



# COUNTY OF KENOSHA

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## ADMINISTRATIVE PROPOSAL

### COUNTY EXECUTIVE APPOINTMENT 2021/22-25

**RE: KENOSHA COUNTY RACIAL & ETHNIC EQUITY COMMISSION**

TO THE HONORABLE KENOSHA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS:

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

Tyler Arentz  
Kenosha, WI 53140

to serve on the Kenosha County Racial and Ethnic Equity Commission beginning immediately upon confirmation of the County Board and continuing until the 31<sup>st</sup> day of December 2022 or until a successor is appointed by the County Executive and confirmed by the Kenosha County Board of Supervisors.

Tyler Arentz will serve without pay.

Tyler Arentz will be filling a vacancy on the Commission.

Respectfully submitted this 29<sup>th</sup> day of July 2021.

Jim Kreuser

Kenosha County Executive

COUNTY OF KENOSHA  
OFFICE OF THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE  
JIM KREUSER

**APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT TO  
KENOSHA COUNTY RACIAL AND ETHNIC EQUITY COMMISSION**

(Please type or print)

Name: Tyler Albert Crazyhorse Arentz  
First Middle Last

Residence Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Occupation: Kenosha Unified School District Varsity Cheerleading Coach  
Company Title

Business Address: 3600 52nd Street #2697, Kenosha, WI, 53144

Telephone Number: Residence \_\_\_\_\_ Business \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address Preference: Business ☐ Residence ☒

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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 document.

Applicant's race/ethnicity (Optional):

American Indian

*(Note: Per the County Board resolution creating the commission, the makeup of the commission should, at a minimum, reflect the diverse racial and ethnic makeup of Kenosha County as determined by the most recent census information with at all times five of the seven non-County Board commissioners representing racial and ethnic minorities in Kenosha County.)*

**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.

No affiliations at this time.

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

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

Volunteering over 300 plus hours between 2016-2019 for the Alzheimer's Association, Leukemia & Lymphoma Society, and the United Way. LGBT Resource Center of Southeastern Wisconsin. Autism Society of Southeastern Wisconsin.

Nominee's Supervisory District Ed Kubicki

**Governmental Services:** List services with any governmental unit.

None.

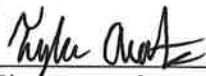
**Personal Statement:** Please indicate why you believe you would be a valuable addition to the Racial and Ethnic Equity Commission.

I moved to Kenosha, WI almost 7 years ago from Wisconsin Rapids, WI. A city in which has less than 20,000 people; a fifth of the city of Kenosha's population. I came from a city/county with not much young, ethnic, and diverse city officials or committee members. Kenosha is much different in many ways. Kenosha has a very diverse population in racial and ethnic backgrounds we need more representation to fulfill these voices. Coming from a Native American and Mexican background in culture and everyday values; I am one of those people. My representation on the Racial and Ethnic Equity Commission would be useful to reach out into the communities of not just my racial background, but others as well. As a county of almost 170,000 people we have many ethnic groups that do not have their race or culture being recognized to the fullest potential. More specifically, looking at the most recent census of Kenosha County on July 1st, 2019, Native American's only makeup 0.8% of the total Kenosha County population. These people deserve to have their voices heard. Now is the time for myself to step up and become the voice my two ethnic groups need. Not only will my voice and background help in race and ethnicity, but also as a member of the LGBTQ+ community. My role being a young openly gay Native man is helpful with how many people this committee will serve and represent. I truly believe being a young voice with two different backgrounds and representing all LGBTQ+ individuals, I can contribute many solutions to any problem(s) that the county of Kenosha might endure.

Thank you.

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**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

6/30/2021  
Date

Please return, **along with your resume**, to: Kenosha County Executive  
1010 – 56th Street  
Kenosha, WI 53140

(For Office Use Only)

Appointed To: Kenosha County Racial and Ethnic Equity Commission  
Commission/Committee/Board

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

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

New Appointment ☒

Reappointment ☐

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