



COUNTY OF KENOSHA

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ADMINISTRATIVE PROPOSAL

COUNTY EXECUTIVE APPOINTMENT 2021/22-54

RE: KENOSHA COUNTY BOARD OF HEALTH

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

M. A. Olatoye Baiyewu
Kenosha, WI 53140

to serve on the Kenosha County Board of Health, beginning immediately upon confirmation of the County Board and continuing until the 4th day of February 2027, or until a successor is appointed by the County Executive and confirmed by the Kenosha County Board of Supervisors.

M. A. Olatoye Baiyewu will serve without pay.

M. A. Olatoye Baiyewu will be succeeding Sharmain Harris.

Respectfully submitted this 12th day of January 2022.

Jim Kreuser
Kenosha County Executive

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JIM KREUSER

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: M. A. Olatoye "Ola" Baiyewu
 First Middle Initial (optional) Last

*Residence Address: _____

Occupation: Racine Family YMCA Director, First Choice Pre-Apprenticeship
 Company Title

*Business Address: _____

*Telephone Number: Residence _____ *Business _____

*Daytime Telephone Number: _____

*Email Address: _____

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

Health Board

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.

This is a unique opportunity to bring my life long experience of serving this community that I call home. I have assisted underserved communities of both Kenosha and Racine in various capacities of bringing opportunities to them via workforce development, personal growth and civic engagement as an advocate for change. Albeit, in areas that impact the young and youth. In my previous life as an administrator of Kenosha branch of The Urban League of Racine & Kenosha in the 1990s, I instituted breakfast, lunch and dinner programs for these young people during Summer breaks. It was an eye opener to me that children would go without food and beg for bread on the streets of Kenosha. Where are the parents I would ask myself? Those were the days when Lincoln Neighborhood and its environs experienced shootings and such weekly. It is disheartening to me and other neighbors. Something had to be done and we tried to make growing up memorable for these young people. Since then, I have been involved in uplifting children through their parents. I sincerely believe that when parents know, their children ultimately benefit from knowledge gleaned by their parents in the public square. Many of these children and their parents continue to benefit from the little things we did. I have seen children grow up into young adults who thrive because somebody cared. I now see these people as adults 25 years later and they give thanks for having been in their lives. Kenosha can still do it through a participatory policy from elected officials and others. I want to bring my voice to help improve the health of our community especially the young and their parents,

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Additional Information:

I am soft spoken and rarely do I expect accolades or wanting to be in the limelight. I am more interested in service to the community.

Nominee's Supervisory District: 1

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

National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP), and Urban League of Racine & Kenosha, Inc.

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.

Hispanic Business Professionals - Board member; Wisconsin Women's Resource Center - Board member; African-American Leadership Round Table - Member, Mahogany Black Arts & Cultural Center - Board member, Kenosha Coalition for Dismantling Racism, Member.

Governmental Services: List services with any governmental unit.

None.

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.

MAOBaiyewu

Signature of Nominee

01/06/2022

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: _____
