



Inauguration of City of Milwaukee Elected Officials

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Inauguration Ceremonies Tomorrow for City Elected Officials

Public inauguration ceremonies for Milwaukee **Mayor Tom Barrett, Milwaukee Common Council members** and other elected city officials will be held tomorrow (Tuesday, April 17, 2012) in the grand third floor Council Chamber at City Hall. The ceremonies – free and open to the public – are scheduled to begin at 10:30 a.m.

The inauguration will follow the **2012-2016 charter meeting** of the Common Council, which is scheduled to begin **at 9 a.m. Tuesday** – also in the Council Chamber at City Hall, 200 E. Wells St. **At this meeting, Mayor Barrett and the 15 Common Council members will be sworn in,** and the Council will select a Common Council President and appoint the City Clerk.

The public inauguration ceremonies (10:30 a.m.) will include a second ceremonial swearing in of Common Council members, and the swearing in of other citywide elected officials including **City Comptroller-Elect Martin Matson** and **City Treasurer-Elect Spencer Coggs**. The event will include performances by local singers and musicians, as well as brief remarks by the Common Council President, Common Council members and the other elected officials.

Following the ceremonies, guests and city residents will be invited to a public reception inside City Hall. Third floor committee rooms will be open and members of the Common Council will greet visitors and will receive guests during the reception.

Tuesday's charter meeting and inauguration ceremonies will be televised live on City Channel 25 on Time Warner Cable and on AT&T U-Verse (Channel 99) in the City of Milwaukee. It can also be viewed via live streaming video on the city website at www.city.milwaukee.gov/Channel25.