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Kerkman statement on KABA President announcement

Kenosha County Executive Samantha Kerkman today released the following statement on the Kenosha Area Business Alliance's announcement of the hiring of Nicole Ryf as its new President:

"I had the opportunity to meet Nicole and found her to be a very dynamic leader with a great deal of experience. We will be well-served by having her lead KABA, and I'm looking forward to her getting started.

"As a county, we will continue looking for additional ways to partner with KABA, building on the successful groundwork that Todd Battle laid. I'd like to thank Chairman Jens Emerson and the KABA board for their leadership during the transition, and for their diligence in searching for the organization's new leader."

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