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APPOINTMENT

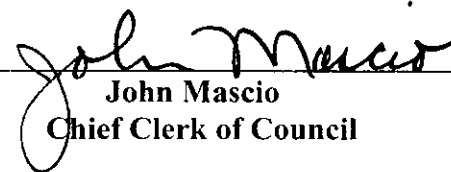
Approving the reappointment of Charles L. Desmone to serve as a member of the Plumbing Advisory Board for a term to expire on December 31, 2010.

In Council September 23, 2008.

Read and approved by Motion of Council.



Rich Fitzgerald
President of Council

Attest: 

John Mascio
Chief Clerk of Council



DAN ONORATO
COUNTY EXECUTIVE

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August 14, 2008

ALLEGHENY COUNTY COUNCIL

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

Dear Council Members:

Please find the attached resume of Charles L. Desemone, whom I am recommending for reappointment to the Plumbing Advisory Board.

The Plumbing Advisory Board was established by Article XV, Plumbing, Rules and Regulations of the Allegheny County Health Dept. This Board shall strive continually to prevent public health hazards through improper plumbing installations and promote sound plumbing practices. I am recommending that Mr. Desemone serve another 3 year term, which will expire on December 31, 2010.

Mr. Desemone is currently the Architectural representative on the Plumbing Advisory Board. Mr. Desemone began his architectural career in 1958 working for his uncle. Since that time, he has been the leader of Desemone and Associates. Mr. Desemone graduated from Penn State University, and has continued his education at Tufts University, the University of Pittsburgh, Harvard University and Carnegie Mellon University.

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

Sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Dan Onorato", with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

Dan Onorato
Allegheny County Executive

CHARLES L. "LUKE" DESMONE, AIA

PRINCIPAL

SUMMARY

Charles L. "Luke" Desmone began his architectural career working for his uncle, John Desmone, in 1958. Since that time, Luke has been the constant steady, guiding force behind the success of Desmone and Associates. His enthusiasm for architecture and his desire to "collaborate" with clients make him an exemplary leader in the industry. Along with his responsibilities as principal of the firm Luke especially enjoys a wide array of leadership responsibilities, including maintaining the enthusiasm of firm members. A graduate of Penn State University, Luke has continued his education at Tufts University, the University of Pittsburgh, Harvard University and Carnegie Mellon University, where he is frequently invited to serve as a design juror.

EDUCATION

The Pennsylvania State University B.S. Architecture/Engineering - 1959
Additional Studies: Harvard University, Tufts University, Carnegie Mellon University, University of Pittsburgh

REGISTRATION

Pennsylvania

AWARDS/PUBLICATIONS

- **The Johnson Memorial Chapel, Thiel College**
Merit Award / Pittsburgh Chapter of the American Institute of Architects
- **Armstrong County Small Business Incubator**
Merit Award / Pittsburgh Chapter of The American Institute of Architects
Merit Award for Excellence / The Pennsylvania Society of Architects of The American Institute of Architects
- **Pittsburgh Child Care Institute**
Citation for Design Excellence / The Pittsburgh Chapter of The American Institute of Architects
Honorable Mention for Excellence in Architectural Design / The Pennsylvania Society of Architects of The American Institute of Architects
- **The Pennsylvania Bank Building Renovation**
Honor Award for Design Excellence / Pittsburgh Chapter of The American Institute of Architects
Preservation Award / The City of Pittsburgh & The Historic Review Commission
- **R.I.D.C. Keystone Commons Portal 6 Entrance**
Citation for Design Excellence / The Pittsburgh Chapter of The American Institute of Architects

AFFILIATIONS

AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS/PGH CHAPTER	MEMBER/PAST PRESIDENT - CURRENT
AMERICAN ARBITRATION ASSOCIATION	BOARD MEMBER
ALLEGHENY COUNTY PLUMBING ADVISORY BOARD	BOARD MEMBER - CURRENT
LOUISE CHILD CARE	BOARD MEMBER
RACHEL CARSON HOMESTEAD ASSOCIATION	BOARD MEMBER
PARENTAL STRESS CENTER	BOARD MEMBER - CURRENT
PITTSBURGH FILMMAKERS/	
PGH CENTER FOR THE ARTS	JOINT BOARD MEMBER - CURRENT



PROJECT EXPERIENCE

RELIGIOUS FACILITIES

Saints John & Paul Parish / Wexford, PA
Faith United Methodist Church / Fox Chapel, PA
St. Barbara Catholic Church / Harrison City, PA
Holy Trinity Church / Ligonier, PA
Christ Church of Grove Farm / Sewickley, PA
New Community Church / Wexford, PA
Johnson Chapel at Thiel College / Greenville, PA

EDUCATIONAL

Eisland Hall - West Virginia University / Morgantown, PA
Pittsburgh Child Care Institute / Pittsburgh, PA
Thurgood Marshall Charter School / Pittsburgh, PA
Greensburg Central Catholic High School / Greensburg, PA
Eden Upper School / Pittsburgh, PA
Christ the Divine Teacher School / Latrobe, PA
Eastern Area Special Schools / Pittsburgh, PA
Bedford Dwellings Daycare / Pittsburgh, PA
Good Start Childcare / Pittsburgh, PA
Mom's House Childcare / Pittsburgh, PA
Colfax Elementary School / Pittsburgh, PA

RESTAURANTS

Poli's Restaurant / Pittsburgh, PA
Hotlicks Restaurant / Pittsburgh, PA
Lemont / Mt Washington, PA
Club Baja / Pittsburgh, PA
Pasta Piatto / Pittsburgh, PA

RETAIL

Levin Furniture Store / Three Western PA Locations
Emphatics / One Oxford Center / Pittsburgh, PA
Don Allen Mazda / Pittsburgh, PA
Basic Image / Pittsburgh, PA
Klaxon's Ice Cream / Pittsburgh, PA
Oakmont Station / Oakmont, PA
Roomful Express / Pittsburgh, PA

COMMERCIAL

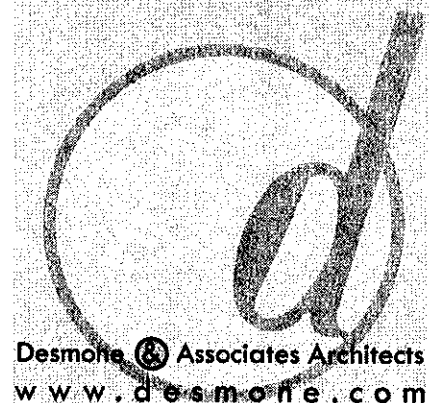
Pittsburgh Automobile Trade Association / Pittsburgh, PA

INSTITUTIONAL/MUNICIPAL

West End Elliot Overlook Park / Pittsburgh, PA

RESIDENTIAL

Sellers-Carnahan Residence / Shadyside, PA
McCrary Residence / Pittsburgh, PA
Wyckoff Residence / Sewickley Heights, PA
Oliver House / Pittsburgh, PA
H.R. Edelman III Residence / Pittsburgh, PA
A.T. McLaughlin Residence / Pittsburgh, PA
Siciliano Residence / Pittsburgh, PA



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August 26, 2008

Charles L. Desmone
3400 Butler Street
Pittsburgh, PA 15201

Dear Mr. Desmone:

This is to inform you that an Appointment Review Committee Meeting has been scheduled for **4:00 PM, Thursday, September 11, 2008** in Conference Room One, 119 County Courthouse.

Your presence has been requested to discuss your nomination for reappointment to the Plumbing Advisory Board.

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "John Mascio".

John Mascio
Chief Clerk
Allegheny County Council

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