

Appointments

MEMORANDUM

September 17, 2009

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

The County Executive's appointments to the Commission on People with Disabilities 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

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(Reappointment--First Full Term)

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Silver Spring
(Replaces Philip Smakula's term--No Term Exp.)

Type of Position: Agency

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Lt. Joseph P. Kennedy Institute of Catholic Charities
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Type of Position: Parent of Person w/Disability

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Potomac 9/30/2012
(Replaces Stephen Hage's expired term--First Term)

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Silver Spring 9/30/2012
(Reappointment--Second Term)

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Rockville
(Replaces Janeth Mora's term--No Term Exp.)

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(Replaces Craig Brieske's expired term--First Term)

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(Replaces Denise Thomas' expired term--First Term)

TO SERVE AS members of the Commission on People with Disabilities

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

ISIAH LEGGETT
COUNTY EXECUTIVE

September 9, 2009

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 People with Disabilities

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

The County Executive's appointments to the Commission on People with Disabilities are confirmed.

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This is a correct copy of Council action.

Linda M. Lauer, Clerk of the Council

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COMMISSION ON PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES

- Created -- Section 27-51 of the Montgomery County Code, 1978 (amended 1990, 1995).
- Purpose -- Advise the County Executive and the County Council on matters relating to residents with disabilities of the County; review overall programs and services for people with disabilities, including identifying unmet needs and gaps in services; review federal, state and local legislation that affect people with disabilities; and identify, analyze and evaluate barriers to programs and services for people with disabilities. The Commission also studies ways to maximize the use of facilities and services available to people with disabilities; initiates and sponsors conferences, forums and special task forces to identify and assess needs and promote the coordination of services among public and private agencies that provide services and programs for people with disabilities; reviews budgetary recommendations for the County's contribution to programs and services to disabled individuals; and, submits an annual report.
- Membership -- 25 members and at least 5 non-voting members. Thirteen of the voting members are to be people with disabilities; three members are to be parents of people with disabilities and nine members are to be representatives from organizations and agencies that provide services or represent people with disabilities. Five non-voting members including one from the Department of Recreation, Department of Public Works and Transportation, and the Human Rights Commission, and two non-voting members from the Department of Health and Human Services.
- Financial Disclosure -- Not required.
- Terms -- Three year terms - no compensation.
- Meetings -- Second Wednesday of each month, except for July and August.
- Staff -- Betsy Luecking, Program Manager, Dept. of Health and Human Services, Aging & Dis. Services, 401 Hungerford Drive, 4th Fl., 240-777-1256; Md. Relay Service 1-800-735-2258; Paratransit 301-468-4446 (V) or 301-468-4109 (TTY)

MEMBERSHIP

Representatives of organizations and agencies (9)

Kimberley Greenfield Alfonso Columbia Lighthouse for the Blind Bethesda (first term)	9/2011	Nelson Jackson Communications Workers of America Montgomery Village (second term)	9/2010
Shane Feldman National Association for the Deaf Silver Spring (second term)	9/2009	Janeth Kamala Inwood House Silver Spring (first term)	9/2010
Lauren B. Feuerstein Jewish Social Service Agency (JSSA) Potomac (partial term since 3/09)	9/2010	Edmund J. Kenny Takoma Park Handicap International (first term)	9/2011
Stephen R. Hage Strategies for Independent Living Takoma Park (second term)	9/2009	Mark J. Maxin Special Olympics Gaithersburg (partial term since 9/08)	9/2009

Lise Hamlin
Hearing Loss Association of America
Rockville
(second term)

CO-CHAIR

9/2011

Representatives of people with disabilities (13)

Craig A. Brieske Derwood (second term)	9/2009	John G. Mier Bethesda (first full term)	9/2010
Cynthia M. Buddington Gaithersburg (second term)	9/2011	Paul Myer Rockville (first term)	9/2011
Charles H. Crawford Silver Spring (first term)	9/2011	Marcie Povitsky Rockville (first term)	9/2010
Harry Eisenberg Silver Spring (second term)	9/2011	Kamran Rasul Rockville (first term)	9/2010
Patricia A. Gallalee Rockville (first term)	9/2011	Sandra R. Sermons Rockville (first term)	9/2010
Aaron M. Kaufman Chevy Chase (first full term)	9/2011	Denise R. Thomas Silver Spring (first term)	9/2009
William Timothy Markwood Damascus (first term)	9/2009		



Parents of people with disabilities (3)

Sharon K. Freiman Chevy Chase (first term)	9/2010	Jackie Simon Montgomery Village (second term)	9/2011
Michael Hetchkop Rockville (second term)	9/2009		

Ex officio nonvoting members (at least 5)

Philip G. Smakula <i>Department of Recreation</i> Silver Spring	RESIGNED 7/09	Rose Sachs <i>Montgomery College</i> Rockville	
Beth Mellen Harrison <i>Human Rights Commission</i> Rockville		Angela J. Washington-Bivans <i>Office of Human Resources</i> Rockville	
Janeth Mora <i>DOT</i> Rockville	RESIGNED 5/09	Susan Smith <i>Housing Opportunities Commission</i> Kensington	
Nancy G. Greene <i>DHHS</i> Rockville		Francie Gilman <i>Department of Public Libraries</i> Bethesda	
Darlene Taper <i>DHHS</i> Rockville		Susan Wiant <i>Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation</i> Rockville	
Kathy L. Kolan, Ed.D. <i>Montgomery Co. Public Schools</i> Rockville		Richard L. Jackson <i>Department of General Services</i> Rockville	



Policy and Procedures



List of Boards, Committees and Commissions



Meeting Calendar



Vacancy Notices



Council Policy Regarding Appointments

Vacancy Announcements

Release ID: 09-076

Media Contact: Beth Gochrach, 240.777.2528

For Immediate Release: 5/22/2009

Application Deadline: 6/12/2009

Leggett Seeks Applicants for Commission on People with Disabilities

County Executive Isiah Leggett is seeking applicants to fill seven vacancies on the Montgomery County Commission on People with Disabilities. Three vacancies must be filled by representatives of organizations or agencies that provide services to people with disabilities; three vacancies must be filled by representatives of people with disabilities; and one representative must be filled by a parent of a person with disabilities. Three incumbents are eligible to apply for reappointment (one organization representative; and two people with disabilities representatives).

The Commission advises the County Executive on programs and services concerning the nearly 190,000 residents with disabilities.

Members serve three-year terms without compensation, meeting the second Wednesday evening of each month at the Executive Office Building in Rockville. Members are expected to serve on at least one committee or work group that meets approximately once every month on its own schedule. For more information about the Commission, contact Betsy Luecking at 240-777-1256 voice/TTY or via email at betsy.luecking@montgomerycountymd.gov

Applicants of diverse backgrounds, professions, gender, geography, disability and ethnicity are encouraged to apply and should write by June 12 to County Executive Isiah Leggett at the Executive Office Building, 101 Monroe Street, Rockville, MD 20850 or send an e-mail to countyexecutive.boards@montgomerycountymd.gov. A brief resume, including home and work telephone numbers, should be enclosed detailing pertinent experience and business, civic or community group association. The cover letter should indicate the type of slot the applicant is applying for. Those applying for reappointment must indicate current employment or send an updated resume with your application letter.

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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