
- A motion was made by Supervisor Taylor that this Resolution be **RECOMMENDED FOR ADOPTION**. The motion **PREVAILED** by the following vote:
- Aye:** 5 - Johnson Jr., Staskunas, Cullen, Taylor and Czarnecki

2 [20-506](#)

A resolution authorizing and requesting the Office of Government Affairs convey Milwaukee County's opposition to the deportation of United States Hmong and Laotian residents

Sponsors: Martin, Johnson Jr. and Taylor

Attachments: [20-506 RESOLUTION](#)
 [20-506 FISCAL NOTE](#)

APPEARANCE:
Supervisor Felesia A. Martin, District 7

Supervisors Johnson, Jr., and Taylor requested unanimous consent to be added as cosponsors of this Resolution. There being no objections by Committee members, it was so ordered by the Chairman.

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

Aye: 4 - Johnson Jr., Cullen, Taylor and Czarnezki
No: 1 - Staskunas

3 [20-540](#)

A resolution requesting and directing the Office of Emergency Management (OEM) and the Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) to explore options to create a county-wide health department for the purpose of establishing a centralized and uniformed department that all local health leaders in Milwaukee County can convene together to coordinate emergency public health responses, consolidate services, and eliminate health disparities amongst communities

Sponsors: Weishan Jr. and Johnson Jr.

Attachments: [20-540 RESOLUTION](#)
 [20-540 FISCAL NOTE](#)

APPEARANCE:
Supervisor John F. Weishan, Jr., District 16

Supervisor Johnson, Jr., requested unanimous consent to be added as a cosponsor of this Resolution. There being no objections by Committee members, it was so ordered by the Chairman.

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

Aye: 5 - Johnson Jr., Staskunas, Cullen, Taylor and Czarnezki

- 4 [20-554](#) A resolution calling upon Wisconsin Governor Tony Evers to reduce the risk of COVID-19 exposure and spread by releasing inmates at high risk for disease complications, those individuals held for crimeless revocation, those scheduled for release within six to nine months, and those sentenced under the older “indeterminant sentencing” regime prior to “truth-in-sentencing”

Sponsors: Taylor , Shea, Nicholson and Johnson Jr.

Attachments: [20-554 RESOLUTION](#)
 [20-554 FISCAL NOTE](#)

There were no appearances.

Supervisor Johnson, Jr., requested unanimous consent to be added as a cosponsor of this Resolution. There being no objections by Committee members, it was so ordered by the Chairman.

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

Aye: 5 - Johnson Jr., Staskunas, Cullen, Taylor and Czarnezki

- 5 [20-527](#) A resolution proposing practical reforms to Wisconsin hate crimes statutes and giving false information to police officers on the basis of race, religion, color, disability, sexual orientation, national origin, or ancestry of a person; proposing additional guidelines to the National Neighborhood Watch Program to mitigate instances of unconscious racial bias, and proposing efforts to enable police departments are able to screen for and reduce “living while Black” racially-motivated calls for police service

Sponsors: Rolland, Clancy, Czarnezki, Martin, Sumner, Johnson Jr. and Taylor

Attachments: [20-527 RESOLUTION](#)
 [20-527 FISCAL NOTE](#)

APPEARANCE:
Supervisor Shawn Rolland, District 6

Supervisors Johnson, Jr., and Taylor requested unanimous consent to be added as cosponsors of this Resolution. There being no objections by Committee members, it was so ordered by the Chairman.

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

Aye: 4 - Johnson Jr., Staskunas, Taylor and Czarnezki

Excused: 1 - Cullen

- 6 [20-612](#) A resolution/ordinance amending Chapter 108.04 of the Milwaukee County Code of General Ordinances related to the submission of departmental budget requests

Sponsors: Czarnezki, Rolland and Johnson Jr.

Attachments: [20-612 RESOLUTION](#)
 [20-612 FISCAL NOTE](#)

APPEARANCE:
Supervisor Shawn Rolland, District 6

Supervisor Johnson, Jr., requested unanimous consent to be added as a cosponsor of this Resolution. There being no objections by Committee members, it was so ordered by the Chairman.

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

Aye: 4 - Johnson Jr., Staskunas, Taylor and Czarnezki

Excused: 1 - Cullen

- 7 [20-613](#) A resolution calling upon the State of Wisconsin to revise representation on the Southeastern Wisconsin Regional Planning Commission (SEWRPC) based on population

Sponsors: Czarnezki, Clancy, Rolland, Martin and Shea

Attachments: [20-613 RESOLUTION](#)
 [20-613 FISCAL NOTE](#)

There were no appearances.

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

Aye: 4 - Johnson Jr., Staskunas, Taylor and Czarnezki

Excused: 1 - Cullen

E-COMMENTS - 1

- 8 [20-33](#) E-Comments submitted via the County Legislative Information Center (CLIC).
(INFORMATIONAL ONLY UNLESS OTHERWISE DIRECTED BY THE COMMITTEE)

*The Office of the County Clerk collects written comments submitted via CLIC, and appends these official public records to Reference File No. 20-33.

APPEARANCE:
Kelsey A. Evans, Committee Coordinator, Legislative Services Division, Office of the County Clerk

There were no public comments submitted for this meeting.

The September 10, 2020, record of E-comments was DISCUSSED WITH NO ACTION TAKEN.

Length of Meeting: 10:03 a.m. to 10:51 a.m.

Adjourned,

**Kelsey A. Evans
Committee Coordinator
Legislative Services Division, Office of the County Clerk
Committee on Intergovernmental Relations**

Deadline for the next meeting:
The Committee on Intergovernmental Relations meets at the Call of the Committee Chairman.

Approval Tracking System Review must be completed in Legistar on or before Friday, October 2, 2020, at 5:00 p.m., for a possible October 22, 2020, meeting.