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GARDENS COMMITTEE (ended 12/2016)

File Created Date: 11/16/2016

**Final Action:** 

File Name: BY TITLE ONLY - Accepting the staff report and its

recommendations on University Hill Farms Gardening

Space for Sheboygan Community Gardens.

Title: BY TITLE ONLY: Accepting the staff report and its recommendations on University

Hill Farms Gardening Space for Sheboygan Community Gardens.

Notes:

Sponsors: Tim Gruber Effective Date:

Attachments: 2nd Substitute Resolution 42079.pdf Enactment Number:

Author: Kay Rutledge, Parks Division Hearing Date:

# **Approval History**

Version Date Approver Action

## **History of Legislative File**

Ver-	Acting Body:	Date:	Action:	Sent To:	Due Date:	Return	Result:
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1 Parks Division 11/16/2016 Referred for

Introduction

Action Text: This Resolution was Referred for Introduction

Notes: Board of Park Commissioners, Board of Public Works, Madison Food Policy Council, Community Gardens

Committee

1 COMMON COUNCIL 11/22/2016 Refer BOARD OF PARK Pass

COMMISSIONERS

Action Text: A motion was made by Verveer, seconded by Rummel, to Refer to the BOARD OF PARK

COMMISSIONERS. The motion passed by voice vote/other.

Notes: Additional referrals to Board of Public Works, Madison Food Policy Council, Community Gardens Committee

1 BOARD OF PARK 11/22/2016 Referred BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS PUBLIC WORKS

Action Text: This Resolution was Referred to the BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS

Notes:

1 BOARD OF PARK 11/22/2016 Referred MADISON FOOD COMMISSIONERS POLICY COUNCIL

Action Text: This Resolution was Referred to the MADISON FOOD POLICY COUNCIL

Notes:

1 BOARD OF PARK 11/22/2016 Referred COMMUNITY COMMISSIONERS GARDENS

COMMITTEE (ended 12/2016)

Action Text: This Resolution was Referred to the COMMUNITY GARDENS COMMITTEE

Notes:

1 COMMUNITY GARDENS 12/06/2016

COMMITTEE (ended

12/2016)

**Action Text:** 

42344 – Reistad projected the evaluation matrix currently being utilized to implement Resolution 42079 – exploring additional garden space in the Hill Farms area. Suggestions from Sheboygan Garden representatives had not been incorporated because of a glitch in timing, but can be added to the analysis. Should add the "triangle" area of Rennebohm Park (at the corner of Eau Claire and Regent) since it's recently been cleared of ash trees, and provide separate analyses of four other areas including the Backstop Area, the Southeast Corner, the East Side, and the Drainage Area. The recently-adopted Hill Farms Neighborhood Plan should also be considered, since some of its recommendations would have (mostly negative) implications for some gardening sites, e.g. high rise buildings blocking sunlight.

Next steps will be managed by staff and the Food Policy Council. When the matrix has been completed, a meeting should be convened with staff and stakeholders to review the findings and recommend sites to be further analyzed through the City's "equity tool" with a goal of identifying location(s) suitable for planting in the spring of 2017. The Food Policy Council will also take responsibility for considering the larger issue of how to serve a growing community as development pressures increase on existing open space.

#### Text of Legislative File 42334

## **Fiscal Note**

No appropriation required.

## **Title**

BY TITLE ONLY: Accepting the staff report and its recommendations on University Hill Farms Gardening Space for Sheboygan Community Gardens.

# **Body**

Resolution to accept the report and its recommendations was introduced by title only at the 11/22/16 Common Council meeting.