

Date:	June 24, 2024
To:	Marcelia Nicholson, Chairwoman, County Board of Supervisors
From:	David Crowley, County Executive
Subject:	Appointment of Scott Brown as Milwaukee County Corporation Council

Pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 59.17, and subject to your confirmation, I am pleased to appoint Mr. Scott Brown to the position of Corporation Counsel for Milwaukee County.

Mr. Brown has been an integral part of the Office of Corporation Counsel since 2018. He began his tenure as an Assistant Corporation Counsel, served as Deputy Corporation Counsel since 2021, and been Acting Corporation Counsel since March of this year. In these roles, he has demonstrated exemplary leadership and legal acumen, handling a broad variety of complex civil litigation matters. His advisory role to elected officials and county leaders on intricate legal issues has been invaluable. Additionally, Mr. Brown serves as the primary legal counsel for the County's contracting, procurement, and other transactional matters. While serving as Deputy City Attorney for the City of Milwaukee, he was the primary counsel to its health department during the COVID-19 crisis and successfully led the legal team defending the City of Milwaukee's Election Commission in litigation following the 2020 Presidential Election.

Mr. Brown also brings extensive experience from the private sector, where he handled multi-million-dollar complex business litigation and financial transactions. His career began with six years as a public defender in the City of Philadelphia, where he represented the city's indigent population in criminal trials. This experience highlights his commitment to social justice and public service.

Mr. Brown's diverse background and his proven track record in managing complex legal matters make him exceptionally qualified for the position of Corporation Counsel. I am confident that his dedication and expertise will greatly benefit Milwaukee County.

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I look forward to your support in confirming Mr. Scott Brown's appointment.

Sincerely,

David Crowley Milwaukee County Executive

cc: Supervisor Justin Bielinski, Chair, Judiciary, Law Enforcement, and General Services Committee

Kelly Bablitch, Chief of Staff, Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors

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