Date:

June 14, 2020

To:

Marcelia Nicholson, Chairwoman, Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors

From:

David Crowley, County Executive

Subject:

Reappointment of Robert Smith, PhD, to the Human Rights Commission

Subject to the confirmation of your Honorable Body, and pursuant to the provisions set forth in Milwaukee County Code of Ordinances 51.02. I am hereby reappointing Robert Smith to serve on the Milwaukee County Human Rights Commission. Mr. Smith is an associate professor of history and director of the Center for Urban Research, Teaching & Outreach at Marquette University. He also is the associate vice chancellor of Global Inclusion & Engagement at the University of Wisconsin Milwaukee. Mr. Smith currently serves as chairperson for the Human Rights Commission and speaks regularly on issues of race and equity and neighborhood justice. Mr. Smith has been a significant component to the Human Rights Commission.

I am pleased to submit this reappointment as outlined below:

Agency/Commission/

Milwaukee County Human Rights Commission

Council/Task Force:

Type:

Reappointment

Appointee:

Robert Smith

Role:

Citizen of Milwaukee County

Replacing:

Not Applicable

Previous Term Expiration:

February 4, 2020

Relative File No/s:

20-460 and 18-827

Current Term Expiration:

February 4, 2022

Code or Statute:

Milwaukee County Code of Ordinances 51.02

Hyperlink / Webpage:

Milwaukee County Code of Ordinances 51.02

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

Your consideration and confirmation will be appreciated.

David Crowley

Milwaukee County Executive

cc: Supervisor Supreme Moore Omokunde, Chair, Health & Human Needs

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

Janelle M. Jensen, Legislative Services Division Manager, Office of the County Clerk

Allyson Smith, Committee Coordinator

Robert Smith, PhD