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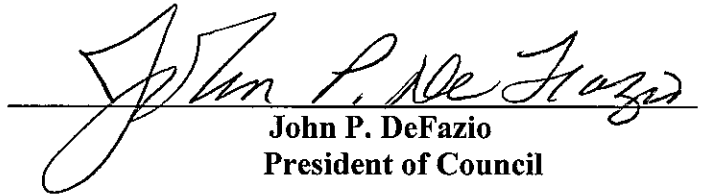
APPOINTMENT

Approving the appointment of Mark Foerster to serve as a member of the Allegheny County Housing Authority, for a term to expire on December 31, 2018.

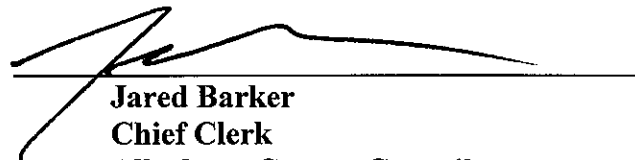
SPONSORED BY CHIEF EXECUTIVE FITZGERALD

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

COUNTY OF



ALLEGHENY

RICH FITZGERALD
COUNTY EXECUTIVE

April 17, 2014

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

Dear Members of Council:

Please find the attached resume of Mark Foerster, whom I am recommending for appointment to the Allegheny County Housing Authority.

The Authority exists to effectuate the state and national housing laws designed to alleviate housing conditions in low income groups. The purpose is to increase the number of decent, safe and proper sanitary dwellings available to low income families. With the cooperation of the local municipalities, the Authority builds, modernizes and operates units for the elderly and low income citizens. I am recommending that Mr. Foerster serve a five-year term, which will expire on December 31, 2018.

Mr. Foerster is currently the President of Nova Insurance Services LLC. Previously he has served as a Councilman and Mayor of the borough of Swissvale. He received his B.S in Business Administration from Villanova University.

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

Sincerely,

Rich Fitzgerald
Allegheny County Executive

ALLEGHENY COUNTY COUNCIL

CC: Mark Foerster

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Mark Foerster

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mark@novains.com

Professional Background

1996-Present

Nova Insurance Services, LLC

Monroeville, Pa

President

Independent Insurance Broker offering all forms of insurance

1990-1996

McErlain & Associates

Murrysville, Pa

General Manager

Independent Insurance Broker offering all forms of insurance

1984-1990

Enterprise Financial Group,

Dallas TX

Regional Manager

General Insurance Agency

2002-2006

Swissvale Borough

Mayor

1993-2002

Swissvale Borough

Member of Council

Council President 2000-2002

Education

1980-1984

Villanova University

Bachelor of Science, Business Administration

Pittsburgh Central Catholic High School

1980 Graduate

Affiliations:

<i>1994-1997</i>	<i>Independent Insurance Agents of Pittsburgh, Board of Directors</i>
<i>1997- 2002</i>	<i>Eastern Regional Communications Center, Board of Directors 911 Center Serving Eastern Allegheny County</i>
<i>2000- Present</i>	<i>West to West Coalition, Board of Directors Economic Development organization serving the Mon Valley</i>
<i>1998-2000</i>	<i>Citizens 2000, Member Organization formed to promote Home Rule Charter for Allegheny County</i>
<i>2002</i>	<i>Allegheny County Redistricting Committee, Member</i>
<i>1998-2003</i>	<i>Port Authority of Allegheny County East Busway Extension Task Force, Chairman</i>
<i>2002-Present</i>	<i>Swissvale Democratic Committee, Chairman</i>
<i>2003-2004</i>	<i>Western Pennsylvania Safety Council Board of Directors</i>
<i>1980-1984</i>	<i>Villanova University Men's Basketball Team Manager</i>

Designations/Licenses

*Property/Casualty Agent
Property/Casualty Broker
Life/Health Agent
Life/Health Broker*



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May 22, 2014

Mr. Mark Foerster
Nova Insurance Services, LLC
500 Garden City Dr., Suite 7G
Monroeville, PA 15146

Dear Mr. Foerster:

This is to inform you that at the Regular Meeting of Allegheny County Council held on May 21, 2014 Council approved your appointment to serve as a member of the Allegheny County Housing Authority, for a term to expire on December 31, 2018.

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,

Jan Rea, Appointment Review Committee Chair
Allegheny County Council

cc: Frank Aggazio, Executive Director, Allegheny County Housing Authority

JR/sb