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## **MILWAUKEE LEADERS COALESCE AROUND CAROLINE GÓMEZ-TOM**

*Six key elected and community leaders endorse Gomez-Tom to be next supervisor in District 14.*

MILWAUKEE — Caroline Gómez-Tom, candidate for Milwaukee County Board in District 14 in the May 2 special election, announced today she's been endorsed by Alderwoman JoCasta Zamarripa, State Rep. Sylvia Ortiz-Velez, State Rep. Christine Sinicki, Supervisor Juan Miguel Martínez, former Supervisor Jason Haas, and community leader Darryl Morin. Ortiz-Velez and Haas each previously represented portions of the current District 14 on the County Board.

"I am honored to be supported by these diverse community leaders," said Gómez-Tom. "They reflect the passion and energy of our community and I hope to be a strong partner to them all as a member of the Milwaukee County Board."

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*Caroline Gomez-Tom is president of the City of Milwaukee Board of Health and a professional health care advocate at Covering Wisconsin. She previously worked in community engagement for Sixteenth Street Community Health Centers.*

*As one of Wisconsin's foremost health leaders, Caroline also currently serves on the boards of the Milwaukee Latino Health Coalition (MLHC), Children's Health Alliance of Wisconsin (CHAW), Kids Forward, and the UW-Madison School of Social Work Board of Visitors. Caroline was previously honored as one of the "40 Under 40 Leaders in Minority Healthcare" by the National Minority Quality Forum*

*Born and raised in Racine, Caroline attended public schools, and holds bachelor's and master's degrees from UW-Madison. She, her husband Derek, and their two dogs, live in Milwaukee's Garden District. In her free time, Caroline sings with the Milwaukee Choristers and enjoys gardening, cooking, and supporting local restaurants.*