

Bill No. 5072-09

## APPOINTMENT

Approving the appointment of Iftikhar Malik to serve as a member of the Minority Business Enterprise Advisory Committee for a term to expire on December 31, 2010.

In Council September 22, 2009.

Read and approved by Motion of Council.



Rich Fitzgerald  
President of Council

Attest:



Allegheny County Council



**DAN ONORATO**  
COUNTY EXECUTIVE

# COUNTY OF ALLEGHENY

5072-09

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August 20, 2009

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

Dear Council Members:

Please find the attached resume of Istikhar Malik, whom I am recommending for appointment to the Minority Business Enterprise Advisory Committee.

The purpose of this Committee is to recommend specific MBE goals for various types of procurement of goods or services. The committee will also monitor the County's MBE efforts on a quarterly basis. I am recommending that Mr. Malik serve an initial two year term, which will expire on December 31, 2010.

I appreciate your consideration of Mr. Malik and ask that you act on this appointment as quickly as possible. Mr. Malik will make himself available for review before the appropriate committee if members of Council wish to speak with him.

Sincerely,



Dan Onorato  
Allegheny County Executive

ALLEGHENY COUNTY COUNCIL

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**Iftikhar Malik** is a very successful businessman in the Pittsburgh area and he is the President and owner of Malik Enterprises & Malik Foods. Mr. Malik owns eight McDonalds Restaurants in the region including two at the Allegheny County Airport. Mr. Malik has also been involved in the rehab of a number of real estate projects.

Iftikhar came to Pittsburgh sixteen years ago from New Jersey where he worked for one of the suppliers of the McDonalds Restaurant Corporation. After many years of working for the supplier company he decided to take a chance as a business owner. After completing training a restaurant in East Liberty became available and although the restaurant had a number of issues he took a chance and after a number of years he was able to turn the business around making it profitable. His success was recognized by McDonalds Corporation and they offered in another location where he was also able to make the restaurant profitable.

Malik and his business is a part of a number of community activities and he supports community and charitable causes. One of his main community activities is his toy give away that he has been doing for almost ten years. Iftikhar has said many times "that if you are in the community than you should be a part of the community".

Iftikhar came to this country from his native Pakistan. He has been in this country for more than thirty years. Iftikhar is a trained engineer and lives with his wife and four children.



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September 2, 2009

Mr. Iftikhar Malik, President and Owner  
Malik Enterprises and Malik Foods  
McDonald's  
1630 Penn Ave.  
Pittsburgh, PA 15222

Dear Mr. Malik,

This is to inform you that two Appointment Review Committee Meetings have been scheduled for **4:00 PM, Wednesday, September 9, 2009** and **4:00 PM, Wednesday, September 16, 2009** in Conference Room One, 119 County Courthouse.

Your presence is requested at either of the meetings to discuss before the committee your nomination by the Chief Executive for appointment/reappointment to the Minority Business Enterprise Advisory Committee.

Please be advised that failure to attend either meeting will result in the withdrawal of your appointment and possible resubmission by the Chief Executive at a later date.

Please contact Fomeeka Bey Darwin at 412-350-4303 to inform her of which meeting you will be able to attend.

Sincerely,

John DeFazio, Chairman, Appointment Review Committee  
Allegheny County Council



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October 1, 2009

Mr. Iftikhar Malik, President and Owner  
Malik Enterprises and Malik Foods  
McDonald's  
1630 Penn Ave.  
Pittsburgh, PA 15222

Dear Mr. Malik,

This is to inform you that at the Regular Meeting of Allegheny County Council held on September 22, 2009, Council approved your appointment to serve as a member of the Minority Business Enterprise Advisory Committee for a term to expire on December 31, 2010.

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,

John DeFazio, Chairman, Appointment Review Committee  
Allegheny County Council

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