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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 9, 2021

10:00 AM

County Legislative Information Center

VIRTUAL MEETING

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

Call To Order

Roll Call at 10:02 a.m.

Present 4 - Johnson Jr., Staskunas, Taylor and Czarnecki

Excused 1 - Cullen

RESOLUTIONS - 3

- 1 [21-702](#) A resolution calling upon the United States Senate to pass and the President of the United States to sign into law House Resolution 1280, the George Floyd Act of 2021, legislatively reforming policing in the United States

Sponsors: Coggs-Jones, Johnson Jr. and Taylor

Attachments: [21-702 RESOLUTION](#)
 [21-702 FISCAL NOTE](#)

APPEARANCE:
Supervisor Priscilla E. Coggs-Jones, District 10

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., Staskunas, Taylor and Czarnezki

Excused: 1 - Cullen

- 2** [21-759](#) A resolution calling upon the United States Congress to pass and the President to sign into law House Resolution 842, the Protect the Right to Organize (PRO) Act of 2021

Sponsors: Clancy, Shea, Czarnezki, Rolland, Haas and Johnson Jr.

Attachments: [21-759 RESOLUTION](#)
 [21-759 FISCAL NOTE](#)

APPEARANCE:
Supervisor Ryan Clancy, District 4

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

Excused: 1 - Cullen

- 3 [21-826](#) A resolution opposing nuclear war and calling upon federal policymakers to never use nuclear weapons first, end the President of the United States from being the sole decisionmaker in a nuclear launch, remove US nuclear weapons from high alert, cancel the replacement of the US nuclear arsenal, and pursue a policy of complete global nuclear disarmament

Sponsors: Shea and Clancy

Attachments: [21-826 RESOLUTION](#)
 [21-826 FISCAL NOTE](#)

APPEARANCES:

Supervisor Steven Shea, District 8
Supervisor Ryan Clancy, District 4

Supervisor Clancy 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.

The following people appeared virtually and spoke in favor of this Resolution:

Pamela Richard
Christine Mier
Steve Watrous, President, Greater Milwaukee Chapter, United Nations Association
Jim Carpenter

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

Aye: 2 - Taylor and Czarnezki

No: 2 - Johnson Jr. and Staskunas

Excused: 1 - Cullen

File No. 21-826 will advance to the County Board without recommendation.

OFFICE OF GOVERNMENT AFFAIRS - 1

- 4 [21-13](#) From the Office of Government Affairs, providing an informational report regarding legislative updates. **(INFORMATIONAL ONLY UNLESS OTHERWISE DIRECTED BY THE COMMITTEE)**

APPEARANCE:

Alec Knutson, Director, Office of Government Affairs

The September 2021 Verbal Report for this Reference File was **DISCUSSED WITH NO ACTION TAKEN**.

E-COMMENTS - 1

- 5 [21-11](#) eComments submitted to the Committee on Intergovernmental Relations via the County Legislative Information Center (CLIC).
(INFORMATIONAL ONLY UNLESS OTHERWISE DIRECTED BY THE COMMITTEE)

*The Office of the County Clerk collects eComments via CLIC, and appends these official public records to Reference File No. 21-11 at the conclusion of each meeting.

There were no appearances.

There were no eComments submitted for the September 9, 2021, meeting.

The September 9, 2021, record of eComments was DISCUSSED WITH NO ACTION TAKEN.

Length of Meeting: 10:02 a.m. to 10:45 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 1, 2021, at 5:00 p.m., for a possible Thursday, October 21, 2021, meeting.