



Fire Department

**Aaron Lipski**  
Chief

**Joshua Parish**  
Assistant Chief

**David Hensley**  
Assistant Chief

**Schuyler Belott**  
Assistant Chief

July 2, 2024

To the Honorable  
The Board of Fire and Police Commissioners  
200 East Wells Street, Room 705  
Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53202

Dear Commissioners:

I hereby appoint, subject to your approval, and the promotion of Robert Rehberger to Milwaukee Overdose Response Initiative [MORI] Supervisor,

Fire Lieutenant Gregory J. Barachy

to the position Fire Lieutenant (MORI Assistant). The appointment is being made to fill an existing vacancy, and becomes effective July 21, 2024. In support of my nomination of Lieutenant Barachy, his current résumé, personnel record, and "Request for Promotion without Competitive Exam" form are enclosed. (Although not a promotion, this is an exempt position, so this form has pertinent information to evaluate his suitability for the position.)

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).

This appointment is submitted to your Board under the provision of your Rule XI, Section 12 as an exempt position.

Respectfully,

**AARON LIPSKI**  
Chief

AL/jlb  
Enclosures  
F&P: 6/26/24 (Rehberger)  
FPC\Exempt Promos\Barachy MORI Asst 0724

Approved by the BOARD OF FIRE AND POLICE COMMISSIONERS

Date \_\_\_\_\_

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Executive Director

