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TO: Michael Hanlon
City Clerk

FROM: Ray O'Connell *ROC*
Interim Mayor

DATE: October 8, 2018

SUBJECT: Authorities, Boards, Commissions Appointments

Mayor O'Connell has approved the following appointment for City Council's consideration.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Authority/Board/Commission</u>	<u>Term to Expire</u>
Lyn L. Langkamer	Civil Service Board	01/21/2019

Pastor Langkamer is fulfilling the unexpired term of Robert Velez who resigned from this board. Pastor Langkamer's resume is attached. Thank you.

ROC/kal

Attachments

RECEIVED

REQUEST FOR APPOINTMENT SEP 21 2018 **DATE - September 18, 2018**

MAYOR'S OFFICE

AUTHORITY, BOARD OR COMMISSION YOU ARE REQUESTING APPOINTMENT

TO: Civil Service Board

NAME: Lyn L Langkamer

HOME ADDRESS: 431 West Walnut Street, Allentown, PA 18102

BUSINESS

ADDRESS: NA

TELEPHONE NO. (RESIDENCE) 610-782-9691 (Cell) 610-248-7579

EMAIL: lynmarti@ptd.net

PRESENTLY EMPLOYED BY:

St John's Lutheran Church

501 Chestnut Street, Emmaus, PA 18049

JOB TITLE: Assisting Pastor (part-time)

EMPLOYMENT (Prior):

Pastor – St John's Lutheran Church, 37 S Fifth Street, Allentown, PA – 1999-2010

EDUCATION:

HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE: YES

COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY GRADUATE YES

DEGREE/FIELD OF STUDY

Bachelor of Science in Secondary Education – Mathematics/German

Master of Divinity

CURRENT MEMBERSHIP IN ORGANIZATIONS AND OFFICES:

St John's Lutheran Church, Allentown, PA

PAST ORGANIZATIONAL MEMBERSHIP AND OFFICES HELD:

Alliance for Building Communities Board

Allentown Liberty Bell Rotary Club

DO YOU LIVE IN THE CITY OF ALLENTOWN: YES

HAVE YOU EVER BEEN ARRESTED? NO

IF SO, WHY?

DO YOU HAVE A SIGNIFICANT "BUSINESS" OR "PROPERTY" INTEREST IN ALLENTOWN? PLEASE EXPLAIN:

I own my home in center city Allentown and have resided here for 19 years. I rejoice over the recent development downtown and I am always seeking ways to improve the quality of life in this urban setting.

ARE YOU A REGISTERED VOTER: YES

WHY ARE YOU INTERESTED IN THIS APPOINTMENT? BE SURE TO INCLUDE WHAT VALUE YOU WILL BRING TO THE BOARD:

I believe that the police department plays a crucial role in maintaining the safety and upholding the values desired by residents in this urban setting. I believe that I can bring to the board my experience as a resident and worker in center city. I also hope that I can bring good communication skills, enthusiasm, energy, common sense, and wholesome values.

DO YOU ANTICIPATE A CONFLICT OF INTEREST BY SERVING AS A MEMBER OF AN AUTHORITY, BOARD OR COMMISSION: NO

IF YES, EXPLAIN:

IF YOU ARE BEING CONSIDERED FOR REAPPOINTMENT, PLEASE INDICATE HOW MANY TERMS YOU HAVE SERVED _____ AND THE YEAR YOU WERE FIRST APPOINTED _____.

NOTE: This information will be used for making appointments to authorities, boards and commission and in the event you are appointed/reappointed, it may be used as a news release to identify you to the community.



Signature

9/18/18

Date

Please forward this request for appointment, along with a resume to:

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City Hall
435 Hamilton Street
Allentown, PA 18101

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Allentown, PA 18102

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Personal Summary

I am an energetic and passionate Lutheran Pastor retired from full-time ministry residing in downtown Allentown for nineteen years. I am interested in becoming more involved in organizations and activities working for the betterment of this urban community.

Work History

Assisting Pastor (part-time) – St John's Lutheran Church, Emmaus, PA	2011-Present
Pastor – St John's Lutheran Church, Allentown, PA	1999-2010
Pastor – Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, Northampton, PA	1980-1999
Pastor – Zion Lutheran Church, Shoemakersville, PA	1973-1980

Education

Lehigh Area High School – 1965

Kutztown University – 1969
Bachelor of Science Degree in Secondary Education

The Lutheran Theological Seminary, Philadelphia - 1973
Master of Divinity Degree

Community Involvement

Alliance for Building Communities Board
Allentown Liberty Bell Rotary Club

Family Information

Wife – Marti, retired public school teacher
Four adult daughters
Eight grandchildren