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FIELD  Step #4 legistar Area Commissioner Clintonville	Appointment of James Blazer, 333 East North Broadway Street Columbus, Ohio 43214 to serve on the Clintonville Area Commission with a term expiration date of 6/30/2013. Commissioner Blazer holds the seat formerly occupied by Clare Balombin.	NEW INFORMATION  (1) Please print new information clearly, OR  (2) Place a "check" in these boxes if member is re-elected and information is unchanged  (3) Do not forget to update "Term Expiration" for re-elected members
First Name	James	✓
Last Name	Blazer	✓
Title	Area Commissioner	✓
Address	333 East North Broadway Street	✓
City	Columbus	✓
State	Ohio	✓
Zip Code	43214	✓
Home Telephone	(614) 268-6397	✓
Work Telephone	(614) 487-8601	
Fax Number	(614) 487-8602	
Email Address	Blazercacdistrict3@gmail.com	<b>✓</b>
District/Designation	District 3	✓
Term Start Date	7/01/2010	✓
Term Expiration	6/30/2013	✓

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## AREA COMMISSIONER PROFILE

I was born in Columbus and grew up in the Linden Area, on Hanna Drive near Brentnell and Mock Roads. We moved to Gahanna when I was 10 years old. I moved back into the City of Columbus to attend The Ohio State University and have lived here since that time.

I am owner and founder of Blazer & Associates, Inc. an insurance agency specializing in health insurance for individuals and corporations with an emphasis on designing plans for associations and their membership.

## **Past Community involvements:**

- Member of St. James Episcopal Church, served as finance Chair and member of Vestry.
- Co-chair of the Thanksgiving Day Dinner outreach, where we distributed 1200 meals on Thanksgiving day to homeless and shut-ins. This program used to be housed at Nancy's Kitchen where Cindy King has asked us to continue that tradition in Clintonville on her behalf.
- 2009 Election Chairman, Clintonville Area Commission, after problems occurred in previous elections we retooled the process and turned out a record vote in that year
- 2009 Member of the North High Street and East North Broadway Street Task Force for the Clintonville Area Commission.
- 2009/2010 Member of the Planning and Development Committee for Clintonville Area Commission

## **Current affiliations**

- Member of St. James Episcopal Church
- Member of Columbus Board of REALTORS Association (affiliate)
- Member of East Central Ohio Food Dealers Association (board member)
- Member of Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity (National President 2004-2006)