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Greetings PFC Members,

We write to support the application of Assistant Chief Steven Johnson to be the next Madison Police chief.

Assistant Chief Johnson has worked in law enforcement for the past 18 years. He began his career working on Milwaukee's west side, where he garnered a reputation for being a fair and community-minded officer.

Assistant Chief Johnson quickly rose through the ranks, promoting to police Sargent. As police Sargent, Assistant Chief Johnson was assigned to be a front-line supervisor in virtually every corner of the City of Milwaukee, including to the Technical Communication Division.

Assistant Chief Johnson also has solid command supervisory experience. He was a Lieutenant assigned to the Criminal Investigation Bureau (CIB): Sensitive Crimes Division (SCD), and a Captain of Police that took over command of his district of origin, District 3.

Currently, Assistant Chief Johnson is in the Office of the Chief of Police, serving as the Executive Officer of the Patrol Bureau.

We believe that Madison needs a Chief of police that has a fresh perspective and demonstrated ability to lead with compassion and dedication and commitment to our community. We believe that Chief Johnson has demonstrated that.

It is our earnest desire that you select and appoint Assistant Chief Johnson as our next City of Madison Police Chief as he is the best suited to lead the department.

Sincerely,

Rev. David A. Hart, President and **Kirbie G. Mack**, Vice President **Board Members:** Ray Allen, Tracey Caradine, Rev. Alex Gee, Kaleem Caire, Carola Gaines, Dr. Richard McGregory, Constance Miles, Theresa Sanders and Rev. Joseph Baring.