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## **MEDIA ADVISORY**

### **Public Safety and Health Committee to hear file related to short-term rental properties**

The Common Council's Public Safety and Health Committee tomorrow, **Thursday, July 23**, will discuss file #241547 – a substitute ordinance relating to short-term rentals. Introduced by **Aldermwoman Milele A. Coggs** and co-sponsored by Alderman Mark Chambers, Jr. and Alderman José G. Pérez, the ordinance requires the City to report any incidents that result in a citation arising from a property being used as a short-term rental to any platforms listing the property as a short-term rental.

The ordinance also requires the Department of Neighborhood Services to provide written notice to any residences within 250 feet of any property applying for a short-term rental license. Additionally, the ordinance requires that all short-term rentals within the city be managed and/or owned by Milwaukee residents, and requires that the contact information for the owners or managers be posted prominently on the property.

“Neighbors across the city have experienced the negative impacts associated with short-term rental properties. The legislation that will be discussed tomorrow is just the first step in the process as we in Milwaukee, and those elsewhere across the state and country, work to find the best ways to regulate these properties and support area residents,” Ald. Coggs said.

The Public Safety and Health Committee meeting will begin at 9:00 a.m. in room 301-B on the third floor of City Hall, 200 E. Wells St. The meeting will be streamed live on the City Channel (channel 25 on Spectrum Cable and channel 99 on AT&T U-Verse in the City of Milwaukee) and via streaming video on the city website at [city.milwaukee.gov/Channel25](http://city.milwaukee.gov/Channel25).