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Milwaukee County

CHRIS ABELE COUNTY EXECUTIVE

DATE: May 2, 2012
TO: The Honorable Marina Dimitrijevic, Chairwoman, County Board of Supervisors
FROM: Chris Abele, County Executive
SUBJECT: **Appointment of Maria Ledger**

Pursuant to Wisconsin Statute Sec. 59.17(2), Milwaukee County General Ordinance 17.30(2) and subject to confirmation of your Honorable Body, I am pleased to reappoint Ms. Maria Ledger to the position of Director of the Department of Family Care for Milwaukee County.

Ms. Ledger has served as the Director of Milwaukee County Care Management since February 2006, both for the Department of Aging and starting in 2010, as Interim Director of the Department. From November 2003 to January 2006, Ms. Ledger served as the Associate Director of the Center on Age & Community (CAC) at the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee. Prior to joining UWM, Ms. Ledger worked for Milwaukee County for over 15 years, in various capacities, for both for the Department of Health and Human Services and the Department on Aging.

Ms. Ledger has a Bachelor's degree in Psychology from Marquette University and a Master's degree in Rehabilitation Counseling from Southern Illinois University - Carbondale.

I have every confidence that Ms. Ledger will bring to the Department of Family Care the leadership and vision needed for Milwaukee County. I urge you to give this appointment your favorable consideration.

Chris Abele
Milwaukee County Executive

Attachment

Cc: Supervisor Peggy Romo West, Chair, Health and Human Needs Committee
Kelly Bablitch, Chief of Staff, Board of Supervisors
Jennifer Collins, Research Analyst, Board of Supervisors
Jodi Mapp, Committee Clerk, Board of Supervisors
Maria Ledger