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Council President Cathy Woolard
Atlanta City Council
55 Trinity Avenue, S.W.
Atlanta, Georgia 30335

Dear Council President Woolard:

We are pleased to recommend Ms. Regina Brewer as the Neighborhood Representative to the Urban Design Commission. Ms. Brewer's experience includes having worked on the designation of Inman Park as a historic district, which was passed by City Council and approved by the Mayor last year. During this process, Ms. Brewer proved herself to be a consensus builder and a quick learner in the area of zoning and planning issues. We believe these qualities serve the Commission well.

Attached you will find Ms. Brewer's resume. If any additional information is needed, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Respectfully submitted by:

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PROFILE: Neighborhood advocate and volunteer who would provide a neighborhood's perspective and concern to issues and projects heard by the Atlanta Urban Design Commission.

QUALIFICATION HIGHLIGHTS

- Led successful campaign to nominate and create the Inman Park Historic District adopted by Atlanta City Council in 2002.
- Worked closely with Urban Design Commission staff, city planning staff, professional planner Bill Kennedy and property owners to develop the Sub-area 3 regulations that created a plan for the Inman Park transitional and industrial areas that were adopted by Atlanta City Council in 2002.
- Worked with various neighborhood groups to create a neighborhood coalition to assist the Urban Design Commission and staff identify ways to better protect the designated districts and enforce the regulations.
- Worked on various committees that addressed: the Community Development Plan (CDP) for NPU-N, Little Five Points Business District revitalization, and numerous requests for rezoning and future development plans for parcels within Inman Park including the Mead/Wood Partners project and the Industrial Metals Project.
- Worked with Councilwoman Debi Starnes to create a residential only parking zone in Inman Park.
- Lived in Inman Park since April 1996.

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

United States Department of State, Overseas Buildings Operations, Arlington VA.

- Financial Analyst (1990-1995): Prepared budgets, analyzed financial data related to contractor payments, developed financial data base systems, and supported project planning staff in mission to build and maintain United States Embassy and Embassy residences abroad.
- Program Analyst (1987-1990): Responsible for procurement, tracking and installation of all office building furnishings for U.S. Embassies worldwide. Managed classified projects, and coordinated with federal officials on security issues related to the installation of equipment and furnishings in New Office Building (NOB) projects including Moscow, Russia, Mogadishu, Somalia, Sanaa, Yeman, Tegucigalpa, Honduras.

Education

University of Maryland, College Park, MD. B.A. Secondary English Education, 1987. Certificate, Women's Studies, 1987

Personal

I have lived in Inman Park since 1996 along with my husband of 16 years, Joseph Castellano. We are always working on our 1912 Foursquare when our three children allow us the time. We have a daughter, Angelora, who is three and twins, Sam and Genevieve, who just turned one.