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A COMMUNICATION FROM CATHY RICHARDS, PRESIDENT, ATLANTA PLANNING ADVISORY BOARD, TO MUNICIPAL CLERK RHONDA DAUPHIN JOHNSON:  
 SUBMITTING THEIR APPOINTMENT OF DR. F. KARCHEIK SIMS ALVARADO AS THE BOARD'S REPRESENTATIVE TO SERVE AS A MEMBER OF THE BELTLINE TAX ALLOCATION DISTRICT ADVISORY COMMITTEE, SCHEDULED TO BEGIN ON THE DATE OF COUNCIL CONFIRMATION.

Confirmed  
 by fill  
 Council  
 5/7/12

- CONSENT REFER
- REGULAR REPORT REFER
- ADVERTISE & REFER
- 1<sup>ST</sup> ADOPT 2<sup>ND</sup> READ & REFER
- PERSONAL PAPER REFER

Date Referred: 4/6/12  
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 Date Referred:  
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Committee \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date \_\_\_\_\_  
 Chair \_\_\_\_\_  
 Referred To \_\_\_\_\_

First Reading

Committee  
 CD/HR

Date 5/1/12  
 Chair  
 Action  
 Fav, Adv, Hold (see rev. side)  
 Other

Members  
 Refer To  
 CDC

Committee

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 Chair  
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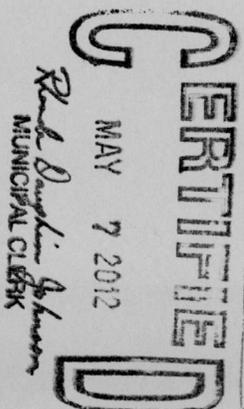
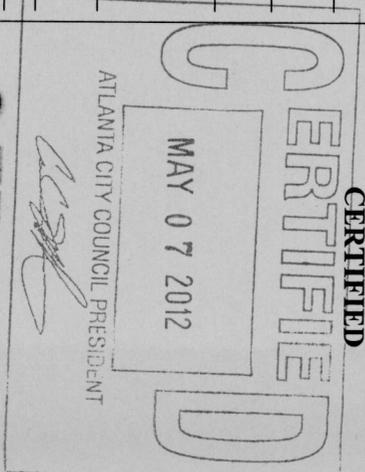
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- FINAL COUNCIL ACTION  
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 Readings  
 Consent  V Vote  RC Vote



MAYOR'S ACTION



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March 19, 2012

Municipal Clerk  
City of Atlanta  
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 Dr. F. Karcheik Sims Alvarado to serve as an appointee to the Beltline Tax Allocation District Advisory Committee. The APAB delegation voted on March 17, 2012 to submit Dr. Alvarado's name to the Atlanta City Council for approval to the Beltline TADAC.

It is the responsibility of the Atlanta Planning Advisory Board to select twelve appointees to the Beltline TADAC to be confirmed by the Atlanta City Council. We currently have nine appointees.

We hope that the findings of City Council will support our conclusions that Dr. Alvarado is an excellent selection and knowledgeable citizen.

Please advise when Council will vote on the nominee. We look forward to your response.

Kindest regards,

Cathy Richards  
APAB President  
404-778-5718 office  
404-983-3491 cell

**DR. F. KARCHEIK SIMS-ALVARADO**

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**EDUCATION AND PROFESSIONAL TRAINING**

- W.E. B. Du Bois Scholar**, July 2011: Harvard University,  
Cambridge, Massachusetts  
W.E.B. Du Bois Institute
- Ph. D.** June 2011. Georgia State University; Nineteenth-Century U.S. History.  
Dissertation: "The African Colonization Movement of Georgia: 1865-1877"  
Committee: Hugh Hudson, Mohammed H. Ali, and Mary Rolinson.
- Examination Fields: Black Atlantic World  
Eighteenth and Nineteenth-Century U.S. History,  
British Imperialism,  
South African History
- M. A.** August 2001. Clark Atlanta University; African and African-American Studies.  
Thesis: "The African Colonization Movement of Georgia: 1817-1860"  
Committee: Claude A. Clegg, Janice Sumler-Edmond, and Josephine Bradley
- Examination Fields: Trans-Atlantic Slave Trade  
Nineteenth Century U.S. History  
West African Art  
African Poetry and Literature
- B. A.** May 1996. Clark Atlanta University; Radio, Television, and Film, *cum laude*

