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June 13, 2002

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

RE: Reappointment to Commission on Aging

Dear President Woolard and Members of the Council:

It is a pleasure for me to reappoint **Sadie Bolden Gaines** to serve as a member of the **Commission on Aging** of the City of Atlanta. This reappointment is for a **term of four (4) years**, scheduled to begin immediately in that Council Confirmation is not required.

I am confident that Mrs. Gaines will serve the Commission on Aging with distinction. This communication is for purposes of courtesy.

Sincerely,

Shirley Franklin

VITA

GAINES, Sadie Bolden (Mrs.)
Phone: 404: 524-6709

970 Westmoor Drive, N.W.
Atlanta, Georgia 30314

EDUCATION

Ed S degree - Georgia State University - Counseling and Psychological Services with additional study in management
 M A degree - Atlanta University, Atlanta, Georgia
 Major: Education - Specialization in Guidance and Counseling and Educational Psychology
 B S degree - Howard University, Washington, D. C.
 Major: Mathematics Minor: Business Administration
 Attended Clark College, Atlanta, Georgia
 Honors: Dean's list several times in college

WORK EXPERIENCE

1979 - 1991 Private Industry Council (PIC), City of Atlanta
 Served in several positions at various times including Director of Summer Youth Employment and Training Program and Older Workers' Program; Director of Public Information and Director of Planning and Community Support. In fact, the PIC Executive Director used to say I was his "problem solver" and assign me to whatever unit was having major problems.

1973 - 1975 - CONSULTANT - Educational and Community leaders.
 Specialized in editing and refining masters theses and doctoral dissertations for degree candidates.

1971 - 1973 YWCA of Greater Atlanta. Employed as Interim Membership Director. Retained to direct membership enrollment drives.

1968 - 1970 - DIRECTOR OF MATERIALS DEVELOPMENT AND CIVIL RIGHTS OFFICER, Atlanta University-OEO Multi - purpose Training Center for the Southeastern Region, USA. Managed a comprehensive variety of training materials, public relations, inter-agency coordination and staff development. Served as a senior training officer.

1961 - 1968 - RECORDER AND FRESHMAN COUNSELOR promoted to REGISTRAR, Spelman College, Atlanta, Georgia. Duties included those usually associated with the work of a college counselor and of a registrar.

1955 - 1960 - STATE OFFICE MANAGER, Georgia Congress of Colored Parents and Teachers. Worked with the State Board of Managers, and with eleven districts and 528 PTAs throughout Georgia. Coordinated conventions, workshops, and worked with the National Parent-Teacher Congress and Georgia Teachers Associations.

COMMUNITY AND PUBLIC SERVICES

Chairperson, "Older Atlantans Task Force" City of Atlanta. Officer, Board Member and Past President, ROSA (Reaching OUT To Senior Adults) Inc. Trustee, Church Historian and President of the "Glowing Lights Seniors Older Adult Ministry" at West Hunter Street Baptist Church. Active member of neighborhood and community groups in the historic Washington Park Community.

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As a young woman, my first priority was to be an effective homemaker and mother for my two children, Charleste and Carmen. I served as president of the PTA at their elementary school (Oglethorpe elementary which was the Atlanta University Laboratory School during those years,) and at their high school (Booker T. Washington High School).

In 1951-52, I worked with a few other dedicated mothers and we founded the Atlanta Chapter of Jack and Jill of America, Inc. I served as the first chairperson of program planning and development. One of the early programs I developed was the appearance of a group of our children on the previously all white WSB-TV children's program "The Woody Willow Show." Our children were the first African-American group to appear on the show. They were well behaved. However, WSB received an avalanche of complaints from its white listeners. When I asked to bring another group the next year, the program director apologized and said no. He gave listener response (white) as his reason.

I am a Golden Life Member of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. I am a past local and regional officer, and a national program committee member.

I am a Community Cyber Center - City of Atlanta advocate and I appeared before Atlanta City Council in support of their budget. I participated in local and regional conferences for the White House Conference on Aging; I chaired the City of Atlanta's Aging Task Force which led to the formation of the Commission on Aging. I chair the City of Atlanta's Older Atlantans Task Force; I serve as a community advocate with the Washington Park Community Club, and serve the community in many other capacities as needed.

HONORS

Listed in "Who's Who Among American Women" in 1967
Received WXIA-TV Community Services Award for "... more than twenty years of volunteer leadership and services to the YWCA of Greater Atlanta, and in many programs to aid the poor, disadvantaged and unemployed." 1979.
Recently honored by "Atlanta Chapter, Jack and Jill of America, Inc." as a part of its 50th Anniversary Celebration. Received more than two dozen other awards for "distinguished services, meritorious services, etc. from non-profit organizations, city, state and federal government agencies and community based organizations.

PERSONAL/FAMILY INFORMATION

Widow

Two daughters

Charleste Gaines McCoy
Carmen Gaines James

Baptist West Hunter Street Baptist Church

Retired from the City of Atlanta: Private Industry Council in March 1991

APRIL 2002

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A COMMUNICATION

BY MAYOR SHIRLEY FRANKLIN

A COMMUNICATION BY THE MAYOR REAPPOINTING SADIE BOLDEN GAINES TO SERVE AS A MEMBER OF THE COMMISSION ON AGING OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA FOR A TERM OF FOUR (4) YEARS, SCHEDULED TO BEGIN IMMEDIATELY IN THAT COUNCIL CONFIRMATION IS NOT REQUIRED.

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CITY COUNCIL

JUN 17 2002

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ATLANTA CITY COUNCIL PRESIDENT
Patricia W. Hoodless

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MAYOR'S ACTION
ADMINISTRATIVE CLERK

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