## **APPOINTMENT**

Approving the appointment of Ms. Robin H. Spencer to serve as a member of the Drug and Alcohol Planning Council of Allegheny County for a term to expire on March 4, 2007.

In Council September 21, 2004.

Read and approved by Motion of Council.

Rich Fitzgerald

**President of Council** 

Attest:

John Mascio

**Chief Clerk of Council** 



# County of Alegheny

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August 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 Ms. Robin H. Spencer, 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. Ms. Spencer will fill a vacancy on the Drug and Alcohol Planning Council. Her term will end on March 4, 2007.

Ms. Spencer has served in her professional capacity as an addiction specialist and a drug and alcohol counselor. Her experience in this field will provide insight into the drug and alcohol services of Allegheny County.

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

Sincerely

Dan Onorato

CC: Robin Spencer

### Robin H. Spencer

# 541 MELLON STREET\*PITTSBURGH\*PA 15206\*HOME PHONE (412) 363-5468 EMAIL ADDRESS\* messagecarriers5%/ahotmail.com

#### **OBJECTIVE**

To obtain a challenging position that fully utilizes my interpersonal skills and desire to educate other.

#### **QUALIFICATIONS**

I am responsible, creative, self motivated, able to advocate as well as be supportive of consumers, reliable, will travel, able to effectively communicate with various ethnic communities and collaborate with different agencies.

**WORK EXPERIENCE** 

December 2003 to Present

Message Carriers

Project Coordinator of W. PA

October 2002 to December 2003

Neighborhood Living Project/UMPC

Addiction Specialist

July 2001 to October 2002

Behavioral Health Specialist

St Francis Medical Center

April 2000 to January 2001

Recruiter/Case Manager/Facilitator

Housing Authority City of Pittsburgh

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March 1999 to September 2002

Strength Inc.

**Facilitator** 

March 1999 to July 2001

Evan's Enterprises

Case Aide

September 1999 to April 2000

Facilitator/Case Manager

Community Empowerment Association

July 1995 to September 1999

Operation Nehemiah/Jamaa Ministry

Drug & Alcohol Counselor, Case Manager/HIV Specialist

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

June 1991 to August 1993

Pittsburgh Recovery Systems

Volunteer

**EDUCATION** 

Lincoln University

August 2002 to Present

• Credits towards Master Degree in Human Services (MHS)

Community College of Allegheny

September 1995 to January 1996

• Certificate of Completion for Sign Language Communications

University of Steubenville /Business Courses

January 1978 to June 1979

Wilma Boyd Career School

September 1974 to December 1974

• Certificate Airlines Reservations

**CERTIFICATIONS** 

1998

**HIV Prevention Counseling** 

Certification #1471

1997

Associate Addictions Counselor II Certification #3479



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September 3, 2004

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Robin H. Spencer 541 Mellon Street Pittsburgh PA 15306

Pittsburgh, PA 15206

Dear Ms. Spencer:

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 4:00 PM, <u>Thursday, September 16, 2004</u> in Conference Room One, 119 County Courthouse.

The Councilman requests your presence at the meeting to discuss your nomination for appointment to the Drug and Alcohol Planning Council of Allegheny County. 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.

Those of you that are new nominees should be prepared to answer questions relative to your background and qualifications and what you hope to accomplish if appointed.

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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## RICH FITZGERALD, PRESIDENT

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September 24, 2004

Robin H. Spencer 541 Mellon Street Pittsburgh, PA 15206

Dear Ms. Spencer:

This is to inform you that at the Regular Meeting of Council held on September 21, 2004, Council approved your appointment to serve as a member of the Drug and Alcohol Planning Council of Allegheny County for a term to expire on March 4, 2007.

Congratulations on your appointment.

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Sincerely,

Rich Fitzgerald, President District 11 Representative

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