

## Allegheny County Council

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A proclamation honoring former Council Member Cindy Kirk.

*WHEREAS*, throughout the history of Allegheny County and the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, talented officials who possess great knowledge and determination exhibit exemplary leadership in elected positions and contribute invaluably to our communities; and

*WHEREAS*, chosen by the residents of Allegheny County District 2, *Cynthia (Cindy) Kirk* was elected to office on November 3, 2015 and was duly sworn in on January 4, 2016; and

*WHEREAS*, while on Council, *Cindy* represented the residents of Bell Acres, Bradford Woods, Crescent, Edgeworth, Franklin Park, Leet, Leetsdale, Marshall, McCandless, Ohio, Pine, Richland, Sewickley, Sewickley Heights, and Sewickley Hills; and

*WHEREAS*, during her time serving the residents of District 2 on County Council, *Cindy* served on several committees including Parks, Government Reform, Public Works, to name a few, as well as, serving a time as Chair of the Health and Human Services Committee; and

*WHEREAS*, *Cindy* holds a master's degree in Nursing Administration from the University of Pittsburgh and currently serves as a nurse administrator at UPMC, Oakland Campus. Throughout her nursing career, Cindy worked in several nursing specialties, such as on a transplant unit and as a dialysis nurse. She later worked as a nurse researcher and in nursing informatics; and

*WHEREAS*, *Cindy* has been a lifelong community volunteer and activist. She has served as a school PTA volunteer and president, a Boy Scouts of America volunteer, a Girl Scouts of America leader, Jubilee Kitchen volunteer, president of the SWPA U. S. Air Force Academy Parents Association, and served on the Northland Library Foundation Board. As a grass-roots political activist, *Cindy* works hard for her party and candidates affiliated with her party's local and State Committees; and

*WHEREAS*, as a nearly forty-year resident of the district, *Cindy* lives in McCandless with her husband Bill. They are parents of two adult children, Chip (Beth) and Kim and a grandchild, Natalie.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Allegheny County Council, on behalf of the citizens of Allegheny County, hereby recognizes **The Honorable Cindy Kirk** for her contributions to Allegheny County

Council and to the enhancement of the wellbeing of the County's citizens. *Cindy* always acted in the best interests of the constituents of Allegheny County and her unwavering commitment to Council serves as an exemplary model of leadership. This Council thanks her for her years of dedicated public service and we wish her well as she moves into the future.

*IN WITNESS WHEREOF*, we have hereunto caused the Seal of the County of Allegheny to be affixed this 12<sup>th</sup> day of April 2022.