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Jackie Henderson

From: Carol Downs <caroldowns2u@gmail.com>
Sent: Thursday, September 29, 2016 11:36 AM
To: Jackie Henderson
Cc: Mary Parker; Carol Downs
Subject: Letter of Support for Mary Parker
Attachments: Mary Parker 2016 letter of support.pdf

Dear Jackie,

I would very much appreciate you sending the attached Letter of Support to the City Council to enable Mary Parker to remain as a member of the Alexandria Commission on Aging.

As I said in the letter, we would hate to lose her!

Thanks,

Carol Downs
Chair
Alexandria Commission on Aging

Carol Downs
725 Timber Branch Drive
Alexandria, VA 22302

TO: Jackie Henderson
City Clerk

RE: Support for Mary Parker
Current Commission on Aging Member

Dear Jackie:

I would like to encourage the City Council to approve Mary Parker's request to remain on the Commission on Aging (COA). For the past several years, Mary has played an integral role in many aspects of the Commission's work, particularly in the area of establishing and maintaining a close relationship with the Commission on Person's With Disabilities. as COA's Liaison with that Commission. Mary has also been the COA Liaison with the Partnership for a Healthier Alexandria (PHA), and in that capacity has advocated for the inclusion of issues relating to Alexandria's senior population (which is growing).

It is my hope that the City Council will support the continuation of Mary Parker as a Commission on Aging member. We would hate to lose her.

With warm regards,

Carol Downs
Chair
Alexandria Commission on Aging