



Police Department

Edward A. Flynn  
Chief of Police

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Mr. James Owczarski  
Common Council  
200 E. Wells Street, Room 205  
Milwaukee, WI 53202

Honorable Common Council Members:

On March 22, 2007, members of the Common Council approved Resolution number 061452 which authorized the entry into a Law Enforcement Services Grant Agreement with the Milwaukee Brewers Baseball Club Limited Partnership. Under the agreement, the City provides specified levels of police officer staffing at Miller Park during the Brewers baseball seasons of 2007 and 2008, and at all other scheduled special events. The Brewers compensate police officers, sergeants, and lieutenants at their current overtime rate.

The initial term of the agreement commenced on March 25, 2007 and terminates on October 31, 2008. Under the resolution, the Brewers pay the city a total of \$1.2 million for law enforcement services in 2007 and 2008, however, the actual contract does not limit the total amount that can be invoiced.

Due to Brewer game attendance increases and an increase in the salary rate for police officers, it is anticipated that the Brewers will pay more than \$1.2 million for law enforcement services for the 2007-2008 contract period. Without a resolution change, the Milwaukee Police Department cannot collect for billable hours that exceed the \$1.2 million articulated in the March, 2007 resolution. Therefore, the Milwaukee Police Department requests that the total grant amount be increased from \$1.2 million to \$2 million.

If there are questions and/or requests for additional information, please contact Deputy Inspector Mary Hoerig at 935-7203.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,



EDWARD A. FLYNN  
CHIEF OF POLICE

Attachments:  
Resolution #061452  
MPD/Brewer Grant Agreement