## **RESOLUTION NO. 2002**

BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Salisbury, Maryland that the following individual is appointed to the Friends of Poplar Hill Mansion Board of Directors for the term ending as indicated:

Name Jane Dibbern Term Ending 12/31/2013

The above resolution was introduced, read and passed at the regular meeting of the Council of the City of Salisbury held on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2010.

ATTEST:

Brenda J. Colegrove

CITY CLERK

Louise Smith

COUNCIL PRÉSIDENT

APPROVED BY ME THIS

15 day of Beenles 2010

James reton, Jr.

MAYOR

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## **MEMO**

## OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

To:

John Pick

From:

Sherrell McBride

Subject:

Appointment to the Friends of Poplar Hill Mansion Board of Directors

Date:

December 6, 2010

Mayor Ireton received the following name from the Nominating Committee of the Friends of Poplar Hill Mansion to be appointed to the Friends of Poplar Hill Mansion Board of Directors:

Name

Term Ending

Jane Dibbern

12/31/2013

Attached you will find Ms. Dibbern letter of interest and the Resolution necessary for her appointment. Please forward this information to the City Council to be placed on the agenda for the next Council meeting. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Attachments

CC: James Ireton, Jr.
Aleta Davis
Jessie Cocci

I am writing this letter to apply for a position on the Friends of Poplar Hill Board at Poplar Hill Mansion.

I have been connected to the mansion through my association with the Four Seasons Garden Club since moving to Salisbury in 1988. The club's many projects, including the holiday decorating of the mansion and the planting and upkeep of the serpentine garden, have reinforced my interest in historical buildings and their importance to a community. It is heartwarming to witness the wonderful improvements to Poplar Hill these past few years, which distinguish her as a truly grand house.

I am familiar with colonial-era houses having spent a portion of my childhood living in one, my grandmother's, which dated to 1795, and coincidentally included a doctor's office. That house is located in Libertytown, in Frederick County, Maryland, and is one of many Federal- style homes built in the county during that time frame.

I attended schools in Baltimore City, Frederick and Baltimore Counties and graduated from Hood College with a degree in Early Childhood Education and Fine Arts. I then travelled with my husband, Henry, to many parts of the country in connection with his engineering projects. It was nice to return to Maryland after being away for many years and we enjoy living on McBriety Circle in Salisbury.

I've served on Boards of various gardening organizations. I am a Master Flower Show judge, floral designer, and landscape painter. I will strive to be a helpful addition to the Poplar Hill Board for the betterment of Poplar Hill Mansion.

Thank you for your consideration of my application.

Yours truly,

Jane Dibbern