

March 8, 2021

Mayor Shawn Reilly City of Waukesha 201 Delafield Street Waukesha, WI 53188

**RE:** Committee Appointments

Dear Mayor Reilly:

Thank you for considering me for an appointment to the Board of Review, the Ethics Board, and the Board of Zoning Appeals.

By way of background, I have lived in Waukesha since the age of 4 when my parents moved here to allow my father to begin his career as an oral surgeon with Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery Associates (OMSA). I grew up within walking distance of Merrill Hills Country Club. I attended St. Mary's Catholic Grade School and graduated from Catholic Memorial High School in 1991.

Following high school, I attended the University of Wisconsin—Madison completing my undergraduate degrees in 1995. I graduated, cum laude, from the University of Wisconsin Law School in 1999 and have been in private practice in the City of Waukesha ever since.

I currently reside in the City of Waukesha near Waukesha North High School. Both of my children attended the Waukesha Public Schools—Meadowbrook Elementary, Waukesha STEM Academy (for middle school for my son) and Butler Middle School (daughter) and Waukesha North High School. My son graduated in 2020 and my daughter is a current Sophomore.

Both of my parents built successful business in Waukesha. My father as an oral surgeon and my mother in her own law practice—D'Angelo & Jones, now D'Angelo & Grabow—which I took over in approximately 2010.

I am attaching a current resume for your information.

My husband, Bradley Davies, also grew up in Waukesha and his family has long roots within the community.

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Waukesha is and always has been my home and I would be honored to give back in any way I can. If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,

Christine Davies D'Angelo cdangelo@dangelograbow.com

# Christine Davies D'Angelo

**EDUCATION:** 

May 1999

University of Wisconsin Law School

Juris Doctorate, Cum Laude

May 1995

University of Wisconsin-Madison

BA: Political Science

BA: French

**WORK EXPERIENCE:** 

Jan. 2017-Present:

Partner

D'Angelo & Grabow, LLP f/k/a D'Angelo & Jones, LLP.

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Jan. 2007-Jan. 2017: Partner (Managing Partner Jan. 2010-Jan. 2017)

D'Angelo & Jones, LLP.

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My practice focus shifted primarily to all aspects of family law: divorce, child custody and placement, child support, paternity and postjudgment

modifications.

May 1999- Dec. 2006: Associate Attorney

D'Angelo & Jones, LLP.

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My practice over the years focused on family law, plaintiff's personal

injury, criminal defense, juvenile law and creditor's rights.

May 1998-May 1999: Legal Intern

Waukesha County District Attorney's Office

I assisted the office in the prosecution of criminal cases at all different stages from the initial appearance through sentencing. I gained extremely

valuable and practical courtroom experience.

Feb. 1995-May 1998: Legal Assistant

D'Angelo & Jones, LLP

I assisted the partners in all aspects of litigation and law practice from answering the phones, to drafting demand letters to insurance adjustors, to

drafting pleadings and interrogatories.

# PROFESSIONAL & PERSONAL AFFILIATIONS:

State Bar of Wisconsin, Member 1999-Present

Waukesha County Bar Association, Member 1999-Present; Board of Directors 2007-

2014, President 2010-2011. Bench-Bar Committee 2011-2016

Milwaukee Bar Association; 2008-2012, 2014-Present

Wisconsin Justinian Society of Lawyers, Member, 1999-Present; Board of Directors

2004-Present, Secretary 2004-2011 and 2013-Present; President: 2011-2013

Collaborative Family Law Council of Wisconsin, Member 2010-Present, Board of

Directors, 2011-2020; Membership Committee Chair 2013-2017; Chair, 2018; Secretary 2019-2020

Collaborative Foundation of Wisconsin, Board of Directors, 2018-Present

Forward Performing Arts, Inc., Board of Directors, 2019-Present

Waukesha County Family Legal Clinic, Volunteer Lawyer 2009-2013

Tricia's Troops Cancer Connection, Event Planning Committee 2012-2016

Mental Health Association in Waukesha County, Board of Directors 2007-2011

Waukesha County Victim/Witness Assistance Center Volunteer; May 1995-Aug. 1996

# **CERTIFICATIONS/SPECIAL TRAINING:**

Certified Family Law Mediator: Received May, 2010 Training in Pro Se Divorce Mediation, May 2019

#### **ADMITTED TO PRACTICE:**

State of Wisconsin

United States District Court for the Western District of Wisconsin

United States District Court for the Eastern District of Wisconsin

### **HONORS:**

Chosen for inclusion in *Wisconsin Super Lawyers* in 2011 - 2020. *Top 25 Women Attorneys in Wisconsin*, 2013-2018 and *Rising Stars* 2006 - 2008 & 2010 Italian of the Year, Justinian Society of Lawyers 2009 M Magazine Leading Lawyers 2015 for Divorce

# PERSONAL INFORMATION:

Married to Bradley Davies since July, 1997 2 children: Alexander and Ashley

Updated 3/8/2021