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May 22, 2026

Jeffrey B. Norman
Chief of Police

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The Board of
Fire & Police Commissioners
200 E. Wells Street, Room 706
Milwaukee, WI 53202

Dear Commissioners:

I hereby nominate and promote, subject to your approval, the following Captain of Police:

James F. Hutchinson

to the rank of Inspector of Police (Pay Range 4UX) to fill an existing vacancy in this Department, effective Sunday, June 7, 2026. This promotion is contingent upon successful completion of a drug screening.

This member was put through a timely internal vetting process wherein the member's entire record was reviewed, including disciplines, open and closed investigations, administrative matters (e.g., use of force reports, squad accidents, criminal investigations, citizen complaints), 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) & (23).

Sincerely,

JEFFREY B. NORMAN
CHIEF OF POLICE

JBN:em
C: Payroll Supervisor Santiago
F&P: 3/20/2026 (Feldmeier)

I hereby certify that the above agenda item has been approved by the Commission:

Executive Director

Date: _____