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DAVID CROWLEY

MILWAUKEE COUNTY EXECUTIVE

Date: May 12, 2022

To: Marcelia Nicholson, Chairwoman, Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors

From: David Crowley, County Executive

Subject: Reappointment of Benjamin Thelen to the Emergency Medical Services Council

Subject to the confirmation of your Honorable Body, and pursuant to the provisions set forth in the Milwaukee County Code of General Ordinances Chapter 97, of the Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Council, I am hereby reappointing Benjamin Thelen, to serve on the EMS Council, filling the seat reserved for Wisconsin Hospital Association representative. Mr. Thelen is a Master's-prepared nurse with extensive emergency department experience. He currently is a program manager in the emergency department at Zablocki VA Medical Center. Mr. Thelen is a VA representative to Wisconsin Hospital Emergency Readiness Coalition – Region 7. He also is a clinical assistant instructor at Marquette University College of Nursing.

I have every confidence that Mr. Thelen will continue to provide the leadership needed for Milwaukee County.

I am pleased to submit this appointment as outlined below:

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| Council: | Emergency Medical Services Council |
| Type: | Reappointment, Wisconsin Hospital Association Representative |
| Appointee: | Benjamin Thelen |
| Role: | ED Program Manager, VA Medical Center |
| Replacing: | N/A |
| Previous Term Expiration: | January 29, 2022 |
| Relative File No/s: | 20-99 and 22-531 |
| Current Term Expiration: | January 29, 2024 |
| Code or Statute: | Sections 97.07(1), (3), (4), (5) and (6) |
| Hyperlink / Webpage: | <u>Section 97.07, County Code of General Ordinances</u> |



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A copy of the resume of Mr. Thelen, a resident of Fox Point, is attached for your review.

Your consideration and confirmation will be appreciated.

David Crowley
Milwaukee County Executive

cc: Supervisor Shawn Rolland, Chair, Health Equity, Human Needs and Strategic Planning
Committee
Cassandra Libal, Director, Office of Emergency Management
Kelly Bablitch, Chief of Staff, Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors
Kelsey A. Evans, Committee Coordinator
Benjamin Thelen