

Appointments

MEMORANDUM

March 11, 2010

TO: County Council
FROM: Justina J. Ferber, Legislative Analyst
SUBJECT: Appointments – Commission on Aging

The County Executive's appointments to the Commission on Aging are before the Council for confirmation.

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OFFICE OF THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE
ROCKVILLE, MARYLAND 20850

Isiah Leggett
County Executive

APPOINTMENT

PURSUANT TO THE AUTHORITY VESTED TO ME UNDER SECTION 215 OF THE CHARTER OF MONTGOMERY COUNTY, MARYLAND, I HEREBY APPOINT

Type of Position: Non-Senior

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Rockville 1/13/2010
(Replaces Judith Jaffe's expired term--First Term)

Type of Position: Non-Senior

Nhora Murphy
The Media Network, Inc.
Silver Spring 1/31/2013
(Replaces James Mayo's expired term--First Term)

Type of Position: Non-Senior

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Gaithersburg 1/31/2013
(Reappointment--Second Term)

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(Replaces Patricia Lesnick's expired term--First Term)

Type of Position: Senior

Mona Negm
Silver Spring 1/31/2013
(New Position--First Term)

Type of Position: Senior

Spencer Schron
Potomac 1/31/2013
(Reappointment--First Full Term)

TO SERVE AS members of the Commission on Aging

THIS APPOINTMENT SHALL BE EFFECTIVE UPON CONFIRMATION BY THE COUNCIL FOR MONTGOMERY COUNTY, MARYLAND

March 3, 2010

ISIAH LEGGETT
COUNTY EXECUTIVE

DATE

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Resolution No.: _____
Introduced: _____
Adopted: _____

**COUNTY COUNCIL
FOR MONTGOMERY COUNTY, MARYLAND**

By: County Council

SUBJECT: County Executive's Appointments to the Commission on Aging.

The County Council for Montgomery County, Maryland approves the following resolution:

The County Executive's appointments to the Commission on Aging are confirmed.

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This is a correct copy of Council action.

Linda M. Lauer, Clerk of the Council

COMMISSION ON AGING

- Created -- Montgomery County Code Section 27-35
- Purpose -- Be concerned with educational, health and welfare, employment, recreation and social issues, housing, legislation and other programs and projects that relate to the aging; advocate for local, state and federal programs or services that can benefit the elderly.
- Membership -- No less than 18. **Members must be county residents**; a majority shall be senior citizens. Membership shall include individuals who are or who have been active in business, industry, labor, community service, religion, welfare, and/or education, the professions and representatives of major organizations or agencies significantly concerned with the problems of aging.
- Terms -- Three year terms - no compensation. Members must not serve more than two consecutive terms.
- Meetings -- Fourth Thursday of each month.
- Staff -- Odile Saggi, Commission on Aging
DHHS/Aging & Disability Services; 401 Hungerford Drive; 4th Floor;
240-777-1132, FAX 240-777-1288; Susan Keane, 240-777-1339

MEMBERSHIP

Type of Position: **Ex Officio County Executive's Designee**

Mr. John Kenney, Rockville

Affiliation: DHHS, Aging & Disability Services

Start Date: End Date:

