

Theodore LIPSCOMB

Milwaukee County Board Chairman
County Supervisor, 1st District

November 28, 2017

The Honorable Scott Walker
State Capitol
Room 155 East
Madison, WI 53702

Dear Governor Walker:

As you continue to deliberate with respect to your appointments to the Task Force created by the 2017-19 biennial state budget concerning Department of Corrections Facilities, we respectfully submit Milwaukee County Chief Judge Maxine White as a candidate for representation on the Task Force.

Chief Judge White is an experienced leader who has provided thoughtful and steady leadership both statewide and within the Milwaukee County Circuit Court. Not only does she have a deep understanding of the adult correctional system's needs, she is well-versed in the critical needs facing the juvenile corrections system.

In Milwaukee County, Chief Judge White has proven to be an even-handed judge who has earned the reputation among litigants and attorneys appearing in her court as fair and impartial. It is in this same spirit, and with an open mind, that we know she will impart her service as a member of the Task Force.

We appreciate the gravity of the work the Task Force will be asked to perform and are certain Chief Judge White would offer important insights into the correctional system. For these reasons, we respectfully request that you consider appointing Chief Judge White to the Department of Corrections Facilities Task Force.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us at your convenience.

Sincerely,



Theodore Lipscomb Sr., Chairman
Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors



Mark D. O'Connell, Executive Director
Wisconsin Counties Association

CC: Chief Judge Maxine White

