

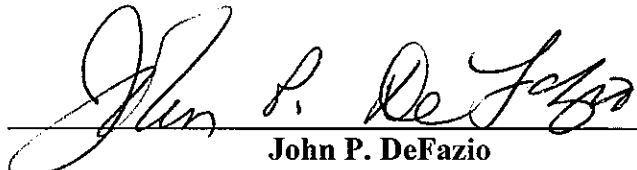
APPOINTMENT

Approving the reappointment of Joe Catanese to serve as a member of the Council of Friends Organization (Deer Lakes Park) for a term to expire on May 21, 2016.

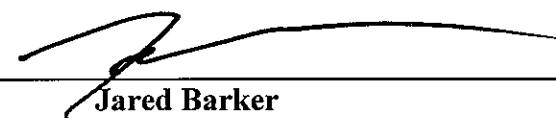
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In Council MAY 21st , 2014.

Read and approved by Motion of Council.



John P. DeFazio
President of Council

Attest: 

Jared Barker
Chief Clerk
Allegheny County Council



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Nomination for Reappointment

Friends of the Parks Nomination Form

Council Member Ed Kress

Nominee: Joe Catanese

Address: 1007 Ashley Road Gibsonia, PA 15044

Phone: 724-265-4794 Email: joe.catanese@alleghenycounty.us

This nominee shall be a member of the Council of Friends of Deer Lakes Park. He/She is representative of:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | Labor | <input type="checkbox"/> | Disability Community |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Education | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Sports & Athletic Programs |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Environmental Advocates | <input type="checkbox"/> | Landscape Architecture |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Historic Preservation | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Other (please specify) |
| | | <input type="checkbox"/> | Local Government |

Edward J Kress

Council Member Signature: _____

Date: 5/15/14



Joe Catanese

**Director of Constituent Services
and Government Relations**

**Phone:
412-350-6492**

Joe Catanese has been employed by the County of Allegheny for over 33 years and currently holds the title of Director of Government Relations and Constituent Services for the Allegheny County Council to provide the service necessary to the resident of Allegheny County for the fifteen (15) Allegheny County Council Members and also works closely with other elected Federal, State and local officials. Joe starting his career with Allegheny County in the Department of Economic Development as a Municipal Services Representative and working in all facets of the department (housing, administration, sewer & water, special projects, vector and camera program, and the Municipal Tour Program) established by the County Commissioners. Upon leaving the Department of Economic Development Joe was moved to work in a newly created department Management & Productivity working with all departments on budget and strategic planning, recycling, fleet management and various other projects before moving to the Department of Administration/Commissioners Offices to assist with Special Projects (Jail, Airport) and all aspects of government activities such as attending Municipal, COG and other special meetings for the County Commissioners or Department Directors and meeting with residents and business leaders to discuss concerns or ideas they might have. Joe also assisted in the development of the County Commissioners Professional Intern Program that provided top of the class interns in county departments with a clear Goal and Objective and Developmental

Sessions designed by CCAC etc. This was one of the best programs developed by the county for our young college adults.

Throughout his career Joe has always had the best interest of the residents of Allegheny County and the Directors first and foremost in his heart and is continuing that level of work with the Allegheny County Council. Joe also earned his Act 120 (Municipal Police Officers Training) and served in many capacities in the law enforcement field and served on the LEPC Board for the county and provided his experience as needed.

Joe also serves or has served on numerous boards and commissions in his community and represents the County Council at various meetings. Joe represents the Council on the Jail Oversight Board, Property Assessment meetings, Fire Vest Program Coordination to name a few. In his community Joe has served on the Deer Creek Drainage Basin authority, Deer Lakes School Board and many athletic programs.

Joe also Received the First Distinguished Alumni award presented by the Deer Lakes School District, and the Tony Nataro Award for Achievements as a referee and his work with helping other officials.

Joe is also an officer in the PIAA and WPIAL as Secretary of the Iron City Football Chapter and had the honor of Officiating Two (2) State Football Finals as well as various playoff assignments in football and baseball.

Joe graduated from Deer Lakes High School and Geneva College with a degree in Business Administration and Criminology.

Joe is married (37 years) and has two (2) children Ashley and Joey and lives in West Deer Twp.





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May 22, 2014

Mr. Joe Catanese
1007 Ashley Road
Gibsonia, PA 15044

Dear Mr. Catanese:

This letter is to inform you that at the Regular Meeting of Allegheny County Council held on May 21, 2014 Council approved your reappointment to serve as a member of the Council of Friends to Deer Lakes Park for a term to expire on May 21, 2016.

We congratulate you on your reappointment and wish you the 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,

Edward J. Kress
District 3 Representative

cc: Andy Baechle, Director, Allegheny County Parks Department

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