

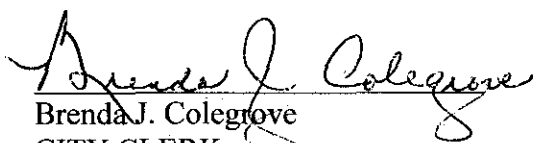
RESOLUTION NO. 1790

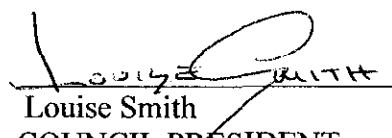
BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Salisbury, Maryland that the following individual is appointed to the PAC 14 Board of Directors:

Name

Elizabeth Bellavance (term expires on the date of the fourth annual meeting of PAC 14)

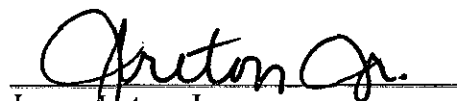
The above resolution was introduced, read and passed at the regular meeting of the Council of the City of Salisbury held on the 8th day of June, 2009.


Brenda J. Colegrove
CITY CLERK


Louise Smith
COUNCIL PRESIDENT

APPROVED BY ME THIS

10th day of June, 2009


James Veton, Jr.
MAYOR

INTER

OFFICE

MEMO

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

To: John Pick
From: Sherrell McBride *SM*
Subject: PAC 14 Board of Directors
Date: June 4, 2009

Mayor Ireton would like to appoint the following person to the PAC 14 Board of Directors ending in the following term:

Name

Elizabeth Bellavance (term expires on the date of the fourth annual meeting of PAC 14)

Mrs. Bellavance will serve as the appointed joint member of the City and County.

Attached you will the Resolution necessary for her appointment. We will forward Mrs. Bellavance biographical information to you. Please forward this information to the City Council so it may be placed on the agenda for the next Council meeting. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Attachment

Cc: Mayor Ireton

I N T E R

MEMO

O F F I C E

OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK

To: City Council members
From: Kim Nichols *Kim*
Subject: Elizabeth Bellavance - Bio
Date: June 5, 2009

Attached is the biography for Elizabeth Bellavance. This should have been included with Resolution No.1790 (appointment of Mrs. Bellavance to the PAC 14 Board of Directors) in the June 8, 2009 briefing book, but had not yet been received.

If you have any questions, please let me know.

cc: Mayor Ireton
Brenda Colegrove
John Pick

ELIZABETH C. BELLAVANCE

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IMMIGRANT RELATED WORK EXPERIENCE

Coordinated LSTA Grant to promote Hispanic Outreach

Fall, 2005-Spring 2006

Target Population: 309,952 citizens within the 8 Eastern Shore Counties served by the 8 county libraries

Duties included: Assisting Project Director in promoting the project to IMLS, DLDA, ESRL library directors, staff, network service providers; forming and conducting advisory group of participants from 8 county libraries; measuring and increasing sensitivity of library staff to cultural diversity of Spanish-speaking community toward increasing their services to this target population; supervising format and providing all content for resultant project website--Project Adelante

Result: County libraries have increased Hispanic holdings and programming; funded library personnel to take Spanish language course in library-related terminology

RELATED VOLUNTEERISM

Provided testimony two consecutive years to Maryland Legislative Committees on the value of a licensed immigrant workforce to Shore employers 2006 thru 2007

Initiated and Chaired Committee of local bankers, service providers, local gov't. member, realtors, advocates to research mortgaging options for immigrant population 2006-2007

Result: Uncovered Self-Help, Inc. in NC, now licensed in MD and VA to provide mortgages and business loans on the basis of ITINS so that immigrants can own a home.

Petitioned Eastern Shore Delegates to bring Governor's Task Force on Drivers Licensing to Salisbury June 2005

Otained all testimonials of major Shore Employers, including Delmarva Poultry Industry, Peninsula Regional Medical Center, Chesapeake Nurseries, Shore Transit, and minor employers in landscaping, wholesale and retail produce, clergy in immigrant ministry, the undocumented themselves to raise awareness about the need for drivers licensing in this rural area inadequately served by public transportation

Result: Through this work, I found Curran's March 2003 Opinion No. 03-014, enabling hundreds of area Hispanics to be licensed at Salisbury MVA.

Formed and Chaired Sub-Committee on Public Safety for Bienvenidos, a network of area social service agencies providing to immigrants on the Shore, under SU's BEACON

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Result: Public Hearing on Immigrant Safety 2004. Attendees included service providers, city, county, state police law enforcers, county council members, immigrant advocates, and clergy in immigrant ministry toward addressing criminal activity against area immigrants. Testimony provided by immigrant victims raised the consciousness of relevant parties

Arranged for liaison officers representing city and county law enforcement to attend monthly meetings of Bienvenidos

RELATED AWARDS

Governor's Volunteer Service Award 2008

Nominated for Hispanic Heritage Award by the Governor's Commission on Hispanic Affairs for "the support you provide to the Hispanic Community" Annapolis 2005

EDUCATION

Duquesne University Master of Arts in English
Middlebury College Bachelor of Arts in English with Honors
Post Masters Michigan State University
Teaching English as a Second Language
Framingham State University
Bilingual Education

PAST EMPLOYMENT

University of Maryland Eastern Shore Remediated students aspiring to pass the English Proficiency Test required for graduation Fall 2005 thru Spring 2008.

Eastern Shore Regional Library LSTA Grant Project Coordinator January-August 2004

Salisbury University 1981-2003
Career Services Career Development Advisor
Developmental Studies Instructor
Co-editor Literature/Film Quarterly

Framingham State College 1974-1977
ESL Instructor, Adult Education

On-site ESL Consultant for US State Dept., The American Schools Bilbao, Madrid, Barcelona April-May 1980

Houghton-Mifflin Publishers 1978-1981
Consulting Editor for English Alpha, 6-volume ESL Series

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Babson College 1975

New England Institute of Law Enforcement Summer Writing Workshop

Michigan State University 1963-1967

Academic Advisor, University College

Administrator, English Language Center

ESL Instructor, English Language Center

CURRENT AFFILIATIONS

Governor's Commission on Hispanic Affairs

Maryland Catholic Conference Social Concerns Committee Rep. for Hispanic Outreach

St. Francis De Sales Parish Social Concerns Committee

Bienvenidos Steering Committee

Wicomico County Library Board

PACE (Public Affairs and Civic Engagement) Advisory Board

Joseph House Workshop Advisory Board

PREVIOUS AFFILIATIONS

Founding Member Coastal Hospice, Inc.

Charter Member WSCL

Village of Hope (then Joseph House Village) Founding Board