

COUNTY OF



ALLEGHENY

RICH FITZGERALD  
COUNTY EXECUTIVE

## *Proclamation*

**WHEREAS**, the YWCA Greater Pittsburgh has chosen to honor Mr. Edward E. Scott as a recipient of the 2014 Racial Justice Award, an annual tribute to leaders who promote equality in society; and

**WHEREAS**, Mr. Scott serves as the George Rowland White Endowed Professor in Accounting and Finance at Point Park University; he teaches undergraduate accounting and finance courses and leads Point Park's Urban Accounting Initiative to encourage education and careers in accounting and finance, particularly among young minority students; and

**WHEREAS**, Mr. Scott earned his bachelor's degree in accounting from Point Park University and an executive MBA from Texas Christian University; he previously has worked as an accountant at Deloitte & Touche, taught at the Community College of Allegheny County, was the accounting manager and economic development officer at the Urban Redevelopment Authority, and was the finance director at the Housing Authority for the City of Pittsburgh; additionally, Mr. Scott was the Capital Investment Accounting Director for the Burlington Northern Santa Fe Railway, and went on to assume executive positions for the Kansas City Southern Railroad; and

**WHEREAS**, Mr. Scott served on the NEED Board of Trustees and the St. Benedict the Moor School Advisory Board; he is the former president of the Pittsburgh chapter of the National Association of Black Accountants; and

**WHEREAS**, Allegheny County is fortunate to have the leadership and dedication that Mr. Scott brings to our region and is grateful for his work to create an equal society for all.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that I, Allegheny County Executive Rich Fitzgerald, by virtue of the authority vested in me, do hereby congratulate Mr. Edward E. Scott on receiving the 2014 Racial Justice Award and thank him for his commitment to promoting equality within our community.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the County of Allegheny to be affixed this 29<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2014.

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