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Hesselbein Congratulates Sheriff Barrett

MADISON – Today, Kalvin Barrett was sworn in as the new Dane County Sheriff. Barrett was appointed by Governor Tony Evers after Sheriff Dave Mahoney announced his retirement earlier this year. Representative Dianne Hesselbein (D-Middleton) attended the ceremony and released the following statement:

"I was happy to attend the swearing-in ceremony for our new Dane County Sheriff. As a former Dane County Supervisor, I know the important contributions our sheriff makes to public safety but also the relationships of trust that must be built with the community. I believe Sheriff Barrett is up to the challenge and will provide inclusive leadership for Dane County.

"I had the privilege of working with Sheriff Mahoney throughout my government service. Sheriff Mahoney exemplifies the thankless work our law enforcement professionals carry out every day. Sheriff Mahoney always went the extra mile to serve and protect his neighbors. I know Sheriff Barrett will continue to provide this level of quality service in the Sheriff's Office.

"Congratulations to Sheriff Barrett and I wish him the best of luck in this endeavor."

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