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Date: August 21, 2020
To: Marcelia Nicholson, Chairwoman, Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors
From: David Crowley, County Executive
Subject: Appointment of Cassandra Libal to the position of Director of the Office of
Emergency Management

Pursuant to Wisconsin Statute Sec. 59.17(2), Milwaukee County General Ordinance 17.30(2) and subject to confirmation of your Honorable Body, I'm please to appoint Ms. Cassandra Libal to the position of director of the Office of Emergency Management for Milwaukee County.

Cassandra Libal currently serves as the deputy director of the Office of Emergency Management for Milwaukee County. She previously served more than 25 years with the Milwaukee Police Department, where she rose through the ranks, most recently serving as captain and commander of the Office of Community Outreach and Education. As a lieutenant of police, she served as the Crisis Intervention Team (CIT) coordinator, where she oversaw the Department's specialized training in officer's wellness, mental health awareness, and de-escalation. She also oversaw the Crisis Assessment Response Team and served as the Homeless Outreach Team coordinator. Ms. Libal holds an associate degree in police science and a bachelor's degree in organizational management. She has completed certificate coursework in supervisory management, human resource management, substance abuse, and mental health first aid. She has worked tirelessly to build positive relationships with community partners such as 100 Black Women Milwaukee, Milwaukee Downtown BID 21, and the National Alliance on Mental Illness Greater Milwaukee, all of which have formally recognized her hard work and dedication.

Ms. Libal comes recommended from the inaugural director of the Office of Emergency Management, Christine Westrich. Ms. Libal's 25-year career shows a stellar commitment to public service as well as public safety. I urge you to give this appointment your favorable consideration.

A copy of the resume of Ms. Libal, who resides in Milwaukee, is attached for your review.



David Crowley,
County Executive

Cc: Supervisor Anthony Staskunas, Judiciary, Safety, and General Services
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Cassandra Libal