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Mr. LaNelle D. Ramey

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Hello Mary Jo,

Myself as Co-chair/Vice-Chairwoman, and members of Milwaukee Mental Health Task Force Steering Committe took the opportunity to review Mr. Ramey's resume online during our mothly meeting yesterday. As a group we were first surprised and then extremely concerned that there is no mention of consumer/family experience with Mental Illness or Substance Use or representing community mental health service providers.

These are requirements stated in ACT 203 for the individual filling this position on the Milwaukee County Mental Health Board. In addition the process was not followed by the County Executive in filling the position.

I realize there have been many inconsistencies as to filling vacated positions on the Milwaukee County Mental Health Board over the past seven years. I would like understand the qualifications of Mr. Ramey.

In addition I would like to work with the County Exectuive and his staff to get all MCMHB positions in alignment with Act 203. A consistent and equitable process contributes to a quality product which are the best selection of community members to serve on the MCMHB.

In service.

Mary Neubauer, MSW,CPS Vice-Chairwoman

9. An individual who is a consumer or family member representing community-based mental health service providers and who is suggested by the Milwaukee County executive. The Milwaukee County executive shall solicit suggestions from organizations including the Milwaukee Health Care Partnership, the Milwaukee Mental Health Task Force, and the Milwaukee Co-occurring Competency Cadre for consumers and family members representing community-based mental health service providers.