**ACADEMIC FELLOWSHIPS**

- 2007-2009 *Southern Regional Education Board (SREB)*, Atlanta, Georgia  
Dissertation Fellowship
- 2004-2010 *Georgia State University*; Atlanta, Georgia  
Graduate Teaching Assistant Fellowship
- 2000 *Ford Fellowship*  
Summer Institute: Indiana University; Bloomington, Indiana
- 1998 *African and African-American Studies*; Clark Atlanta University  
Graduate Fellowship



- 1996-1997 **Hermitage Museum: Home of President Andrew Jackson;** Hermitage,  
Tennessee  
*Slave Archeologist*
- 1996-1997 **Atlanta History Center,** Atlanta, Georgia  
*Outreach Historian*
- 1996-1997 **Morris Brown College Art Gallery;** Atlanta, Georgia  
*Curator*

### **TALKS AND PRESENTATIONS:**

Panelist: "Macon, Georgia and the African Colonization Movement, 1866-1868" in the session "Tensions at the Margins: African American Struggle for Economic Empowerment through Black Nationalism," at 2011 Annual Meeting of the African American Historical Research and Preservation (Seattle, Washington), February 2011.

Panelist: "The African Colonization Movement in Georgia, 1866-1877" in the session "Black Economics and Black Nationalism," at the Association for the Study of African-American Life and History (Charlotte, North Carolina), October 2010.

Panelist: "To Emigrate or Not to Emigrate, the Attitude of Black Georgians on the subject of African Colonization" in the session "Transatlantic Connections between Georgia and Liberia" at the Annual Meeting of the Georgia Association of Historians (Atlanta, Georgia), February 2010.

Guest Appearance: *WXIA Channel 11 News*, "African DNA results of anchorman Clarence Reynolds" (Atlanta, Georgia), February 2008.

Guest Appearance: *WXIA Channel 11 News*, "In Depth: Black History Month," (Atlanta, Georgia), February 2007.

Invited Talk, "African-American Political Participation during the Reconstruction Era," *Atlanta History Center* (Atlanta, Georgia), June 2006.

Invited Talk, "A Difficult Beginning: The African Colonization Movement in Georgia, 1817-1829," talk at Georgia State University (Atlanta, Georgia), February 2005.

Invited Talk, "Making African-American History a Trans-National History," talk at Georgia State University (Atlanta, Georgia), February 2004.

Invited Talk, "Alonzo Herndon: Atlanta's First Black Millionaire" *Atlanta History Center* (Atlanta, Georgia), February 2002.

Panelist, "A Difficult Beginning: The African Colonization Movement in Georgia, 1817-1829," in a session, "Freed Slaves-Integration and Exclusion," Second Annual Institution for the Study of Slavery Conference, " University of Nottingham, (Nottingham, England), September 2001.

Panelist, "The Attitude of Free and Enslaved Black Georgians on African Colonization, 1832-1860" in a session "Real and Imagined," The Second Annual Wilberforce International Conference on Slave Narratives, Wilberforce College, (Wilberforce, Ohio), October 2001.

### **RESEARCH PROJECTS**

Present            *Atlanta Civil Rights Historic Preservation and Improvement District Project,*  
City of Atlanta, Office of Councilman Michael Bond  
*Project Chair*

2004                *Reverend Howard Thurman Papers,* Atlanta, Georgia  
Morehouse College; Atlanta, Georgia  
*Researcher*

2002                *Oral History Project: "Sharecroppers of the Alabama Black Belt: 1900-1965"* Atmore, Alabama.  
*Project Chair*

### **ART EXHIBITIONS, JURIED SHOWS, AND PRIVATE COLLECTIONS**

CUNY Law School, Flushing, New York  
The Alexandria Museum- Alexandria, Louisiana  
The Tubman Museum- Macon, Georgia  
Robert Woodruff Library, Atlanta University- Atlanta, Georgia  
Ruth Hodges Art Gallery, Morris Brown College- Atlanta, Georgia  
Personal Collection of Phylicia Rashad  
Personal Collection of Victoria Rowell and Radcliff Baily  
*Art Papers*

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NAYS: 0  
ABSTENTIONS: 0  
NOT VOTING: 3  
EXCUSED: 0  
ABSENT 0

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| Y Hall     | Y Wan       | Y Martin  | Y Watson    |
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| NV Winslow | Y Adrean    | Y Sheperd | NV Mitchell |

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