



OFFICE OF THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE

DAVID CROWLEY

MILWAUKEE COUNTY EXECUTIVE

Date: April 7, 2022
To: Marcelia Nicholson, Chairwoman, Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors
From: David Crowley, County Executive
Subject: Reappointment of Robert Smith, Ph.D., 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, Ph.D., to serve on the Milwaukee County Human Rights Commission. Dr. 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. Dr. Smith currently serves as chairperson for the Human Rights Commission and speaks regularly on issues of race and equity and neighborhood justice. He has been a significant component to the Human Rights Commission.

I am pleased to submit this reappointment as outlined below:

Board: Human Rights Commission
Type: Reappointment
Appointee: Robert Smith, Ph.D.
Role: Member, Citizen of Milwaukee County
Replacing: N/A
Relative File No/s: 18-827, 20-460, and 22-501
Term Expiration: February 24, 2024
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 Dr. Smith, who resides in Milwaukee, is attached for your review.

Your consideration and confirmation will be appreciated.



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cc: Supervisor Felesia Martin, Chair, Health Equity, Human Need and Strategic Planning
Kelly Bablitch, Chief of Staff, Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors
Janelle M. Jensen, Legislative Services Division Manager, Office of the County Clerk
Robert Smith, Ph.D.