Dear Honorable Members of the City of Milwaukee Common Council,

I am writing to support the appointment of Makda Fessahaye to serve as the Department of Employee Relations Director for the City of Milwaukee.

I have had the pleasure of knowing Makda for the last 13 years through her friendship with my daughter who attended Northwestern University at the same time. I have observed Makda's intellect and willingness to assist her respective community. Makda possesses the attitude and aptitude to push Milwaukee forward and foster great relationships on behalf of the City of Milwaukee. Makda's passion and knowledge of the city and its needs give her the unique qualities to serve the City of Milwaukee.

I am certain that Makda's is an excellent selection to serve the City of Milwaukee Department of Employee Relations.

Thank you in advance for your consideration. Please contact me if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

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