



Fire Department

July 28, 2020

**Mark Rohlfing**  
Chief

**John Schwengel**  
Assistant Chief  
**David Votsis**  
Assistant Chief  
**Aaron Lipski**  
Assistant Chief

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,

9 – Benjamin R. Baus

11 – John D. Zaworski

10 – Matthew D. Thundercloud

12 – John R. Dickinson

to the position of FIRE LIEUTENANT in this department to fill existing vacancies. The appointments become effective August 9, 2020. The names appear in the order indicated on the Eligible List for Fire Lieutenant as established by your Honorable Board on February 6, 2020.

Before advancing these members' names, the members were put through an internal vetting process wherein the members' entire records were reviewed, including disciplines, open and closed investigations, administrative matters, fitness, and history with the Fire and Police Commission. I certify that these members are 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,

*Mark Rohlfing*  
MARK ROHLFING  
Chief

MR/jlb  
Enclosures  
F&P: 6/10/20 (Kietzke, Holcomb, Sells), 7/22/20 (Jacobs)  
FPC(Sworn Promos)(Lieutenant)(Baus, Thundercloud, Zaworski, Dickinson) 0820

Approved by the BOARD OF FIRE AND POLICE COMMISSIONERS

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Chair

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Date 8/6/2020

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Executive Director

