

**Fire Department** 

Mark Rohlfing Chief

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

July 9, 2019 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, and contingent upon successful completion of a drug screening, Fire Captain Brian J. Gardner

to the position of BATTALION CHIEF, FIRE. The appointment is being made to fill an existing vacancy, and becomes effective July 28, 2019. In support of my nomination of Captain Gardner, his current résumé and personnel record are enclosed.

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).

Respectfully,

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

MR/||b|
Enclosures
FAP: 5/22/19 (Hegeman)
FPC/Exempt/Cardner BC 0719

Approved by the BOARD OF FIRE AND POLICE COMMISSIONERS

Chair

Date

Executive Director

