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Committee: Transit Commission	Date: 7/9/2020
Common Council Item Number: 20-0878	Date: 7/21/2020
Submitted By: Fred Abadi- Public Works	City Administrator Approval: Kevin Lahner, City Administrator
Finance Department Review: Diane G. Gard, Interim Finance Director DGG	City Attorney's Office Review: Brian Running, City Attorney
Subject: Approval of Proposed Service Change to Route 7 Effective Tuesday, September 8th, 2020	

Details:
 This item is to seek the approval of the following service change to Route 7 and supporting resolution modifying Route 7 effective Tuesday, September 8, 2020. This approval would also include proposed changes to the Route 7 bus stops.

Route 7 Proposed Change
 Inbound Direction (To the Transit Center)
 After leaving the Waukesha Memorial Hospital grounds, the bus would go west on Lawndale Ave to Fairview Ave., north on Fairview to Madison St. and then go east on Madison and resume current routing. This routing would take the bus off of Fairmont Ave. which is a very narrow street with parking on the west side of the street and have the bus operate on Fairview Ave. which is a much wider street which is much easier for the bus to operate on. This change would also affect the Route 7/8 which operates at night and weekends.

Proposed Bus Stop Changes
In addition to the change to Route 7, the following bus stop changes on Route 7 are proposed

Inbound
 Eliminate Fairmont Ave. @ Madison St. (bus would no longer operate to this stop)
 Add Fairview Ave. @ Madison St



Options & Alternatives:

The only viable alternative to the proposed would be to leave the service as is, however, the proposed change is to make it easier for the bus to operate in the area.

Financial Remarks:

The cost for making the adjustments is minimal and will come out of the Transit operating budget.

Executive Recommendation:

Recommend approval.