Proposed Amendments to the City-County Building Rules

5.3. Flag Display: The United States flag will be the <u>topmost only</u> flag displayed. <u>The Ho-Chunk Nation's flag will be flown below the United States flag, with the consent of the Ho-Chunk Nation. Both flags will be flown perpetually.</u>

The City-County Building's flagpole is not intended to serve as a forum for free expression by the public. In addition to the United States flag and the Ho-Chunk flag, additional flags can be displayed below the Ho-Chunk flag as an expression of the City and County's official sentiment.

The following flags have been authorized and shall be flown for one (1) day on each flag's designated day unless the designated day falls on a weekend or holiday, in which case it will be flown on the next business day:

The Tibetan Flag, March 10th
The Transgender Pride Flag, March 31st
The Progress Flag, June 1st
The Juneteenth Flag, June 19th
The German Flag, October 1st

The Committee may approve other_additional flags to be displayed for certain special occasions. Requests to display any additional flag not listed in the provisions above must be made to of the Committee to display other flags must be made by an elected official, and only to recognize a special achievement, anniversary, or occasion. No religious or commercial flags will be displayed, and. Flags displayed for special occasions will be flown for one (1) day only. No more than three (3) flags will be displayed at the same time, with the U.S. flag being the topmost flag. The United States flag will be half masted flown at half-mast by declaration of national mourning by the U.S. President. The Ho-Chunk flag will be flown at half-mast if the Wisconsin Governor declares that the Wisconsin State flag will be flown at half-mast on any given day, and state flag will be half masted by declaration of mourning by the Governor. The County flag will be half masted by declaration of the County Executive. The City flag will be half masted by declaration of the Mayor.