



# Allegheny County Council

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## Legislation Text

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Title...

Proclamation commending the Pittsburgh Service Summit honorees and naming March 28, 2017 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 28, 2017, the 8th 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. This year’s honorees include the following meritorious individuals:

MAN OF THE YEAR	Emmai Alaquiva
WOMAN OF THE YEAR	Aradhna Oliphant
MALE EMERGING LEADER	Diwas Timsina
FEMALE EMERGING LEADER	Michaela Buzzard
DR. TOM BAKER COMMUNITY LEADER	Kevin White
PATTY VEROSTKO AWARD FOR CHILD ADVOCACY	Larry Berger

### 2017 WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA RISING STARS:

Adonna Anderson, Jenna Baron, Emily Brown, Thomas Bryant, Curt Conrad, Brae Geary, Cara Mia Grassi, Brittany Huffman, Shenay Jeffrey, Harry Johnson II, Jose Miguel Juarez, Daniel Lampmann, Kylie LaSota, Wesley Lyons, Mandy McNabb, Representative Jason Ortity, Joe Ortman, Ryan O’Shea, Lisa Philipp, Samone Riddle, Jenny Sabol, Victoria Snyder, Ben Stoviak, Aster Teclay, Shanon Williams, and Robbie Zaremborg;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Allegheny County Council does hereby commend Get Involved! for their commitment to fostering the development of young leaders into civically active community assets, and for hosting the **8th Annual Pittsburgh Service Summit** to honor the achievements of 32 individuals from the region whose work has made a difference in their communities.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that this Council does hereby declare March 28, 2017 to be “**Get Involved! Service Summit Day**” in Allegheny County.