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## Chairwoman

Finance and Audit

Combined Community Services Board

Vision for Vliet Task Force

Men of Color Task Force

## Milwaukee County Committees

Parks

Health and Human Needs

## Memberships

National Associations of Counties (NACo)

National Organization of Black County Officials

Milwaukee County Friends of Africa, Inc.

## Community Involvement

Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Back-to-School Festival Board, Founder

Greater Holy Temple Christian Academy Board

Abundant Life Ministry, Inc.

Holy Redeemer Institutional Church of God in Christ, Member



*Dear Friends,*

*I was honored to attend the 38th Annual Congressional Black Caucus Foundation Legislative Conference in Washington, D.C. last month. The series of events included a session called "The Class War in Black America," moderated by Eric Von of 1290 WMCS radio and the 2008 Dinner Gala, which included an appearance by Senator Barack Obama, who was presented with the Phoenix Award.*

*"This event was a great opportunity for local elected officials to grow and strengthen relationships with the African-American community across the country. I thank Congresswoman Moore for the invitation to attend these events, and for the gracious hospitality she extended to me, Chairman Holloway and the other Supervisors who attended."*



*(Pictured from left: Supervisors Johnny L. Thomas, Toni M. Clark, Elizabeth M. Coggs, Congresswoman Gwen Moore, Chairman Lee Holloway, and Supervisor Willie Johnson, Jr.)*

*In addition to meeting with Congresswoman Moore, Supervisor Coggs met with Waterman and Associates, which handles Milwaukee County's lobbying efforts in Washington, to discuss how to best position the County to benefit from future Federal budgets, especially considering Congressional efforts to*

*develop a federal bailout of financial institutions. I also discussed class and culture struggles with African-American leaders including Dr. Michael Dyson and Dr. George C. Fraser and met with Dr. James Peterson on hip-hop culture, CNN Correspondent Martin Roland and comedian Sheryl Underwood, President of the Zeta Phi Beta Sorority.*



Lobbyist from Waterman & Associates of Washington, D.C., Roy de la Rosa, Supervisors Willie Johnson, Toni Clark, Elizabeth Coggs, Chairman Holloway & Supervisor John Thomas



Supervisor Coggs, Supervisor John Thomas, Comedian Cheryl Underwood & Supervisor Toni Clark



Supervisor Coggs, CNN contributor Roland Martin, Supervisors Toni Clark & John Thomas



Dr. Joan Prince, Vivian King, Supervisor Coggs