

COUNTY OF



ALLEGHENY

RICH FITZGERALD  
COUNTY EXECUTIVE

## *Proclamation*

**WHEREAS**, the Kennedy Township Board of Commissioners has chosen to honor Mr. Mel Weinstein through the re-naming of its municipal building as the “Kennedy Township Mel Weinstein Municipal Center;” the celebration and dedication will take place on Saturday, August 16, 2014; and

**WHEREAS**, Mr. Weinstein has been a leader in Kennedy Township for 40 years; after graduating high school, he got a job at the J&L Steel Mill, where he worked for more than three decades; he entered the political arena in the early 1970s and won his first election as a township commissioner in 1973; and

**WHEREAS**, Mr. Weinstein is the only person in the history of the municipality to be elected to 11 consecutive four-year terms; he served as a township commissioner for 20 years, and he took office as the tax collector and treasurer, his current position, in 1994; public service is a longstanding part of who Mr. Weinstein is, and he is committed to doing his best for the people of Kennedy Township; and

**WHEREAS**, through his unmatched work, Mr. Weinstein has produced balanced budgets for over four decades, and was a central part of ensuring that Kennedy Township maintained one of the lowest millage rates in the County; and

**WHEREAS**, in addition to his government service, Mr. Weinstein has played a leading role in his community; he is a 50 year member of St. Malachy’s Church, where he is a Eucharistic Minister, has been involved with the Boy Scouts of America, and has coached boys’ Little League and girls’ softball, just to name a few of his activities.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that I, Allegheny County Executive Rich Fitzgerald, by virtue of the authority vested in me, do hereby congratulate Mr. Mel Weinstein on this well-deserved honor and thank him for his leadership and inspiration over the last 40 years.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the County of Allegheny to be affixed this 16<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2014.

*Rich Fitzgerald*

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