

Legislation Text

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Title...

Proclamation commending the Pittsburgh Service Summit honorees and naming March 29, 2016 as "Get Involved! Service Summit Day" in Allegheny County.

Body...

WHEREAS, Get Involved!, Inc., was founded in 2011 by The Honorable Tom Baker to provide programs that develop, educate, and engage students and young professionals in order to encourage them to become active assets to their communities; and

WHEREAS, on March 29, 2016, the 7th Annual Pittsburgh Service Summit will take place at Carlow University and will give recognition to outstanding activists and individuals for their positive contributions to the community. The event, which is open to the public, will also feature a variety of local vendors who will be available to educate attendees about ways they can become more civically involved; and

WHEREAS, this year's honorees include the following meritorious individuals:

MAN OF THE YEAR	Dr. Jim Withers
WOMAN OF THE YEAR	Maggie Withrow
MALE EMERGING LEADER	Wasi Mohamed
FEMALE EMERGING LEADER	Kristy Giandomenico
DR. TOM BAKER COMMUNITY LEADER	Nathan Darity
PATTY VEROSTKO AWARD FOR CHILD ADVOCACY	Sylvia Lynn
2016 SERVICE AWARD	Eric Davis

2016 WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA RISING STARS:

Heidi Allison, Katie Blackburn, Michelle Buczkowski, Matthew Chase, Matt Collins, Justin Dandoy, Megan Frisco, Ryan Gayman, Katie Gittlen, Sharnay Hearn, Jamilia Kamara, Julian McClain, Emily Morse, The Honorable Guy Reschenthaler, Jenny Schaeffer, Lauren Schieb, Rounida Shwaish, Emily Slopek, Abby Stark, Hillary Tamski, Nikita Zook;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Allegheny County Council does hereby commend **Get Involved!**, **Inc.**, for their commitment to fostering the development of young leaders into civically active community assets, and for hosting the 7th **Annual Pittsburgh Service Summit** to honor the achievements of 28 individuals from the region whose work has made a difference in their communities. **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that this Council does hereby declare March 29, 2016, to be "**Get Involved! Service Summit Day**" in Allegheny County.