

REPORT TO THE CITY COUNCIL FROM
COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE
STANDING COMMITTEE OF THE MINNEAPOLIS CITY COUNCIL
February 8, 2017

A regular meeting of the committee was convened at 10:03 a.m. on this date.

Members Present: Council Members Andrew Johnson (Acting Chair), Lisa Bender, Alondra Cano, Jacob Frey, Lisa Goodman, Cam Gordon, Linea Palmisano, John Quincy, Kevin Reich

Members Absent: Council Members Elizabeth Glidden, Barbara Johnson, Abdi Warsame, Blong Yang

Matters listed below are hereby submitted with the following recommendations; to-wit:

1. Local government amicus brief in Jennings v. Rodriguez ([17-00180](#))

Authorizing the City to join the local government amicus brief drafted by the County of Santa Clara, California, in the Supreme Court case of Jennings v. Rodriguez and authorizing the City Attorney's Office to take all steps necessary to join in support of this amicus brief.

On motion by A. Johnson, carried on voice vote, the matter was approved.

2. Transgender Equity Council ([17-00196](#))

Passage of Resolution establishing the Transgender Equity Council to serve as an advisory board to the City Council on matters of importance to the Transgender community.

Nuria Rivera Vandermyde from the City Coordinator's Office and Phillipe Cunningham from the Mayor's office both spoke on the item.

On motion by A. Johnson, carried on voice vote, the matter was approved.

3. 2016 Resident Survey ([17-00181](#))

Receiving and filing the 2016 Resident Survey.

Donald Joseph from Neighborhood & Community Relations gave an introduction to the survey; and Nicole Marie Rogers and Stephanie Peters both from Wilder Research gave the presentation.

On motion by A. Johnson, carried on voice vote, the matter was received and filed.

4. 2017 Workers' Day at City Hall ([17-00229](#))

Directing staff to partner with external organizations, including organizations that represent workers, for the pilot 2017 Workers' Day at City Hall on March 8, 2017, in order to help plan and facilitate four breakout sessions focusing on Workplace Regulations, Housing, Public Health and Community Safety, and Participatory Budgeting, and to integrate feedback as appropriate to each topic area.

On motion by A. Johnson, carried on voice vote, the matter was approved.

Council Members reviewed reports from standing committees to be presented to the full City Council for consideration. Committee reports for each reporting committee are linked below:

- Community Development & Regulatory Services ([17-00198](#))
- Health, Environment & Community Engagement ([17-00178](#))
- Intergovernmental Relations ([17-00216](#))
- Transportation & Public Works ([17-00179](#))
- Ways & Means ([17-00205](#))
- Zoning & Planning ([17-00199](#))

With no further business to transact, the meeting adjourned at 10:57 a.m.

Reported by Diana Armstrong, Council Committee Coordinator