### Susan Emerson McCree



#### Education:

University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee School of Social Welfare MSW

University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee School of Social Welfare BSW

## Employment History:

State of Hawaii/DHS/CWS West Hawaii Child Welfare Services Unit Supervisor 1989-2013 retired 12/31/2013

State of Hawaii/DHS/CWS West Hawaii Child Welfare Services Social Worker IV 1985-1989

Wisconsin Correctional Service/
Milwaukee County Mental Health Center/
Outpatient Substance Abuse Clinics
social worker
1983-1985

Bread & Roses Women's Health Center Milwaukee, WI pregnancy, birth control, and abortion counselor 1980-1983

# Ongoing Training/Education:

Professional conferences and formal trainings in child welfare, mental health, and substance abuse-ongoing since 1983.

#### Statement of Interest:

After over 33 years of work as a professional social worker, I remain very interested in the field of mental health and am concerned about the impact of substance abuse in our communities. I experienced first hand during my over 28 years in Child Protection, the devastation of substance abuse and the dedication required to ensure recovery. I am aware of the resources available and what is lacking in our community.

Now that I am retired, I have the extra time to serve on a board in an area of my interest and expertise.