No Term Exp - Replace Susan Tabach's term

STATUS: Active

Type of Position: **Non-Senior**

Ms. Tamara Duell, Olney

Affiliation: None

Start Date: 6/16/2009 End Date: 1/31/2011

Partial Term - Replaces Frances M. Goldstein's unexpired term

STATUS: Active

Type of Position: **Non-Senior**

Ms. Diane Nguyen-Vu, Montgomery Village

Affiliation: None

Start Date: 2/5/2008 End Date: 1/31/2011

First Term - Replaces Elaine Hoover's expired term

STATUS: Active

Type of Position: **Non-Senior**

Ms. Marcia Pruzan, N. Bethesda

Affiliation: None

Start Date: 4/21/2009 End Date: 1/31/2012

Second Term - Reappointment

STATUS: Active

Type of Position: **Non-Senior Co/VC**

Ms. Beth Shapiro, Gaithersburg

Affiliation: None

Start Date: 5/1/2007 End Date: 1/31/2010

First Term - Replaces Lester Trachtman's expired term

STATUS: Active

Type of Position: **Non-Senior**

Mr. Robert Tiller, Silver Spring

Affiliation: None

Start Date: 4/21/2009 End Date: 1/31/2012

First Term - Replaces Juanita Perry's unexpired term

STATUS: Active

Type of Position: **Non-Senior**

Ms. Grace Whipple, Gaithersburg

Affiliation: None

Start Date: 9/22/2009 End Date: 1/31/2011

Partial Term - Replaces - Marvin Freedenberg's unexpired term

STATUS: Active

Type of Position: **Senior**

Ms. Danielle Benjamin, Germantown

Affiliation: None

Start Date: 2/5/2008 End Date: 1/31/2011

First Full Term - Reappointment

STATUS: Active

Type of Position: **Senior Chair**

Ms. Elaine Binder, Bethesda

Affiliation: None

Start Date: 2/5/2008 End Date: 1/31/2010

First Full Term - Reappointment

STATUS: Active

Type of Position: **Senior**

Mr. Morton Davis, Silver Spring

Affiliation: None

Start Date: 4/21/2009 End Date: 1/31/2012

First Full Term - Reappointment

STATUS: Active

Type of Position: **Senior**

Mr. Irwin Goldbloom, Chevy Chase

Affiliation: None

Start Date: 5/1/2007 End Date: 1/31/2010

Second Term - Reappointment

STATUS: Active

Type of Position: **Senior**

Mr. Michael Goldman, Gaithersburg

Affiliation: None

Start Date: 5/1/2007 End Date: 1/31/2010

First Full Term - Reappointment

STATUS: Active

Type of Position: **Senior**

Dr. John Honig, Bethesda

Affiliation: None

Start Date: 2/5/2008 End Date: 1/31/2011

First Full Term - Reappointment

STATUS: Active

Type of Position: **Senior**

Ms. Vivien Hsueh, Bethesda

Affiliation: Commission on Aging

Start Date: 4/21/2009 End Date: 1/31/2012

Second Term - Reappointment

STATUS: Active

MEMBERSHIP

Type of Position: **Senior**
Ms. Judith Jaffe, Rockville
Affiliation: None
Start Date: 5/1/2007 End Date: 1/31/2010
Second Term - Reappointment
STATUS: Active

Type of Position: **Senior**
Ms. Harriette Rindner, North Bethesda
Affiliation: None
Start Date: 2/5/2008 End Date: 1/31/2011
First Term - Replaces Sandra Sewell's expired term
STATUS: Active

Type of Position: **Senior Co/VC**
Mr. Alan Kreger, Potomac
Affiliation: None
Start Date: 2/5/2008 End Date: 1/31/2011
Second Term - Reappointment
STATUS: Active

Type of Position: **Senior**
Mr. Spencer Schron, Potomac
Affiliation: None
Start Date: 4/21/2009 End Date: 1/31/2010
Partial Term - Replaces Norman Locksley's unexpired term
STATUS: Active

Type of Position: **Senior**
Ms. Zoe Lefkowitz, Silver Spring
Affiliation: None
Start Date: 2/5/2008 End Date: 1/31/2011
First Full Term - Reappointment
STATUS: Active

Type of Position: **Senior**
Mr. John "Jack" Sprague, Rockville
Affiliation: None
Start Date: 4/21/2009 End Date: 1/31/2012
First Term - Replaces Barbara Glaser's expired term
STATUS: Active

Type of Position: **Senior**
Dr. Patricia Lesnick, Silver Spring
Affiliation: None
Start Date: 5/1/2007 End Date: 1/31/2010
Second Term - Reappointment
STATUS: Active

Type of Position: **Senior**
Ms. Judith Welles, Bethesda
Affiliation: None
Start Date: 4/21/2009 End Date: 1/31/2012
Third Term - Reappointment
STATUS: Active

Type of Position: **Senior**
Ms. Judith Levy, Bethesda
Affiliation: None
Start Date: 4/21/2009 End Date: 1/31/2011
Partial Term - Replaces Jordan S. Harburger's unexpired term
STATUS: Active

Type of Position: **Senior - APGRB Liason**
Dr. Miriam Kelty, Bethesda
Affiliation: None
Start Date: 9/22/2009 End Date: 1/31/2011
Partial Term - Replaces Blanche Keller's unexpired term.
STATUS: Active

Type of Position: **Senior**
Dr. James Mayo, Bethesda
Affiliation: None
Start Date: 5/1/2007 End Date: 1/31/2010
Second Term - Reappointment
STATUS: Active

Type of Position: **Senior**
Ms. Paula Post, Potomac
Affiliation: None
Start Date: 2/5/2008 End Date: 1/31/2011
First Term - Replaces Suzy Leahigh's expired term
STATUS: Active



Policy and Procedures



List of Boards, Committees and Commissions



Meeting Calendar



Vacancy Notices



Council Policy Regarding Appointments

Vacancy Announcements

Release ID: 09-136

Media Contact: Beth Gochrach, 240.777.2528

For Immediate Release: 11/6/2009

Application Deadline: 11/30/2009

Leggett Seeks Applicants for Commission on Aging

County Executive Isiah Leggett is seeking applicants to fill eight vacancies on the Montgomery County Commission on Aging. Four incumbents are eligible to apply for reappointment. **Applicants must be County residents**, and seniors and non-seniors are encouraged to apply.

Serving as an advocate on behalf of older persons in the County, the Commission advises the County Executive, the County Council and various Montgomery County Departments on the concerns and needs of seniors.

Members serve three-year terms without compensation. Meetings are held the fourth Thursday of each month at 401 Hungerford Drive in Rockville from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. Commission members are expected to serve on a committee of the Commission as well. Each committee meets on the average of once a month, generally during the day.

Applicants of diverse backgrounds, professions, gender, geography, disability and ethnicity are encouraged to apply. An application, consisting of a **brief cover letter and resume**, should be sent by mail to County Executive Isiah Leggett, 101 Monroe Street, 2nd Floor, Rockville, MD 20850, or by email to countyexecutive.boards@montgomerycountymd.gov.

Home and employment addresses, as well as contact phone numbers and email addresses should be included. If appropriate, applicants should indicate the position for which they are applying. The deadline for application is **November 30**.

Members of County boards, committees and commissions may not serve on more than one such group at a time. Members of this Commission are eligible for reimbursement for travel and dependent care for meetings attended. Leggett's appointments are subject to confirmation by the County Council. Applications of those selected for appointment are made public as part of the confirmation process.

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