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MILWAUKEE TEENS INVITED TO APPLY FOR 280 SUMMER JOBS/INTERNSHIPS

\$400,000 County Board intergovernmental agreement provides summer jobs to MPS students

Milwaukee, WI – On Thursday, the Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors unanimously approved an intergovernmental agreement with the Milwaukee Public Schools (MPS) to accept \$400,000 for a summer jobs initiative for MPS students. “We’re pleased to help provide some real-world employment opportunities for teens this summer,” Chairman Lee Holloway said. “This agreement will provide 250 youth jobs that pay a minimum of \$6.70 per hour for MPS students. In addition, 30 internships paying a minimum of \$10 per hour will be available to City of Milwaukee residents aged 16-22 currently enrolled in a two or four-year degree granting institution, excluding seniors.”

“Gerard Randall has been a great asset in advising the County’s Task Force on Work Reform for Men,” said Supervisor Elizabeth Coggs, who sponsored the resolution to accept the MPS funding. “I thank Mr. Randall and MPS School Board Vice-President Dr. Michael Bonds for developing this cooperative agreement.”

“Summer jobs help keep these young people out of trouble,” Supervisor Toni M. Clark said. “These employment opportunities will help them develop a strong work ethic and set positive examples for others in their communities.” Supervisor Peggy West added, “This is a great program that received unanimous support from the County Board. We have been working to address the work force challenges to create meaningful employment and education opportunities in Milwaukee County.”

Applicants are encouraged to bring their social security card, birth certificate and proof of residency. The Milwaukee County Parks Department will accept applications **on a first come first served basis** at the following locations:

Wednesday, July 2nd and Thursday, July 3rd from 9:00 A.M. – 4:00 P.M.

Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Community Center
1531 W. Vliet Street

Kosciuszko Community Center
2201 S. 7th Street

Silver Spring Neighborhood Center
5460 N. 64th Street