



City of Racine

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Meeting Report Committee of the Whole

*Chairman Alderman Jim Kaplan, Alderman Michael Shields,
Alderman Sandy Weidner, Alderman Gregory Holding,
Alderman Q.A. Shakoor, II, Alderman Raymond DeHahn,
Alderman Ronald D. Hart, Alderman Robert Mozol, Alderman
Terry McCarthy, Alderman Dennis Wiser, Alderman O. Keith
Fair, Alderman Melissa Kaprelian-Becker, Alderman James
Morgenroth, Alderman Krystyna Sarrazin, Alderman Molly
Hall*

Tuesday, October 16, 2012

6:00 PM

City Hall, Room 205

11-7061

Subject: Communication from Mayor Dickert informing the Common Council that he has issued an Executive Order, dated October 31, 2011, prohibiting persons from possessing or bringing, or causing to be brought, any concealed or unconcealed firearm or weapon into or upon any City owned, occupied, or controlled building or structure at any time or at any special event at any City owned, occupied, or controlled building, structure, facility, grounds, or land. Mayor Dickert further requests that the issue of such a weapons and firearm prohibition be referred to the Committee of the Whole for the creation of a City ordinance and the revision of any existing City ordinances that are inconsistent with 2011 Wisconsin Act 35.

Recommendation of the Committee of the Whole on 01-26-2012: the Item be deferred.

Recommendation of the Committee of the Whole on 10-16-2012: that the Item be referred to the City Attorney's Office with direction to draft ordinance revisions of any existing City Ordinances that are inconsistent with 2011 Wis. Act 35, and the updates be brought back to the committee for consideration and approval.

Fiscal Note: N/A

A motion was made that this be Referred to the City Attorney's Office. The motion PASSED by the following vote:

AYES: 12 - Sandy Weidner, Gregory Holding, Raymond DeHahn, Ronald D. Hart, Robert Mozol, O. Keith Fair, Melissa Kaprelian-Becker, Terry McCarthy, James Morgenroth, Michael Shields, Dennis Wiser and Krystyna Sarrazin

EXCUSED: 2 - Q.A. Shakoor, II and Molly Hall

NON VOTING: 1 - Jim Kaplan

11-6718

Subject: Communication from the President of the Common Council wishing to discuss City of Racine policy with respect to firearms in light of 2011 Wisconsin Act 35.

Recommendation of the Public Safety and Licensing Committee on 8-22-11: That the item be referred to the Committee of the Whole with the Recommendation that the Common Council not prohibit carrying of legally permitted concealed weapons in Municipal Buildings with the exception of Community Centers.

Recommendation of the Committee of the Whole on 01-25-2012: the Item be

deferred.

Recommendation of the Committee of the Whole on 10-16-2012: the Item be received and filed.

Fiscal Note: N/A

A motion was made that this be Recommended to be Received and Filed. The motion PASSED by a Voice Vote.

12-8249

Subject: (Direct Referral) communication from the Director of City Development to present the 2013 CDBG grant application & approval process, the staff evaluation and recommendation procedure.

Recommendation of the Committee of the Whole on 10-16-2012: the Item be received and filed.

Fiscal Note: N/A

A motion was made that this be Recommended to be Received and Filed. The motion PASSED by a Voice Vote.