Bill No. 1466-04

APPOINTMENT

Approving the appointment of Albert B. Ciuksza, Jr. to serve as a member of the Drug and Alcohol Planning Council for a term to expire three (3) years after his prospective confirmation.

In Council April 20, 2004.

Read and approved by Motion of Council.

President of Council

Chief Clerk of Council

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE



County of Allegheny

1466-04

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March 11, 2004

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

Dear Council Members:

Please find the attached resume of Albert B. Ciuksza, Jr., 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. Mr. Ciuksza will fill a vacancy on the Drug and Alcohol Planning Council. His term will end three (3) years after his prospective confirmation.

Mr. Ciuksza works as a Pharmacy Services Analyst for McKesson Automation. He has reviewed and revised hospital policies on pharmaceutical processing. In addition to his professional accomplishments, Mr. Ciuksza conceived and assisted in developing a non-profit enterprise which creates and delivers personalized care packages to grieving families. Mr. Ciuksza also volunteered in the Drug and Alcohol Center at St. Vincent College.

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

Sincerely

Dan Onorato

CC: Albert Ciuksza



Albert B. Ciuksza, Jr.

Home: 139 Lincoln Avenue, Apartment #8 - Bellevue, PA 15202 Phone: (412) 596-0848 E-mail: BNDSoft@aol.com

OBJECTIVE

Driven by the personal values of integrity, education, and sound leadership, I am focused on professionally contributing to the mission of a customer-centered organization. I aim to do this by applying the communication, negotiation, and teamwork skills I have learned from a diverse upbringing which included early college entry at the age of sixteen, a variety of leadership positions, and various work experiences.

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

Pharmacy Services Analyst, McKesson Automation - Pittsburgh, PA

June 2002 - Present

- Reviewed and revised on-site pharmacy processes for hospitals in Pennsylvania, Florida, and Tennessee
- Designed marketing collateral and advertisements for various needs and a specific national campaign
- Developed pricing model for new service offering surrounding McKesson Automation's flagship product for a major national account and helped justify the implementation to senior management
- Reengineered payroll process that resulted in a reduction of both processing labor and payroll error rates
- Wrote and facilitated course on Pharmacy Services for the annual operations team employee training program
- Proposed and helped implement a telephone-based payroll solution for Pharmacy Services
- Developed financial system to account for Profit and Loss within the four cost centers of Pharmacy Services
- Completed Six Sigma training and attained Greenbelt status, reducing costs and cycle-time to hire in a critical area of need

Intern, McKesson Automation, PakPlus-Rx Group - Pittsburgh, PA

June 2001 - June 2002

- Developed training materials for PakPlus-Rx Packaging Technician orientation
- Compiled and wrote documentation for use by end-users
- Designed a pricing model for a new service program working with managers and executives from two different divisions
- · Devised a more accurate inventory estimation system to reduce inventory carrying costs
- Maintained part-time responsibilities through final year of college

Marketing Intern, Carnegie Learning, Inc. - Pittsburgh, PA

Summer 2000

- Consulted with marketing team to help create a short-term and long-term Internet marketing strategy
- Collected information for several different projects through various media (cold calling, web searches and books)
- Refurbished all marketing and public relations materials (articles, press releases, etc.) and inventoried them
- Presented reports, critiqued marketing strategies and developed protocols for processes

Project Leader, Small Business Development Center - Latrobe, PA

Spring 2000

- Chaired a group of five students involved in a joint-venture learning project between a Statistics class and the Saint Vincent College Small Business Development Center Center for Global Competitiveness
- Consulted with executive management team of a major corporate entity
- Researched demographic data and conducted informal surveys with real estate companies and potential clients
- Coordinated the development of a business plan and suggested a course of action in a real estate transaction

EDUCATION

Saint Vincent College - Latrobe, PA

Fall 1999 - Spring 2002

Bachelor of Science in Business Management Graduation Date: May, 2002 Overall G.P.A. 3.48 / 4.0

OTHER ACTIVITIES

Board of Trustees, Good Grief Center for Bereavement Support

October 2002 - Present

• Conceived and assisted in the development of a social enterprise product offering that required all of the steps of the product development cycle

Duquesne University, NLI – The Peak Performing Nonprofit Board

October 2003

• Attended four-week, twelve-hour course on the essentials of board leadership

Young Adult Initiative Transition Team

Winter 2004

• Assisted in the development of the Young Adult Initiative for Allegheny County Chief Executive Dan Onorato



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RICH FITZGERALD DISTRICT 11 PRESIDENT

March 19, 2004

WAYNE FONTANA DISTRICT 12 VICE-PRESIDENT Mr. Albert B. Ciuksza 139 Lincoln Avenue Apt. #8

JOHN DEFAZIO AT-LARGE

Bellevue, PA 15202

DAVE FAWGETT AT-LARGE

Dear Mr. Ciuksza:

RON FRANCIS, JR. DISTRICT 1

JAN REA DISTRICT 2 This is to inform you that Council President Rich Fitzgerald, Chairperson of Council's Committee on Appointment Review, has scheduled an Appointment Review Committee Meeting for 6:00 PM, Thursday, March 25, 2004 in Conference Room One, 119 County Courthouse.

TOM SHUMAKER

The Councilman requests your presence at the meeting to discuss your nomination for appointment to the Allegheny County Drug and Alcohol Planning Council. He indicated that those of you that were nominated for reappointment should be prepared to answer questions including how long you have served on the board, your biggest accomplishments on that board, and what you envision your future goals to be if reappointed.

DISTRICT 3 DOUG PRICE DISTRICT 4

> Those of you that are new nominees should be prepared to answer questions relative to your background and qualifications and what you

VINCE GASTGEB DISTRICT 5

hope to accomplish if appointed.

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

JOAN CLEARY DISTRICT 6

C.L. JABBOUR DISTRICT 9

DISTRICT 10

CHARLES MARTONI DISTRICT 8

BRENDA FRAZIER DISTRICT 13

WILLIAM RUSSELL ROBINSON

Sincerely,

JOE CATANESE CHIEF OF STAFF

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April 9, 2004

WAYNE FONTANA DISTRICT 12 VICE-PRESIDENT

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RON FRANCIS, JR.

Dear Mr. Ciuksza:

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DISTRICT 2 TOM SHUMAKER

JAN REA

This is to inform you that Council President Rich Fitzgerald, Chairperson of Council's Committee on Appointment Review, has scheduled an Appointment Review Committee Meeting for 5:00 PM, Wednesday, April 14, 2004 in Conference Room One, 119 County Courthouse.

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