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Milwaukee County

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Date: December 24, 2019
To: Theodore Lipscomb, Sr., Chairman, Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors
From: Chris Abele, County Executive
Subject: Appointment of Benjamin Thelen to the Council on Emergency Medical Services

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 Council on Emergency Medical Services, I am hereby appointing Benjamin Thelen to serve on the Council on Emergency Medical Services. 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 military veteran who served in Operation Iraqi Freedom as a combat medic. After leaving the Army National Guard he became an EMT before going to school for nursing.

I am pleased to submit this appointment as outlined below:

Council:	Council on Emergency Medical Services
Type:	Appointment, Wisconsin Hospital Association Representative
Appointee:	Benjamin Thelen
Role:	ED Program Manager, VA Medical Center
Replacing:	Not Applicable
Previous Term Expiration:	Not Applicable
Relative File No/s:	20-99
Current Term Expiration:	January 29, 2022
Code or Statute:	Sections 97.07(1), (3), (4), (5) and (6)

Hyperlink / Webpage:

Section 97.07, County Code of General Ordinances

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

Your consideration and confirmation will be appreciated.



Chris Abele
Milwaukee County Executive

cc: Supervisor Supreme Moore Omokunde, Chair, Health and Human Needs Committee
Supervisor Deanna Alexander, Chair, Council on Emergency Medical Services
Christine Westrich, Director, Office of Emergency Management
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Benjamin Thelen, VA Medical Center