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A COMMUNICATION FROM C. D. MOODY, ATLANTA BUSINESS LEAGUE CHAIRMAN:

SUBMITTING HIMSELF AS THE APPOINTEE TO THE JOINT COMMISSION TO HONOR MR JOHN PORTMAN AND MR. HERMAN RUSSELL.

CONFIRMED BY

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- CONSENT REFER
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- ADVERTISE & REFER
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October 15, 2010

Rhonda Johnson  
Municipal Clerk  
Atlanta City Council  
55 Trinity Avenue, Suite 2700  
Atlanta, Georgia 30303

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COUNCIL

Dear Ms. Johnson,

Thank you for the opportunity to serve on the joint commission to determine an appropriate honor for Mr. Herman Russell and Mr. John Portman. I have worked and admired both men contribution to our community, the City of Atlanta and the world.

I would like to designate myself, C. David Moody, Jr to represent the Atlanta Business League on the joint commission. My contact information can be found below:

C. David Moody, Jr  
President/CEO of C.D. Moody Construction Company  
C.D. Moody Construction Company, Inc.  
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Thank you for the opportunity to serve.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'C.D. Moody', written over a white background.

C.D. Moody  
Chairman for Atlanta Business League



*Partial list of recent awards*

2004 Best Boss Award  
*Fortune Small Business*

2005 Entrepreneur of the Year  
BBP&E

2005 Presidential Award  
for Distinction  
Morehouse College

2005 Hall of Fame Inductee  
National Association of Minority  
Contractors

2008 National Black College  
Alumni Hall of Fame Inductee



## C. David Moody, Jr. – President & CEO



Charles David Moody, Jr. is the President and Chief Executive Officer of C.D. Moody Construction Company, Inc. Born in Chicago, Illinois, Mr. Moody lived there until he was 14 years old. At that time, his family moved to Ann Arbor, Michigan, where the University of Michigan employed his father.

Mr. Moody graduated from Huron High School in 1974 and received his B.S. in Psychology from Morehouse College in 1978. After receiving his Bachelor of Architecture and five-year professional degree from Howard University in 1981, he returned to Ann Arbor to work as an architect/field engineer for Bechtel Power Corporation. While in Ann

Arbor, he also taught structural design and mechanical systems at Washtenaw Community College.

In 1983, Mr. Moody relocated to Atlanta. In 1986, he completed his first project at Dobbins Air Force Base for the bonding company, after the untimely death of his employer, George Brown. At that point, Mr. Moody decided to establish his own firm.

The first project of C.D. Moody Construction Company, Inc. was a joint venture with Otis Bellamy, of Bellamy Brothers, on the Underground Atlanta project in 1987. Since then, C.D. Moody Construction Company has grown from \$1 million to over \$70 million in annual revenues. The company provides a wide range of construction services including design/build, new construction, renovation, and construction management at-risk. C.D. Moody Construction has been involved in many commercial, industrial, institutional, and hospitality projects. Other notable projects C.D. Moody has worked on include the Olympic Stadium, Morehouse College Leadership Center, The Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta, Turner Baseball Field, Philips Arena, Home Depot, and, for Disney, the conversion of a shopping mall into luxury office space.

Mr. Moody is a member of numerous professional, civic, and social organizations, including the Atlanta Business League, the Atlanta Chamber of Commerce, and the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity. He is the president of the National Association of Minority Contractors - Atlanta Chapter and on the board of directors for Citizens Trust Bank, Hughes Spalding Hospital Foundation, State of Georgia Homeless Housing Trust Fund, Morehouse College Business Advisory Board, Theragenics (NYSE), State Licensing Board for Residential and General Contractors, and the Wesley Woods at Emory. Previous boards include Gammon Theological Seminary and the Metro Atlanta YMCA.

Mr. Moody derives great joy from dealing with Atlanta's youth. He has coached soccer, football, and basketball, and serves as a mentor/father figure for several young African American males. He is an ardent career day supporter of local high schools, and often chooses to serve as the company's representative at these functions. His firm also has partnered with Stoneview and Shadowrock elementary schools, providing resources and support. In addition, the C.D. Moody Construction Foundation provides scholarships to minority students. Over 80 scholarships have been awarded since the Foundation's inception in 1989. He has endowed scholarships at Morehouse College, Howard University, and Central State University. Howard University has named their design studio after Mr. Moody.

Mr. Moody's hobbies include golf, weight training, and relaxing. He and his wife, Karla, reside in Lithonia, GA and have two adult children: Charles III and Karia.

## **C. DAVID MOODY, JR.**

President & CEO, C.D. Moody Construction

David Moody founded C.D. Moody Construction in 1988. He is directly responsible and manages the day-to-day operations of C.D. Moody Construction by implementing policies, procedures, and organizational structure based on company-wide goals. He develops and communicates the annual company business plan to his staff and supervises all company activities, including procurement, operations and personnel administration.

Some of the company's notable projects include Philips Arena, the Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta, Turner Baseball Field, Big Bethel Baptist Church and even Disney World in Orlando, Florida. The Morehouse Suites, parking deck and Merrill Hall/Technology Tower projects rank among the assignments the company has completed on the Morehouse campus.

Moody graduated from Morehouse in 1978 with a degree in Psychology, and later earned the Bachelor's of Architecture, a five-year professional degree, from Howard University. He also took graduate courses in Architecture at the University of Michigan, as well as graduate courses in Construction Management at Georgia Tech. In his ongoing quest for continued business success, Moody has also taken continuing education courses at Northwestern University's Kellogg School, an executive class on financial reporting for non financial managers at Emory University, and the MBE Business Owner, Executive Training Course at Dartmouth, Amos Tuck Business School.

