

**Kenosha**



**County**

**BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**

**RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_**

Subject: Request to Approve the Appointment of Ellen Kupfer to the Kenosha County Library System Board.			
Original <input type="checkbox"/>	Original <input type="checkbox"/>	Original <input type="checkbox"/>	Resubmitted <input type="checkbox"/>
Date Submitted: January 17, 2017		Date Resubmitted:	
Submitted By: Finance & Administration Committee			
Fiscal Note Attached <input type="checkbox"/>		Legal Note Attached <input type="checkbox"/>	
Prepared By: Robert Riedl, Director Division of Personnel Services		Signature:	

WHEREAS, pursuant to County Executive Appointment 2016/17-32, the County Executive has appointed Ms. Ellen Kupfer to serve on the Kenosha County Library System Board; and

WHEREAS, the Finance & Administration Committee has reviewed the request of the County Executive for confirmation of his appointment of the above-named to serve on the Kenosha County Library System Board and is recommending to the County Board the approval of the appointment.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Kenosha County Board of Supervisors confirms the appointment of Ms. Ellen Kupfer to the Kenosha County Library System Board. Ms. Kupfer's appointment shall be effective immediately and continue until the 31<sup>st</sup> day of December 2019 or until a successor is appointed by the County Executive and confirmed by the Kenosha County Board of Supervisors. Ms. Kupfer will serve without pay. Ms. Kupfer will be succeeding herself.

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Approved by:

FINANCE/ADMINISTRATION  
COMMITTEE

	<u>Aye</u>	<u>No</u>	<u>Abstain</u>	<u>Excused</u>
<hr/> Terry Rose, Chairman	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<hr/> Ronald Frederick, Vice Chair	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<hr/> Jeffrey Gentz	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<hr/> Rick Dodge	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<hr/> Edward Kubicki	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<hr/> Daniel Esposito	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<hr/> Greg Retzlaff	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>



# COUNTY OF KENOSHA

## OFFICE OF THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE

Jim Kreuser, County Executive

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### APPOINTMENT 2016/17-32

#### RE: KENOSHA COUNTY LIBRARY SYSTEM BOARD

TO THE HONORABLE KENOSHA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS:

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

Ms. Ellen Kupfer  
3701 75<sup>th</sup> Street  
Kenosha, WI 53142

to serve on the Kenosha County Library System Board beginning immediately upon confirmation of the County Board and continuing until the 31<sup>st</sup> day of December, 2019 or until a successor is appointed by the County Executive and confirmed by the Kenosha County Board of Supervisors.

Since her last appointment, Ms. Kupfer has attended 15 of the 17 meetings held. Her 2 absences were excused.

Ms. Kupfer will serve without pay. Ms. Kupfer will be succeeding herself.

Respectfully submitted this 28<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2016.

Jim Kreuser  
Kenosha County Executive

COUNTY OF KENOSHA  
OFFICE OF THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE  
JIM KREUSER

**APPOINTMENT PROFILE**  
**KENOSHA COUNTY COMMISSIONS, COMMITTEES, & BOARDS**

(Please type or print)

Name: Ellen marie Rupfer  
First Middle Last

Residence Address: 3701 75 Street, Kenosha, WI 53142

Previous Address if above less than 5 years: \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation: First United Methodist Church Director of Christian Education  
Company Title

Business Address: 919-60 St Kenosha 53140

Telephone Number: Residence 262-496-7855 Business 262-658-3213

Daytime Telephone Number: 262 496 7855

Mailing Address Preference: Business ( ) Residence (X)

Email Address: Rupfer11e@aol.com

Do you or have you done business with any part of Kenosha County Government in the past 5 years? Yes ( ) No (X)

If yes, please attach a detailed document.

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.

See previous application - KEA, Democratic Party, AAUW etc

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

None at this time.

\*If more space is needed, please attach another sheet.

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Governmental Services: List services with any governmental unit.

See previous application. Currently serve on Kenosha Public Library Board, Kenosha County Library System Board, & Kenosha County Human Services

Additional Information: List any qualifications or expertise you possess that would benefit the Board, Committee, Commission, etc.

Active in various Kenosha activities, life-long resident, knowledge of policies, procedures & how to work as a member of a committee or board

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.

Ellen M. Kupper  
Signature of Nominee

11-16-16  
Date

Please Return To: Kenosha County Executive  
1010 - 56th Street  
Kenosha, WI 53140

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Appointed To: \_\_\_\_\_  
Commission/Committee/Board

Term: Beginning \_\_\_\_\_ Ending \_\_\_\_\_

Confirmed by the Kenosha County Board on: \_\_\_\_\_

New Appointment \_\_\_\_\_

Reappointment \_\_\_\_\_

Previous Terms: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

## **Ellen M. Kupfer**

3701 74965 Street, Kenosha, WI 53142

262--7855, [kupfer11e@aol.com](mailto:kupfer11e@aol.com)

### **Profile**

Organized, knowledgeable of community systems. Strengths are ability to communicate, knowledge base and ability to work with a wide range of people.

### **Experience**

#### **Career**

- Carthage College, adjunct professor of Social Work, 2010- 2013
- First United Methodist Church, Director of Religious Education and Youth Programs, 2010-current
- Kenosha Unified School Social worker, 1986-2010 (retired)
- St. Catherine Hospital, Social worker for psychiatric and dialysis units, 1984-86
- Developmental Disabilities Service Center, Social worker, 1980-84
- Brookside Care Center, Social worker, 1975-80

#### **Community Involvement**

- Kenosha City Library System Board, 2012- current
- Kenosha County Library System Board- 2014-current
- Kenosha County Gang Prevention Committee, chair, 2000-2012
- Kenosha County Gang Intervention Taskforce, co-founder, chair, 1988-2010
- NASW Racine-Kenosha branch steering committee, 2004- 2011
- Prevent Suicide Kenosha- 2006- current
- American Association of University Women, chair, 2004-06
- Kenosha County Democratic Party, chair, 2002-06
- Various other groups such as Cub Scouts, KASL, KASA

### **Education**

Masters in Social Work, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, 1982

Bachelors of Arts in Social Work, Carthage College, 1975