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May 21, 2015

To: Alderpersons, City of Annapolis

From: Mayor Michael Pantelides

Re: Housing and Human Welfare Committee

Pending your approval, I would like to reappoint Jeffrey Macris to the Education Commission. Mr. Macris resides in Ward 2 and this appointment fills the Ward 2 position on the commission. He has been serving on the Education Commission since 2013.

Mr. Jeffrey Macris 102 Old Crossing Lane Annapolis, MD 21401 jmacis@hotmail.com

A copy of his resume is attached.

Thank You.
Muchael Pantelides

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Reviewed by:	Housing	and Human Welfare Committee
Favorable Unfavorable		
Committee Chair Date		
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## Jeff Macris

Jeff Macris is the Ward 2 representative to the Annapolis Education Commission and its former chair. A long-time education advocate, he has served as a member of the PTA of West Annapolis Elementary, Bates Middle School, and Annapolis High School. He has chaired the Annapolis Cluster Citizens Advisory Committee to the Board of Education, served as the only citizen-member of the 2005 MGT Study Task Force that promulgated a capital budget prioritization plan, and was a member of the Middle School Schedule Task Force that re-shaped the school day of 6-8<sup>th</sup> graders across the county. As well, he has served on numerous other county education task forces and groups. Over the past decade he led the movement to improve the city's two middle schools, by bringing an International Baccalaureate program to Annapolis Middle and a Performing and Visual Arts program to Bates Middle. As a result of his education advocacy work, he won the 2010 State School Superintendent's "Parent of the Year" for the entire state of Maryland, and in 2013 won Governor O'Malley's Lifetime Achievement Award for his support of public education in the state. He now co-chairs, along with Maryland State School Superintendent Lillian Lowery, the Maryland State Department of Education's Family Engagement Council.

Jeff is a former U.S. naval aviator who now teaches Middle East History as a Permanent Military Professor in the Naval Academy's history department. He holds an MA and PhD from Johns Hopkins University's School of Advanced International Studies, and is the author of two books on the Persian Gulf. He, his wife Jennifer, and five public school children live in Wardour/West Annapolis.

Hillary,

I am Enid Collison-Lee and I have been on the Mayors' Education commission as a representative of Rolling Knolls Elementary school. I am presently serving as the Secretary for the commission. I would like to serve as a voting member for the upcoming year. I reside in Annapolis, Maryland. Please let me know what other information you need.

Thank you, Enid Collison-Lee.