

COUNTY OF



ALLEGHENY

RICH FITZGERALD
COUNTY EXECUTIVE

Proclamation

WHEREAS, the Women's Committee of West Penn Hospital is celebrating its 100th anniversary this year and has been an essential supporter of West Penn Hospital, its patients, and the community; and

WHEREAS, the Women's Committee is a dedicated volunteer force that operates and manages the Gift Shop, coffee cart, vending machines, baby pictures, and television service for West Penn Hospital and hosts numerous fundraising sales throughout the year; and

WHEREAS, founded with the name "Social Services Committee," the group's original work was to assist with the expansion of the Social Services Department; the ladies quickly took on other projects and the group's name was changed to the Women's Committee; the Committee and its Governing Board have donated millions of dollars to the Hospital, and have funded numerous programs and activities, including renovations, just to name a few; and

WHEREAS, led by Mrs. C. Lee (Norma) Walter, the Governing Board consists of: Jill M. Brethauer, Kathleen N. Cecil, Norene G. Christano, June R. Davidson, Bette Evans, Lois Folino, Nancy L. Kirby, and Donamarie Wilfong; members of the Women's Committee include: Joyce Cushard, June R. Davidson, Barbara L. Dunkelman, Molly Gabos, Nancy Grover, Sue Lebanik, B.J. Leber, Vicki Nesta, Kim Thomas, and Sandy Usber; and

WHEREAS, the Women's Committee of West Penn Hospital is an unmatched source of support for West Penn Hospital; the work and dedication of the Committee's members has not gone unnoticed, and we are appreciative and grateful for all they have done and the means they have provided which allow for services to be offered.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that I, Allegheny County Executive Rich Fitzgerald, by virtue of the authority vested in me, do hereby congratulate the Women's Committee of West Penn Hospital on this exciting anniversary and wish its Governing Board and members much success in the future.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the County of Allegheny to be affixed this 23rd day of July, 2014.

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