CITY OF STOUGHTON, 207 S FORREST ST, STOUGHTON, WISCONSIN

RESOLUTION OF THE COMMON COUNCIL

The Common Council of the City of Stoughton hereby approves dissolving of the current Stoughton Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Task Force as it concludes its charge with approval and engagement of a Project Manager.

File Number: R--2023	**Date Introduced:**

Whereas, The City of Stoughton, Wisconsin Common Council approved a Special resolution condemning Racial Injustice and Hate and to strive for Racial Equity on June 9th, 2020

Whereas, Community Affairs Policy meetings were held including, Community Listening Sessions on Racial Equity in the Fall of 2020 and Summer of 2021.

Whereas, The Common Council approved the formation of a Diversity, Equity and Inclusion (DEI) Task Force on January 25, 2022

Whereas, The Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Task Force is charged with developing a Strategic Plan during 2022- 2023 including DEI events & opportunities and anticipate presenting the Strategic Plan to the City and Stoughton Community in Fall 2023

Whereas, the DEI Task Force has been developing the Strategic Plan and recognizes the need for professional assistance to complete the task

Whereas, the City of Stoughton Finance Committee recommends the CA/CP Committee contemplates dissolving the DEI Task Force, and recognizes the need for professional assistance to develop the Strategic Plan.

Therefore be it resolved by the Common Council of the City of Stoughton hereby approves dissolving of the current Stoughton Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Task Force as it concludes its charge with approval and engagement of a Project Manager. Former members of the Task Force, once dissolved, are encouraged (and needed) to engage in the on-going DEI work in our community.

Council Action: ☐ **Adopted** ☐ **Failed** **Vote** _____

Mayoral Action: ☐ **Accept** ☐ **Veto**

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Tim Swadley, Mayor Date

Council Action: _____ ☐ **Override** **Vote** _____