



COUNTY OF KENOSHA

OFFICE OF THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE

Samantha Kerkman, County Executive

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ADMINISTRATIVE PROPOSAL

COUNTY EXECUTIVE APPOINTMENT 2024-13

KENOSHA COUNTY LOCAL EMERGENCY PLANNING COMMITTEE

TO THE HONORABLE KENOSHA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS:

Placing special trust in the judgment and based upon the qualifications thereof, I hereby submit to the Honorable Kenosha County Board of Supervisors for its review and approval the name of

Joseph Potente
1010 56th Street
Kenosha, WI 53140

to serve a three-year term on the Kenosha County Local Emergency Planning Committee as a Social Media Representative, (Group 3) beginning immediately upon the confirmation of the County Board and continuing until the 1st day of May 2027 or until a successor is appointed by the County Executive and confirmed by the Kenosha County Board of Supervisors.

Mr. Potente will serve without pay. Mr. Potente will be succeeding himself.

Respectfully submitted this 20th day of February 2024.

Samantha Kerkman
Kenosha County Executive

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APPOINTMENT PROFILE
KENOSHA COUNTY COMMISSIONS, COMMITTEES & BOARDS

(Please type or print)

*Information marked with an * will be redacted before this form is publicly posted.*

Name: Joseph G. Potente
First Middle Initial (optional) Last

*Residence Address: [REDACTED]

Occupation: Kenosha County Communications Manager
Company Title

*Business Address: 1010 56th St., Kenosha, WI 53140

*Telephone Number: Residence [REDACTED] *Business [REDACTED]

*Daytime Telephone Number: [REDACTED]

*Email Address [REDACTED]

Name of the Commission, Committee or Board for which you are applying:

Personal Statement: Please indicate why you believe you would be a valuable addition to the Commission, Committee or Board for which you are applying. If more space is needed, please attach a separate sheet.

As a communications professional, I believe I have skills and expertise that benefit this committee, with respect to the effective dissemination of information to the public in times of emergency and otherwise. I have served on this committee since 2021 and would be pleased to continue.

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Additional Information:

I have served as a member and coordinator of Joint Information Centers (JICs) that were stood up when the Emergency Operations Center has been activated.

Nominee's Supervisory District: 16th

Special Interests: Indicate organizations or activities in which you have a special interest but may not have been actively involved.

N/A

Do you or have you done business with any part of Kenosha County Government in the past 5 years? Yes ☐ No ☒ If yes, please attach a detailed explanation.

Affiliations: List affiliations in all service groups, public service organizations, social or charitable groups, labor, business or professional organization, and indicate if it was a board or staff affiliation.

Kenosha Creative Space Inc., Board of Directors member, 2017-present

Kenosha Area Family and Aging Services Inc., Board of Directors member, 2023-present

Governmental Services: List services with any governmental unit.

Kenosha County Local Emergency Planning Committee member, 2021-present

Conflict Of Interest: It would be inappropriate for you, as a current or prospective appointee, to have a member of your immediate family directly involved with any action that may come under the inquiry or advice of the appointed board, commission, or committee. A committee member declared in conflict would be prohibited from voting on any motion where "direct involvement" had been declared and may result in embarrassment to you and/or Kenosha County.



Signature of Nominee

2/14/24

Date

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