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April 30, 2002

President Cathy Woolard and
Members of Atlanta City Council
City Hall, Suite 2900 South
68 Mitchell Street SW
Atlanta, Georgia 30335

RE: Appointment to Piedmont Park Conservancy Board

Dear President Woolard and Members of the Council:

It is a pleasure for me to appoint **Council Member Ceasar Mitchell** to serve as a member of the **Piedmont Park Conservancy Board** of the City of Atlanta. This appointment is for a **term of one (1) year and does not require Council confirmation**. It is scheduled to begin on the abovementioned date.

I am confident that Mr. Mitchell will serve the Piedmont Park Conservancy Board with distinction. A bio is attached for your perusal.

Sincerely,

Shirley Franklin

Enclosures

Ceasar C. Mitchell, II
Atlanta City Councilman
Post 1 At-Large



“Integrity, Leadership, Service”

Ceasar C. Mitchell, II, Atlanta City Councilman, Post 1 At-Large, is a dedicated attorney, community leader and husband. Ceasar is a native Atlantan who’s passionate commitment to serve comes from a family that dedicated their lives to ***Integrity, Leadership and Service*** within the city.

The son of the late ***Rev. C.C. Mitchell, Sr., an Atlanta Police Sergeant and local minister,*** and ***Carnella Sloan Robinson, an Atlanta Public School teacher*** for more than two decades, Ceasar is no stranger to working hard for or helping those that depend on the city’s leadership to get things done and get things done right. In fact, he attributes many of the lessons he’s learned in ***Integrity, Leadership and Service*** to his grandmother, Addie C. Sloan, who was a tireless community servant and steward in the C.M.E. church for many years in Atlanta.

As the Atlanta City Councilman for Post 1 At-Large, a seat that represents the interests of all Atlantans, Ceasar is committed and takes the time to listen and understand the needs of each community, from his home neighborhood of the West End to Cabbagetown to Grant Park. He also brings a fresh, new generation of leadership to the city.

“I believe in more work and less talk,” says Ceasar. “My goal is to restore confidence in government through action, not rhetoric.” He adds, “My experiences have taught me that the basic question is ‘Are you willing to serve?’ and the answer must always be an emphatic YES!”

Currently, Ceasar practices real estate law for Thomas, Kennedy, Sampson & Patterson. He also is president-elect of the Gate City Bar Association and serves as vice president of the board of directors for Hands on Atlanta. Among his many other activities, Ceasar uses his expertise in the real estate to conduct free seminars for first-time homebuyers, acts as a youth mentor for local elementary schools and is a co-founder of Wolfpack Enterprises, the organization responsible for Atlanta’s First Fridays networking events and other social and community service functions held throughout the city.

Even as a student, Ceasar began honing his leadership skills and commitment to excellence. He graduated in the top of his class from Benjamin E. Mays Academy of Math & Science, in Southwest Atlanta where he also served as captain of the football team and as a top commanding officer in the JROTC. Following the legacy of many leaders before him, Ceasar enrolled in Morehouse College on a full academic scholarship. There he excelled academically, graduating cum laude with a Bachelor of Arts degree in both English and Economics. After Morehouse, Ceasar attended law school at The University of Georgia and was awarded his Juris Doctorate in May 1995.

Ceasar is a member of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc. and active in a number of civic and community organizations, including Morehouse College’s Atlanta Alumni Association, the Southwest Coalition of Concerned Citizens, the Atlanta Black/Jewish Coalition and the United Way Volunteer Initiative Program.

Ceasar is married to ShaJra J. Mitchell, also a Georgia native. They are members of Cascade United Methodist Church and reside in the Historic West End neighborhood in a 1920s bungalow they recently restored.

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FROM MAYOR SHIRLEY FRANKLIN

A COMMUNICATION FROM MAYOR SHIRLEY FRANKLIN APPOINTING COUNCIL MEMBER CEASAR MITCHELL TO THE PIEDMONT PARK CONSERVANCY BOARD

FILED BY CITY COUNCIL

w/o objection

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- ADVERTISE & REFER
- 1st ADOPT 2nd READ & REFER
- PERSONAL PAPER REFER

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William J. Woodard

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MAYOR

MAYOR'S ACTION