

Bill No. 3169-07

APPOINTMENT

Approving the appointment of Suzanne Broughton to serve as a member of Allegheny County Citizens' Election System Advisory Panel for a term to expire on December 31, 2007.

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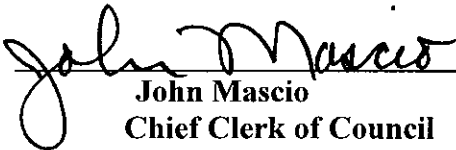
In Council June 5, 2007.

Received and filed.



Rich Fitzgerald
President of Council

Attest:



John Mascio
Chief Clerk of Council

Biography of Suzanne Broughton

Suzanne Broughton is the president of the League of Women Voters of Greater Pittsburgh. The League is an organization that was formed in 1920 by the leaders of the women's suffrage movement that resulted in granting women the right to vote. The League has a long history of providing voters with unbiased information and monitoring the conduct of elections. Ms. Broughton has also served as Vice President of the League of Women Voters of Pennsylvania, the League's statewide organization, and has worked on League projects aimed at providing information for voters online.

Ms. Broughton has previously served on and chaired two committees formed to advise elected officials: the Environmental Advisory Council (EAC) to the Franklin Park Borough Council (1997-2002) and the Community Advisory Committee to North Allegheny School Board (1976-1980). She also serves on the boards of the North Area Environmental Council and the Pittsburgh Interfaith Impact Network.

Over a 21-year period from 1977 to 1998, Ms. Broughton wrote and edited technical manuals and marketing literature for computer software for three companies: On-Line Systems, Inc., Tartan Inc., and Texas Instruments. She gained considerable experience in communicating with computer software developers, sales people and customers.

Ms. Broughton holds the degrees of A.B. from Bryn Mawr College and M.A. in Physics from Brandeis University. She has taught at Dickenson College, Point Park College (now University), and briefly at Duquesne University School of Law to help present the Environmental Law course developed by her late husband, Robert Broughton, after his unexpected death in 1977. She has done research at AVCO-Everett Laboratories, Boston, MA, and AMP, Inc., Harrisburg, PA. She has served as conference director for both a statewide conference on floodplain management and an international conference of SIGAda, the Association for Computing Machinery's Special Interest Group on the Ada programming language.

Ms. Broughton has resided in Allegheny County since 1967. She has two daughters and two granddaughters.



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June 12, 2007

Suzanne Broughton
2377 Jenkinson Avenue
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Dear Ms. Broughton:

This is to inform you that at the Regular Meeting of Council held on June 5, 2007, Council approved your appointment to serve as a member to the Allegheny County Citizens' Election Systems Advisory Panel for a term to expire on December 31, 2007.

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 cursive script that reads "John Mascio".

John Mascio
Chief Clerk
Allegheny County Council

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