COUNTY OF MILWAUKEE INTEROFFICE COMMUNICATION

DATE : July 25, 2014

TO : Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors

FROM : County Board Chairwoman Marina Dimitrijevic

SUBJECT: Reappointment of Keith Holt to 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 Mr. Keith Holt to the Milwaukee County Parks Advisory Commission, for a term expiring August 1, 2017.

Mr. Holt has been a leader on the City of Milwaukee Bicycle/Pedestrian Task Force and the Milwaukee County Trails Council. He is an ambassador and champion for improving cycling conditions and accessibility in our community.

For the last decade, Mr. Holt has demonstrated commitment to the advocacy of healthy lifestyles, using bicycles as his avenue for change. He recognizes the correlation between a strong Milwaukee County Parks system, favorable public health outcomes and community wellness.

Since 2010, Mr. Holt has served as Executive Director of Milwaukee Bicycle Works, an organization committed to providing access to bicycling and its benefits through creation of programs for children and adults. Mr. Holt currently serves as the Southeast Regional Director of the Wisconsin Bicycle Federation, which encourages the use of bicycles and the implementation of bicycle friendly communities that have urban trails and greenways.

Mr. Holt's experience and commitment has provided valuable contributions on the Parks Advisory Commission, which provides policy and funding guidance to the County Board on issues such as budget, preservation and maintenance needs of the our public Parks. I urge your support of this reappointment, and I look forward to seeing the continued results of the work of the Commission.

Marina Dimitrijevic

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Chairwoman, County Board of Supervisors

cc: Keith Holt

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