



BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

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Milwaukee County Supervisor - 8th District

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To the Honorable Body of the Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors:

I write to you to submit my official statement of candidacy for First Vice Chairperson. I believe my background can be put to good use to serve the Board and Chair. I am an educator who has taught for 26 years at Milwaukee Area Technical College. I am an active member of American Federation of Teachers local 212, Peace Action WI, Citizen Action, WI Working Families, and the Democratic Party of Wisconsin. I am also active in my church, Nativity of the Lord Catholic Church in Cudahy.

Even before Act 10, as an educator, I have learned to make do with less. As an educator in the inner city, I have learned to work constructively with people of different backgrounds. I want to use these skills as first vice-chair. I have sat on the Judiciary Committee, Transportation Committee, and been Vice-Chair of the Parks, Energy, and Environment Committee. For the last two terms, I have served as the Board's Second Vice Chairperson. I consider my leadership style as consensus building. Although I sometimes have strong opinions, I listen to those with differing views, attempt to bridge our differences and work towards a solution that benefits the common good. I promise to work with all supervisors and hear your concerns and the concerns of your constituents.

As First Vice Chair, I want to ensure the Milwaukee County Board continues to be a model of good government that works for all citizens. I hope to build an environment that encourages trust, creativity, and teamwork. I would love to have your support for First Vice Chairperson.

Sincerely,

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