



Fire Department

**Aaron Lipski**  
Acting Chief

**David Votsis**  
Assistant Chief  
**Joshua Parish**  
Assistant Chief  
**Andrew Timm**  
Acting Assistant Chief

February 24, 2021

To the Honorable  
The Board of Fire and Police Commissioners  
200 East Wells Street, Room 706  
Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53202

Dear Commissioners:

I hereby promote and appoint, subject to your approval, and successful completion of a drug screening,  
24 – Tahj M. Lea

to the position of HEAVY EQUIPMENT OPERATOR in this department to fill an existing vacancy. The appointment becomes effective March 7, 2021. The name appears in the order indicated on the Eligible List for Heavy Equipment Operator as established by your Honorable Board on January 7, 2021.

Before advancing this member's name, the member was put through an internal vetting process wherein the member's entire record was reviewed, including disciplines, open and closed investigations, administrative matters, fitness, and history with the Fire and Police Commission. I certify that this member is in good standing with the department and suitable for promotion consistent with my statutory duties pursuant to Wis. Stat. §§ 62.50 (9) and (23).

Respectfully,  
  
AARON LIPSKI  
Acting Chief

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Enclosure  
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Approved by the BOARD OF FIRE AND POLICE COMMISSIONERS

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Executive Director

