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TO: Dane County Board of Supervisors
Interested Parties

FROM: County Board Chair Sharon Corrigan 

RE: Appointment of Melissa Ratcliff to District 36 Vacancy

On Tuesday September 5th, I held a public hearing in District 36 at the East District Campus Highway Garage to hear from applicants and take input from the public on the vacancy due to the resignation of Supervisor Danielle Williams.

Three well-qualified individuals applied for the appointment – Melissa Ratcliff, Kris Hampton, and Sarah Valencia.

While all three applicants have backgrounds that would serve them well as a member of the Dane County Board, I am appointing *Melissa Ratcliff* to fill the District 36 vacancy on the County Board.

Ratcliff has worked 18 years as a paralegal and has demonstrated a commitment to her community through public service experience including serving on the Cottage Grove Plan Commission, the Monona Grove School District Community Education, Communications & Government Relations Committee and the MG School District Wellness Committee.

I believe Melissa will be able to make a valuable contribution to the Board as we face the opportunities and challenges of the year ahead, and I ask for and encourage your support of her appointment.