COUNTY OF MILWAUKEE INTEROFFICE COMMUNICATION

DATE: November 5, 2013

TO : Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors

FROM : County Board Chairwoman Marina Dimitrijevic

SUBJECT: Reappointment of Cheri G. Briscoe as Chair,

Milwaukee County Parks Advisory Commission



Pursuant to the provisions of Adopted County Board Resolution File No. 07-170, and subject to confirmation by this honorable body, I am pleased to reappoint Ms. Cheri Briscoe as Chair of the Milwaukee County Parks Advisory Commission for a term expiring August 1, 2015.

Ms. Briscoe will complete the remainder of the term of Attorney F. William Haberman whose term expired on August 1, 2012. I am pleased to make this announcement given Ms. Briscoe's past service and leadership on the Park Advisory Commission. We all appreciate the leadership that Ms. Briscoe provides for Milwaukee County Parks. She will continue her work on the Oak Leaf Discovery Tour Passport Committee on behalf of The Park People.

Ms. Briscoe brings a background in education, the environment, and public policy. She worked extensively with youth as a math and art teacher for Milwaukee Public Schools. She continues to educate youth as a volunteer the Urban Ecology Center. Ms. Briscoe chaired the Sierra Club's Great Waters Group in past years. She has led recycling efforts in many communities. She served as a county supervisor when she resided in Waukesha County before she came to call Milwaukee her home. Ms. Briscoe brings a great passion for our parks and offers innovative ideas to make the parks meaningful for all of our residents.

The Parks Advisory Commission provides policy and funding guidance to the County Board on issues such as budget, preservation and maintenance needs of the County parks. I look forward to seeing the continued results of the work of the Commission, and I urge you to support this reappointment of Ms. Briscoe.

Marina Dimitrijevic

Chairwoman,

Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors

cc: Cheri G. Briscoe

County Executive Chris Abele

Alexis Gassenhuber, Committee Clerk, Parks, Energy and Environment Committee Jessica Janz-McKnight, Analyst, Parks, Energy and Environment Committee John Dargle, Director, Department of Parks, Recreation and Culture

Cheri Briscoe, Chair, Parks Advisory Commission