

DATE:

October 19, 2012

TO:

The Honorable Lee Holloway, Chairman. Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors

FROM:

Chris Abele, County Executive

SUBJECT: Appointment of Hector Colon

Pursuant to Sec. 59.17(2)(b) Wis. Stats, and subject to confirmation of your Honorable Body, I am pleased to appoint Mr. Hector Colon to the position of Director of Health and Human Services for Milwaukee County.

Mr. Colon has a strong background in human services, high-level government administration and broad leadership skills. As associate executive director at the United Community Center, Mr. Colon led staff of the Adult Day Center, Senior Center, Care Management and Housing programs. While working for Governor Doyle, Mr. Colon served the citizens of the State in several capacities and oversaw economic, workforce and regulation initiatives. He holds a master's degree in Occupational Therapy from University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee and certificates in Management and Leadership from Marquette University and University of Kentucky.

I am forwarding a copy of Mr. Colon's resume to you, and Mr. Colon will be setting up meetings with each of you individually to meet prior to his confirmation.

I am confident that Mr. Colon will bring the leadership and skills needed to Health and Human Services and I urge you to give this appointment your favorable consideration.

Sincerely,

Chris Abele

Milwaukee County Executive

Attachment

Cc: Supervisor Peggy Romo West, Chair -

Committee on Health and Human Needs

County Board of Supervisors

Terry Cooley, Chief of Staff, Board of Supervisors

Jennifer Collins, Research Analyst, Board of Supervisors

Jodi Mapp, Committee Clerk, Board of Supervisors

Hector Colon