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Today, the Obama Administration announced the nomination of Kathy Greenlee to be U.S. Assistant Secretary for Aging. Greenlee currently serves as the Kansas Secretary for Aging, a cabinet-level agency responsible for the administration of Older Americans Act programs, distribution of Medicaid long-term care payments, and regulation of nursing home licensure and survey processes.

Greenlee previously led the Kansas Long-Term Care Ombudsman program, served as general counsel at the Kansas Insurance Department, and served as Chief of Staff to then-Governor of Kansas Kathleen Sebelius, who was recently confirmed by the Senate to lead the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

“We are thrilled about the nomination of Kathy Greenlee as the Assistant Secretary for Aging,” said n4a CEO Sandy Markwood. “Her knowledge and experience as the State Unit Director in Kansas and her great working relationships with Area Agencies on Aging and Title VI Native American aging programs will help the Aging Services Network advance its agenda to ensure that older Americans have the opportunity to age successfully and with dignity at home and in the community for as long as possible.”

To read more about Greenlee, visit: <http://www.n4a.org/advocacy/policy-news/?fa=view-article&id=335>.

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