

APPOINTMENT

Approving the appointment of M. Gayle Moss to serve as a Member of the Allegheny County Jail Oversight Board for a term to expire on December 31, 2009.

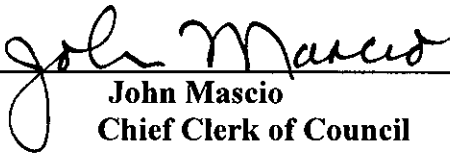
In Council February 20, 2007.

Read and approved by Motion of Council.



Rich Fitzgerald
President of Council

Attest:


John Mascio
Chief Clerk of Council

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County of Allegheny

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January 31, 2007

Honorable President and Members
Allegheny County Council
119 Courthouse
Pittsburgh, PA 15219

Dear Council Members:

Please find the attached resume of M. Gayle Moss, whom I am recommending for appointment to the Allegheny County Jail Oversight Board.

The Allegheny County Jail Oversight Board replaced the Prison Board. The Oversight Board is responsible for setting policy at the Allegheny County Jail, and also reviews all executive actions originating from the Jail. I am recommending Ms. Moss to serve a 3-year term ending on December 31, 2009.

Currently, Ms. Moss is serving her second term as the President of the Pittsburgh Branch of the NAACP. She has been a member of the Rodman Street Missionary Baptist Church for the past twenty-two years. She is also serving as director of Naomi's Place Transitional Housing, Inc., for the church. This organization provides temporary housing for single women and their children who are in transition and who have drug/alcohol addiction and mental health problems.

I appreciate your consideration, and ask you to act on this appointment as quickly as possible. Ms. Moss will make herself available for review before the appropriate committee if members of Council wish to speak with her.

Sincerely,

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Dan Onorato

CC: M. Gayle Moss

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M. Gayle Moss

M. Gayle Moss is a native of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. She retired from the University of Pittsburgh in 2001 after working in various positions for 33 years. Gayle spent the last five years working as a Program Developer in the Office of Student Activities, Student Affairs.

She is currently the director of Naomi's Place Transitional Housing, Inc. for the Rodman Street Missionary Baptist Church. Naomi's Place provides temporary housing for single women (and their children) who is in transition, and who have a dual diagnosis of drug addiction/alcohol addition and mental health problems.

For the last twenty-two years her church membership has been with the Rodman

Street Missionary Baptist Church. Gayle has been the recipient of many prestigious awards through the years. The most recent:

- **The Negro Women Business and Professional 2005 Woman Of The Year Award**
- **2005 completed the requirements for the City of Pittsburgh Bureau Of Police Citizens Police Academy**
- **The 2004 19th Black Extravaganza and Trailblazer Award**
- **She is on the Board of Directors of the Sickle Cell Society, Inc.**
- **The Advisory Board of the New Spiritan Division of Academic Programs for Duquesne University**
- **The Signature Events Committee for 250 Pittsburgh**

- **Completed the 2006-VII Federal Bureau Of Investigation (FBI) Citizens' Academy – graduated April 26, 2006**
- **2006 appointed by Mayor O'Connor, to the Pittsburgh Community Services, Inc. Board**
- **Recently included in the New Pittsburgh Courier in it's list of Pittsburgh's "Fifty Most Influential Women" of Pittsburgh**

Gayle is a life member of the NAACP. She was re-elected President of the Pittsburgh Branch for a second term on December 12, 2006.

Gayle Is the mother of two sons, the oldest Donald is now deceased, and Lawrence. The grandmother of five and the great-grandmother of eleven.

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February 9, 2007

M. Gayle Moss
2203 Wylie Avenue
Pittsburgh, PA 15219

Dear Mr. Moss:

This is to inform you that an Appointment Review Committee Meeting has been scheduled for **4:00 PM, Thursday, February 15, 2007** in Conference Room One, 119 County Courthouse.

Your presence has been requested to discuss your nomination for appointment to the Allegheny County Jail Oversight Board.

If you have any questions regarding this please contact me at 412-350-6495.

Sincerely,

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John Mascio
Chief Clerk
Allegheny County Council

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February 26, 2007

M. Gayle Moss
2203 Wylie Avenue
Pittsburgh, PA 15219

Dear Mr. Moss,

This is to inform you that at the Regular Meeting of Council held on February 20, 2007, Council approved your appointment to serve as a member to the Allegheny County Jail Oversight Board for a term to expire on December 31, 2009.

Congratulations on your appointment and best of luck in this undertaking. We look forward to receiving your recommendations and stand willing to assist you in any way you believe appropriate.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "John Mascio".

John Mascio
Chief Clerk
Allegheny County Council

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