Highly committed to community, Moody holds board memberships and involvement with many community groups. Namely, he has served as Commissioner for the State of Georgia Housing Trust Fund for the Homeless; Board Member of Wesley Wood for Senior Citizens' Housing; Finance Committee Wesley Wood; Member of Rotary, Downtown Atlanta Chapter; Kappa Boule/Service Fraternity SIGMA PI PHI; Citizen Trust Bank (Board Member); Children's Healthcare Foundation Board; Trustee, Stone Mountain First United Methodist; Morehouse College Business School Advisory Board; President of the National Association of Minority Contractor, Atlanta Chapter; Trinity House (Honorary Board Member). Through the C.D. Moody Construction Foundation, of which he is President, he has awarded over 80 scholarships, as well as established endowed scholarships at Morehouse College, Howard University and Central State University. He has participated in Leadership Georgia (1997) as well as Leadership Atlanta (1998).

In addition to being the recipient of numerous awards, Moody has also motivated and guided five new minority entrepreneurs into business. He has adopted Stoneview Elementary School and Stephenson Middle School, both in DeKalb County. Moody is a Certified Lay Speaker for the United Methodist Church, and also a business and motivational speaker at numerous events in the southeastern states.

# C. DAVID MOODY, JR.

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## EDUCATION

### **Bachelor of Science, Morehouse College**

Major: Psychology, 1978

### **Bachelor of Science, Howard University**

Major: Five-year professional degree in Architecture, 1981

### **Graduate Courses in Architecture, University of Michigan, 1981**

### **Graduate Courses in Construction Management, Georgia Institute of Technology, 1982**

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## CONTINUING EDUCATION

- Stanford Law School Directors' College, June 21-23, 2009
  - Northwestern University, Kellogg School, Executive training for minority business owners, 2004
  - Executive class on financial reporting for non-financial managers, Emory University, 2000
  - MBE Business Owner Executive Training, Dartmouth, Amos Tuck Business School, 1997
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## BOARD MEMBERSHIP/COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

- Arbitrator, American Arbitration Association
- Commissioner for the State of Georgia Housing Trust Fund for the Homeless
- Board Member, Wesley Wood for Senior Citizens' Housing
- Finance Committee Member, Wesley Wood
- Member of Rotary, Downtown Atlanta Chapter
- Kappa Boule/Service Fraternity SIGMA PI PHI
- Board Member, Citizen Trust Bank
  - Chairman of Asset & Liability Committee
  - Member of the Loan Committee
  - Member of the Executive Committee
- Board Member, Children's Healthcare of Atlanta
- Board Chair of Trustees, Stone Mountain First United Methodist
- Morehouse College Business School Advisory Board
- President of the National Association of Minority Contractors (Atlanta Chapter)
- Trinity House (Honorary Board Member)
- C.D. Moody Construction Foundation, President
  - Awarded over 80 scholarships
  - Endowed scholarships at Morehouse College, Howard University and Central State University
- WPO/YPO

- Leadership Georgia, 1997
- Leadership Atlanta, 1998
- Leadership DeKalb, 2008
- Board Member, Atlanta Business League
- Board Member, Theragenics (NYSE)
- Member, Georgia Minority Supplier Development Council
- Member, Association of General Contractors
- Mentor, State of Georgia Mentoring Program (2005, 2006, 2007, 2008)
- Citizens Advisory Committee for the DeKalb County School System (2008)
- Ernst & Young National Judge for Entrepreneur of the Year (2008)
- General Contractor Representative, State Licensing Board for Residential and General Contractors (2009)
- Chair Elect, Atlanta Business League (2009)
- Board Member, Association of General Contractors (2009)
- Board Member, Jump Right Association, Inc. (2009)

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## AWARDS AND HONORS (Partial List)

- 2004 Boss of the Year, *Small Fortune Magazine*
- Atlanta Chamber of Commerce Small Business Person of the Year
- United States Commerce Department Minority Contractor of the Year
- Success Guide: Top Ten Achievers to Watch
- Operation Push Entrepreneur Business Award
- U.S. Small Business Administration Minority Advocate of the Year
- Dekalb Chamber Minority Business of the Year
- Ernst & Young LLP – Georgia/Southeast Area Entrepreneur of the Year Winner
- AGC Build Georgia Award Recipient
- *Atlanta Business Chronicle* Tenth Fastest Growing Private Company in Atlanta
- Scottsdale Child Development Center Guardian Angel Award
- Atlanta Alumni Chapter Morehouse College Business Award
- National Organization of Minority Architects Contractor of the Year
- Hall of Fame Member of the National Association of Minority Contractor
- 2008 #78 on B.E. 100s
- 2008 Inductee National Black College Alumni Hall of Fame Foundation (Business)
- 2008 *Atlanta Business Chronicle* Top 25 Minority Owned Firms
- 2009 Morehouse College Bennie Leadership Award

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## SPEAKING EVENTS

- Certified lay speaker for the United Methodist Church
- Business and Motivational Speaker at numerous events in the Southeastern United States
- Greenville, SC MED Event (2008)
- Savannah, GA Entrepreneurial Center (2008)
- Clayton State University School of Business (2008)
- Georgia Minority Supplier Development Council (2008)
- Ernst & Young Thought Center Webcast Panel Member (2008)

- Winning Workplaces Top Small Workplaces Conference & Celebration (2008)

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REGULAR SESSION

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SERVE ON JOHN PORTMAN,HERMAN RUSSELL COM  
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YEAS: 12  
NAYS: 0  
ABSTENTIONS: 0  
NOT VOTING: 2  
EXCUSED: 2  
ABSENT 0

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E Hall	Y Wan	Y Martin	Y Watson
Y Young	Y Shook	Y Bottoms	Y Willis
Y Winslow	Y Adrean	Y Sheperd	NV Mitchell

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