

Ball Campaign: Over forty law enforcement professionals endorse Denita Ball for Sheriff

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MILWAUKEE, WI — The Chief Deputy of the Milwaukee County Sheriff's Office, Dr. Denita Ball, announced today that she has earned the endorsements of more than 40 current and former law enforcement professionals in her campaign for Sheriff, including five Chiefs of Police.

"Dr. Denita Ball has more than 35 years of experience as a law enforcement practitioner and criminal justice educator, a doctoral degree, and has been managing the operations of the Sheriff's Office for over three years," said Regina Howard, former Assistant Chief of the Milwaukee Police Department. "Her qualifications and dedication to improving the law enforcement profession clearly distinguish her as the best choice to lead the Milwaukee County Sheriff's Office."

"Denita Ball has dedicated her life to public service and served the Milwaukee Police Department for more than two decades," said Arthur Jones, former Chief of the Milwaukee Police Department. "Denita has proven her commitment to Milwaukee County and she has my wholehearted support to be our next Sheriff."

"I'm truly honored by the incredible level of support I've earned from so many colleagues in law enforcement," said Dr. Ball. "The coalition behind my campaign is growing every single day, because community leaders know that I have the experience, passion, and knowledge we need at the helm of the Sheriff's Office. I know that with this level of community support, we can make Milwaukee County a safer place to live, work, and thrive."

Law enforcement professionals endorsing Denita Ball today include:

William Jessup

Chief of Police
South Milwaukee Police Department

Arthur Jones

Chief of Police (Retired)
Milwaukee Police Department

Michael Brunson

Chief of Police (Retired)
Milwaukee Police Department

Kevin Porter

Chief of Police (Retired)
Village of Lannon Police Department

Susan Riseling

Chief of Police (Retired)
University of Wisconsin-Madison

Regina Howard

Assistant Chief (Retired)
Milwaukee Police Department

Brian Bridges

Assistant Chief (Retired)

University of Wisconsin-Madison

Charles Berard

Lieutenant (Retired)

Milwaukee Police Department

Dennis Drazkowski

Special Agent in Charge (Retired)

Department of Justice-Division of Criminal Investigation

Sheronda Grant

Captain of Police

Anthony Guajardo, PhD

Detective (Retired)

Milwaukee Police Department

Debra Hettrick

Assistant Chief (Retired)

UW- Madison Police Department

Louis Johnson

Detective (Retired)

Milwaukee Police Department

Lisa Joplin

Police Officer (Retired)

Milwaukee Police Department

Joenette Kelly-Kidd

Sergeant (Retired)

Milwaukee Police Department

Christine Koch

Police Officer (Retired)

Milwaukee Police Department

Mark Koch

Police Officer (Retired)

Milwaukee Police Department

Martinez Moore

Police Officer

Claudia Morris

Sergeant (Retired)

Milwaukee Police Department

Mark Peterson, Sr.

Detective (Retired)

Milwaukee Police Department

Cordell Ray

Captain (Retired)

Milwaukee Housing Authority

Darlene Jenkins Ray

Captain (Retired)

Milwaukee Police Department

Monica Ray

Assistant Chief (Retired)

Milwaukee Police Department

Roger Reinke

Assistant Chief (Retired)

Milwaukee Police Department

Dale T. Schunk

Assistant Chief (Retired)

Milwaukee Police Department

Joyce Johnson

Police Officer (Retired)

Milwaukee Police Department

Scott Siller

Police Officer (Retired)

Milwaukee Police Department

Caroline Knitter

Sergeant (Retired)

Milwaukee Police Department

William Smith

Detective (Retired)

Milwaukee Police Department

Crystal Green

Forensic Investigator

Pastor Phil Hanyard

Lieutenant (Retired)

Milwaukee Police Department

Warren McDuffie

Police Officer (Retired)

Milwaukee Police Department

P. Thomas Thadison

Police Officer (Retired)

Milwaukee Police Department

Gregory Thompson

Deputy Inspector (Retired)

Milwaukee Police Department

Yvette Washington

Detective (Retired)

Milwaukee Police Department

Rodney Washington

Lieutenant

Shunta Boston-Smith

Inspector (Retired)

Milwaukee Police Department

Greg Jonas

Police Officer (Retired)

Waukesha Police Department

Allen Lane, Sr.

Sergeant (Retired)

Milwaukee Police Department

Conrad Zvara

Sergeant (Retired)

Milwaukee Police Department

Howard Joplin

Police Officer (Retired)

Milwaukee Police Department