



September 1, 2017

County Board of Supervisors, Milwaukee County
901 North 9th Street, #212
Milwaukee, WI 53233

Reference: Nicole Brookshire Recommendation for Office on African American Affairs

Dear Chairman Theodore Lipscomb:

I encourage the Milwaukee County Board to consider Nicole Brookshire as a candidate for the executive director role for the Milwaukee County Office on African American Affairs.

Nicole has a solid track record as a public servant working in several different capacities at the City of Milwaukee in program and grants management in addition to serving youth as Vice President of Operations for Junior Achievement.

Her educational attainment in addition to her personal life has all culminated into a person who has the training and personal insight to be an ambassador for the serious and ultimately profoundly complex issues affecting the black community in Milwaukee County. Specifically, Mrs. Brookshire's educational training in accounting and business management will be a valuable skill set.

Just as equally important if not more is her personal life having and raising a black family with her husband and three children in the County of Milwaukee. Such experience is invaluable and allows for a perspective that is not only diverse but important to the conversation when addressing the health and wealth gaps of Milwaukee County.

If you have any questions regarding this letter or my endorsement of Nicole Brookshire please feel free to reach out to me as I am happy to address any inquiries on behalf of this recommendation.

Regards,

Keith Stanley