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FINAL COUNCIL ACTION
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Readings
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A COMMUNICATION FROM CATHY RICHARDS, PRESIDENT, ATLANTA PLANNING ADVISORY BOARD (APAB), TO MUNICIPAL CLERK RHONDA DAUPHIN JOHNSON:

SUBMITTING THEIR APPOINTMENT OF MR. ABDUL-RASHID MUHAMMAD AS THEIR REPRESENTATIVE TO SERVE ON THE ALCOHOL TECHNICAL ADVISORY GROUP (ATAG) II. THIS APPOINTMENT IS SCHEDULED TO BEGIN ON THE DATE OF COUNCIL CONFIRMATION.

Confirmed
11/7/11
by full
Council

- CONSENT REFER
- REGULAR REPORT REFER
- ADVERTISE & REFER
- 1ST ADOPT 2ND READ & REFER
- PERSONAL PAPER REFER

Date Referred: 10/17/11
Referred To: Public Safety + coc
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PSLA
Committee
Date 11/1/11
Chair [Signature]
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Other
Members
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COC
Committee
Date 11/7/11
Chair Felicia A. Hood
Action
Fav, Adv, Hold (see rev. side)
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Members
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MAYOR'S ACTION



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October 14, 2011

The City of Atlanta Office of Municipal Clerk
Atlanta City Hall
55 Trinity Avenue, Suite 2700
Atlanta, GA 30303

To the Office of the Municipal Clerk,

The Atlanta Planning Advisory Board is pleased to submit the name of Mr. Rashid Muhammad for consideration by the Atlanta City Council for appointment to the Alcohol Taskforce.

It is the responsibility of the president of the Atlanta Planning Advisory Board to select an appointee to the Alcohol Taskforce to be confirmed by the Atlanta City Council.

We hope that the findings of City Council will support our conclusions that Mr. Rashid Muhammad is an excellent selection and knowledgeable citizen on safety, licensing, and review. We hope that City Council will be able to review this request at the October 17, 2011 Council meeting.

We look forward to your response.

Kindest regards,

Cathy Richards
APAB President
404-778-5718

ABDUL-RASHID ZAAKIR MUHAMMAD

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SYNOPSIS

A community servant well-versed in matters of IT systems design and process engineering.

EDUCATION

Managerial Science, Bachelor of Business Administration

Georgia State University, Atlanta, Georgia

Received Degree. Had concentrations in Operations Management and Human Resources Management.

EXPERIENCE

Manager of Grants and Compliance Applications

Georgia State University – VP for Research, Atlanta, Georgia
2009 – Present

- Performs team resource planning and budgeting.
- Manages a team of six employees and three consultants responsible for the integration and development / acquisition of research administration systems on campus.
- Manages team development of custom web applications in ASP.NET (.NET 4.0).
- Responsible for evaluating, purchasing, and implementing vendor-supplied University systems for managing research data.
- Budget and project management for a \$2 million Oracle / PeopleSoft Grants ERP implementation.
- Performs, position reviews, job design, hiring, and evaluations.

Vice Chairman / APAB Alternate Delegate

Neighborhood Planning Unit - M, Atlanta, Georgia
2010 – Present

- Performs duties of the Chairman in his absence.
- Serves as Chairman of the Public Safety Committee for the Atlanta Planning and Advisory Board.
- Serves as Chairman of a special committee for addressing alcohol licensing in NPU-M.

Vice President of Programs / Community Relations

Atlanta Downtown Neighborhood Association, Atlanta, Georgia
2010 – Present

- Performs duties of the President in his absence.
- Helps develop and execute organizational initiatives and programs.
- Coordinates alcohol licensing activity for the organization.

Skills

Technologies

Proficient:

VB.NET

C#

ASP.NET

HTML

CSS

T-SQL

LINQ

XML

XPATH/XSLT

SSIS

HTML 3-5

CSS 1-3

Familiar:

Workflow

Foundation (4.0)

Communications

Foundation (4.0)

JQuery

AJAX

PL/SQL

Process

Use Case Analysis

UML

Object Oriented

Analysis and Design

GoF and Enterprise

Design Patterns

Automated Unit

Testing

PMI Project

Management

Scrum Project

Management

API Design

Service Oriented

Architecture

Team Management

and Mentoring

Change

Management

Web Developer, Lead

Georgia State University – VP for Research, Atlanta, Georgia

2005 –2009

- Developed and outlined general IT strategies and initiatives (not limited to web) for consideration by the Vice President for Research and IS&T directors.
- Designed and managed team development (3 person team including myself) of proprietary web-based (ASP.NET) Intranet system for aggregating data from vendor-supplied systems and integrating it with external meta-data for reporting as well as value-added management and customer service.
- Technical lead on three enterprise application implementations (Chemical Inventory, Animal Protocol / Inventory Management, Effort Reporting).
- Executed the logical design and roll out of a new departmental website using the RedDot Content Management System.
- Was responsible for evaluating, purchasing, and implementing vendor-supplied University systems for managing research data.

PC Systems Specialist

Georgia State University – School of Music, Atlanta, Georgia

1998 – 2005

- Designed and maintained or wrote multiple web applications (C++, Visual Basic, ASP and ASP.NET) for managing student progress tracking, class data, audition test scores, departmental event calendar, public relations announcements and mailing list management.
- Developed departmental website - one of the first in the state to have a table-less valid CSS-based design.
- Developed IT support policies and procedures for the department.
- Setup and maintained departmental web / file / domain / and database servers (Linux and Windows).
- Configured and maintained five advanced digital recording studios.
- Designed and maintained two computer labs (one classroom, one open access).

Chief Recording Engineer

Pyramid Multimedia, Riverdale, Georgia

1998 – 2005

- Recorded studio and live performances and prepared them for distribution.
- Ran live sound for numerous indoor and outdoor festivals and concerts in the Atlanta and Macon areas.
- Produced client web sites .

OTHER ACTIVITIES

Volunteer, Samaritan House / The EDGE, 2010

Executive Board, Civic League REAL TIME, 2009

Executive Board, Bent Frequency Music Ensemble 2008 – 2009

Platforms

Windows

Mac OS

Linux

Windows Mobile

Windows Phone

iOS

PeopleSoft

Financials

Internet

Information Server

Windows Server

RedDot CMS

Certifications

Certified Scrum

Master

Other Skills

Audio / Video

Production

Report Building

Negotiation

Scientific Decision

Making

HR Selection

Job Analysis

Research

Administration

Systems

System

Architecture

Computer

Networking

(Physical and

Logical)

Computer System

Administration

(Web, File,

Database, Domain)

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11/07/11
3:21 PM

Atlanta City Council

REGULAR SESSION

MULTIPLE

11-C-1489, 11-C-1492 AND 11-C-1512

CONFIRM

YEAS: 13
NAYS: 0
ABSTENTIONS: 0
NOT VOTING: 1
EXCUSED: 0
ABSENT 2

Y Smith	Y Archibong	Y Moore	Y Bond
Y Hall	Y Wan	Y Martin	Y Watson
B Young	Y Shook	B Bottoms	Y Willis
Y Winslow	Y Adrean	Y Sheperd	NV Mitchell

MULTIPLE