



Dane County

Minutes - Final Unless Amended by Committee

Executive Committee

Consider:

Who benefits? Who is burdened?

Who does not have a voice at the table?

How can policymakers mitigate unintended consequences?

Thursday, June 24, 2021

5:30 PM

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A. Call To Order

The meeting was called to order at 5:32 p.m. Also present: Karin Peterson-Thurlow, Supervisors Kiefer and Veldran, Lisa MacKinnon.

Present: 7 - CAROUSEL BAYRD, ANALIESE EICHER, YOGESH CHAWLA, ANN DeGARMO, CHUCK ERICKSON, ELENA HAASL and STEVEN PETERS

B. Consideration of Minutes

[2021](#) MINUTES OF THE 5-20-21 EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING
[MIN-099](#)

Sponsors: Executive Committee

Attachments: [MINUTES OF THE 5-20-21 EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING](#)

A motion was made by CHAWLA, seconded by ERICKSON, that the minutes be approved. The motion carried by a voice vote.

C. Fund Transfers

NONE

D. Referrals (Resolutions & Ordinance Amendments)

[2021
RES-051](#)

OPPOSING WISCONSIN ASSEMBLY AND SENATE BILLS CONCERNING THE ABILITY OF TRANSGENDER INDIVIDUALS TO PARTICIPATE IN ATHLETICS

Sponsors: EICHER, ERICKSON, SCHAUER, PALM, HAASL, RATCLIFF, DOYLE, CHAWLA, BAYRD, BARE, AUDET, CASTILLO, DOOLAN, RITT, JOERS, HATCHER and WEGLEITNER

Attachments: [2021 RES-051](#)
[2021 RES-051 SIGNED COPY](#)

A motion was made by ERICKSON, seconded by HAASL, that the resolution be recommended for approval. The motion carried by a voice vote.

E. Items Requiring Committee Action

DISCUSSION AND COMMITTEE ACTION ON ADDITIONAL PROGRAM EVALUATION TOPIC PROPOSALS

Staff gave update on progress of Parks and Zoo Equity and Access program evaluation process (RFP is being drafted). Sup. Bayrd gave an update on conversations with municipal court judges regarding a study. They determined a program evaluation of municipal court functions and programming is not necessary and will work through other channels. Sup. Bayrd mentioned possible other ideas raised in PP&J Committee, but has no proposals at this time.

Chair Eicher recommended a program evaluation topic: It would build on the jail stress test and other jail analytics performed by the JFA Institute for Dane County. This study would utilize data to identify drivers of incarceration in Dane County, review classifications, provide additional training for the new jail population manager, analyze reductions in length of stay, etc.

Looking for an opportunity to continue the benefits of the jail population reductions during the pandemic.

Sup Chawla would also like best practices recommendations/guidance for jail census data on a daily basis rather than as a snapshot in time.

The Committee directed staff to move forward with drafting and executing a single-source contract with JFA Institute for this topic (with funding out of program evaluation line). The project will be run in two phases, with the first phase completed in 90 days--September 2021.

F. Presentations

G. Reports to Committee

UPDATE AND CONTINUING DISCUSSION OF RETURN TO OFFICE AND IN-PERSON MEETINGS

Peterson-Thurlow gave an update and indicated that staff are working with DIM to upgrade technology to allow for hybrid meetings. Tech upgrades will be completed in September and training of county department staff will need to occur. Also will discuss board room security with the City-County Liaison Committee.

Supervisor Kiefer spoke to the committee regarding the County Board's return to in-person meetings:

- 1) He requests that a Dane County Sheriff's deputy be present at in-person County Board meetings.*
- 2) He supports a return to in-person meetings as soon as possible.*

DeGarmo: Likes the hybrid meeting option for the future. Worried about having uniformed officers in the meeting because of possible effects on other people attending the meeting.

[2021](#) FACTORS TO ADDRESS FOR FUTURE IN-PERSON MEETINGS 2021 [RPT-056](#)

Sponsors: Executive Committee

Attachments: [FACTORS TO ADDRESS FOR FUTURE IN-PERSON MEETINGS 2021](#)

H. Future Meeting Items and Dates

The next meeting of this committee will be on July 22 at 5:30 p.m.

I. Public Comment on Items not on the Agenda

NONE

J. Such Other Business as Allowed by Law

NONE

K. Adjourn

A motion was made by CHAWLA, seconded by DeGARMO, that the meeting be adjourned. The motion carried by a voice vote.

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