

Bill No. 4221-08

APPOINTMENT

Approving the appointment of R. Lindsay Hargrove to serve as a member of the Drug and Alcohol Planning Council of Allegheny County for a term to expire on December 31, 2010.

In Council September 23, 2008.

Read and approved by Motion of Council.

Rich Fitzgerald
Rich Fitzgerald
President of Council

Attest:

John Mascio
John Mascio
Chief Clerk of Council



DAN ONORATO
COUNTY EXECUTIVE

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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 R. Lindsay Hargrove, whom I am recommending for appointment to the Drug and Alcohol Planning Council of Allegheny County.

The Council's purpose is to aid and assist, as the statutory and County Executive's approved citizen body, the County Executive and the Allegheny County DHS Director in the planning, development and implementation of the provision of services for individuals with addiction problems who are residents of Allegheny County. I am recommending that Mr. Hargrove serve a three year term, ending on December 31, 2010.

Mr. Hargrove is currently a State Forensic Support Specialist with CROMISA (Community Reintegration for Offenders with Mental Illness and Substance Abuse), where he works with mentally ill, chemically dependent offenders.

I appreciate your consideration, and ask you to act on this appointment as quickly as possible. Mr. Hargrove 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

R. Lindsay Hargrove

OBJECTIVE:	To aid and assist children and families in the prevention of crime and substance abuse.
EXPERIENCE: 12/2003 –	CROMISA (Community Reintegration for Offenders with Mental Illness and Substance Abuse) Allegheny County Forensic Programs, Pittsburgh, PA <i>State Forensic Support Specialist</i> Duties: Provides services for mentally ill, chemically dependant, state/county offenders, which may include accompanying a consumer in the community and assisting with activities of daily living.
7/2003 – 12/2003	Strength, Inc. (Community Re-integration Program), Pittsburgh, PA <i>Program Developer/Legal Advocate</i> Duties: Mediate with the criminal justice and judicial system to assist incarcerated drug addicted offenders in accessing the appropriate level of post release supervision.
7/2002 – 7/2003	Strength, Inc. (Certain Futures), Pittsburgh, PA <i>Program Developer/Administrative Case Manager</i> Duties: Public relations, outreach/advocacy, intake and assessment, counseling, treatment planning, life skills instruction for Pittsburgh's homeless community.
8/2001 – 6/2002	Renewal, Inc., Pittsburgh, PA <i>Motivational Speaker, Drug/Alcohol Counselor</i> Duties: Guidance counseling to convicted offenders recently paroled from federal and state correctional institutions. Liaisons with parole officers, judges, wardens, district attorneys, etc.
4/1998 – 8/2001	Allegheny Co. Drug and Alcohol Programs (Act 152), Pittsburgh, PA <i>Administrative Case Manager (Criminal Justice System)</i> Duties: Intake/assessment, level of care determination, and proper placement of clients with substance abuse problems. Assignments included working closely with rehabilitation treatment centers, county jails, courts, probation and parole.
6/1995 – 4/1998	Salvation Army Public Inebriate Program, Pittsburgh, PA <i>Relapse Prevention Specialist—Detoxification Center</i> Duties: Consultation, assessment, and evaluation of drug and/or alcohol abuse, crisis intervention, individual and group counseling, information and referral, treatment planning, 12-step meeting facilitation, supportive housing case management.
SKILLS:	Motivational and Public Speaking (Prisons, Rehabs, Churches and Conventions) Presentations and workshops made to the homeless, troubled youth, criminal offenders, substance abusers, their families, and agency staff. (25 – 300 people)
	Counseling/Mentoring Conducted individual and group (5 – 50 clients) sessions with the homeless, troubled youth, criminal offenders, substance abusers, health care patients, and families of alcoholics.
EDUCATION:	Slippery Rock University, Slippery Rock, PA B.A., Social Work 1969 – 1974
REFERENCES:	Available upon request.



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August 26, 2008

Robert Lindsay Hargrove
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McKees Rocks, PA 15136

Dear Mr. Hargrove:

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 appointment to the Drug and Alcohol Planning of Allegheny County.

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

Sincerely,

John Mascio
Chief Clerk
Allegheny County Council

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