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President Hines Seeks Police Services Study

Today City of Milwaukee **Common Council President Willie L. Hines, Jr.** sent a letter (**attached**) to Rob Henken, president of the Public Policy Forum, asking for a study examining the consolidation of police services in Milwaukee County.

President Hines said testimony at Wednesday's Public Safety Committee meeting by Milwaukee County Sheriff David Clarke and Police Chief Edward Flynn has solidified his belief that a study of police services is needed. "Our key law enforcement agencies are facing very serious challenges with resources, and budgetary realities are forcing them to stretch patrols and personnel like never before," he said.

"For the sake of ensuring the necessary and consistent level of police services that our residents deserve, we must have future-oriented thinking and planning, and that is what I hope this study can accomplish: provide for us some models and recommendations that we can review and discuss," said President Hines, who also testified at the Public Safety Committee meeting.