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## **Milwaukee Common Council President Chevy Johnson endorses Katie Kegel for Circuit Court**

MILWAUKEE — The campaign for Katie Kegel for Judge in Milwaukee County Circuit Court, Branch 3, today announced she has received the endorsement of Milwaukee Common Council President Cavalier “Chevy” Johnson.

“I am thrilled to support Katie Kegel for judge because we need widespread change that will build trust in our justice system,” said President Johnson. “Katie Kegel will spearhead that change. She sees the inherent worth and dignity in all of the people she serves, and I am confident she will work hard every single day to get it right.”

“It’s an honor to have President Johnson’s support, and I appreciate our shared commitment to significant reform in the criminal justice system,” said Kegel, who currently serves as an assistant state public defender. “Together, we can make our justice system more people-centered and humane, and ensure public safety at the same time.”

Kegel also announced nine judges endorsing her campaign last week. See her full list of endorsers [here](#).

The election is April 6, 2021.

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### **About Katie Kegel**

*Katie Kegel is respected as an advocate and skilled trial attorney. Since 2011, she has handled felony and misdemeanor cases as a staff attorney for the WI State Public Defender. Katie Kegel is active in a number of community and professional development groups including Milwaukee Forum, Emerge Wisconsin, Common Ground, the First Unitarian Society of Milwaukee, the Association of Women Lawyers, and the American Constitution Society.*

*Katie is a former Brewcity Bruiser roller derby skater, Ironman triathlete, and loves to swim in Lake Michigan with the Klode Kru. She is married to Noel Kegel, co-owner and president of Wheel & Sprocket.*