

AREA COMMISSION APPOINTMENT FORM

The Department of Neighborhoods maintains the database for the Area Commission members in the City of Columbus. The information on this form is used to process the Mayor's appointment and ensure timely and accurate distribution of meeting notices, training opportunities, and other City activities. Please complete all sections of the form with information about your recently elected/appointed commissioner within seven (7) days of the election/appointment. After completing and signing this form, please return it, along with the appointees resume and/or biography to your Neighborhood Liaison via email. Please contact your Neighborhood Liaison with any questions or comments.

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Area Commission Name	
Please check appropriate box ☒ New appointment ☐ Reappointment	Are there changes to this information? Yes ☐ No ☐
First Name	David Lee
Last Name	Gray
Title (i.e. officer / commissioner)	Commissioner
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State	OH.
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District/Designation	
Term Start Date	1/12/2019
Term Expiration	12.31.2022
Seat Succession	02317 seat

Area Commission Chair Signature

Henry J. Alcock

ALL SECTIONS OF THIS FORM MUST BE COMPLETED

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Objective

- To be elected to the Livingston Avenue Area Commission

Skills

- Great interpersonal skills
- Fund raising skills
- Community building skills
- Organizing skills

Experience

- Lived in and heavily invested in Old Oaks since 1992.
 - Choosing to bring up my children here.
 - Longtime resident of Old Oaks.
 - Person of vision.
 - Nearly 30 years invested working to improve the neighborhood.
 - Active in both the social and political aspects of the neighborhood and surrounding areas.
- Helped organize the initial Wednesday on the Porch.
 - Organize the annual Holiday light contest.
 - Past leader of the summer reading program.
 - Member of Holy Rosary St. John Catholic Church 648 S. Ohio Ave.
- Have rehabbed 8 houses in the area, saving one from demolition.
 - Thorough knowledge of the historic review process.
- Present president of the Old Oaks Civic Association (OOCA).
 - Served in this capacity for four terms, total seven years thus far.
 - During this time I worked to increase the membership of OOCA.
 - Have worked to increase the OOCA funds.
 - Have endeavored to make OOCA an inclusive organization.
 - Currently working with Columbus Historic Resources Commission to ensure investors follow the same historic regulations as home owners.
 - Working relationship with city council.
 - Organized a call system to get quicker police response to issues.
 - Promoted the use of the 311 call center.
- Current president of the Old Oaks Horticulture Club.
 - Secured funding for the gazebo.
 - Secured funding for the hardscape through fundraising.
 - Secured funding for the past 8 years for the OOCA flag project.
 - Help maintain OOCA public flower beds
 - Instrumental in obtaining hundreds of newly planted trees in the public areas of the Old Oaks boundaries.
- Fund raising – 12 years experience – currently I sit on the fund raising committee for OOCA.
 - Past president of OOCA fundraising.
 - Have organized and/or worked on the following fund raising projects.

- Education
 - Wine tasting
 - OOCA house and garden tour
 - OOCA cocktail parties
 - Mardi Gras
 - Boulevard Blast
 - Annual pumpkin sale
- Great working relationship with Nationwide Children's Hospital.
- Have helped elderly neighbors obtain city funding for house repairs.
- Serve on OSU Environment of Care Committee.
- Serve on OSU Infection Control Committee.

• Was graduated from The Ohio State University with a Bachelor of Science degree – 1988

- Work Experience
 - The Ohio State University (OSU) 1983 – Present

- OSU Wilice Student Health Center
- OSU Flow Cytometry/Oncology
- OSU Critical Care Laboratory
- OSU Hematology Laboratory