



Fire Department

**Aaron Lipski**  
Chief

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Assistant Chief  
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Assistant Chief

February 23, 2023

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

Dear Commissioners:

I hereby nominate and promote, subject to your approval, and contingent on Finance and Personnel's approval,

911 Dispatcher Linda J. Burns

to the position of FIRE DISPATCHER - SENIOR in the Department of Emergency Communications, but still under our department's purview, to fill an existing vacancy, effective March 5, 2023. For your information, I have attached Ms. Burns' current résumé and personnel record.

This position is submitted to your Board under the provision of your Rule XI, Section 10. Ms. Burns was originally appointed to the department August 31, 2015, and has demonstrated that she is qualified to fill this position. Also attached are the "Request for Promotion without Competitive Examination" form in support of Ms. Burns, and the job description for Fire Dispatcher - Senior.

Respectfully,

AARON LIPSKI  
Chief

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Enclosures  
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Approved by the BOARD OF FIRE AND POLICE COMMISSIONERS

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Executive Director