

COUNTY OF



ALLEGHENY

Proclamation

WHEREAS, in February 2013, County Manager William D. McKain, CPA, re-instituted the Frank J. Lucchino Distinguished Service Award and created the Exemplary Employee Award to recognize exceptional achievements by a county employee or employee group; and

WHEREAS, after reviewing dozens of submitted nominations, the County Manager selected Mr. Edward McGregor as the recipient of the 2021 Frank J. Lucchino Distinguished Service Award; Ed first began working for the county in February 1983 when he joined the staff of the office of Controller Frank Lucchino; he remained there until 2009 when he joined the Allegheny County Office of the Medical Examiner (ACOME) as its Fiscal Manager where he has served for the last 12 years; and

WHEREAS, known as the strong, silent type, he is lauded by his coworkers and former coworkers as a man of few words who always strives to do the best job possible; he is never short on complimenting others for a job well done and his knowledge base and work ethic are legendary; even today, years after he stopped working in the Courthouse, he is still stopped for a handshake, a hello and is often referred to as “the legendary Ed McGregor;” and

WHEREAS, although his position with ACOME is very different from where he had worked previously, he believed he could apply his knowledge and skills and make contributions to the office; more than a decade later, those contributions have greatly exceeded his fiscal management responsibilities and he is an integral part of the leadership team there; and

WHEREAS, under his leadership, ACOME team members have respect and understanding of the fiscal requirements for its fiscal plans and forecasting and have built relationships with other county departments; he has provided new, innovative ideas that have benefitted the office and the residents of this county; additionally, he has been integral in helping the ACOME team apply for and manage millions of dollars of grants in his career which has resulted in expanded and expedited services; and

WHEREAS, Ed has always dedicated himself to the county and its residents; he is a trusted sounding board as his office door is always open to anyone; he is well known for his calm, open-minded, and honest opinions; he has always made himself available to employees throughout the county, building relationships on trust, honesty, and integrity; his coworkers and former coworkers note that it is an honor to work alongside him, for him, or even get to know him; and

WHEREAS, Allegheny County is extremely grateful for the service of Edward McGregor, Fiscal Manager for the Allegheny County Office of the Medical Examiner; his dedication to this county, and his job, have not gone unnoticed, and we thank him for all that he has done for the residents of Allegheny County.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that I, County Executive Rich Fitzgerald, by virtue of the authority vested in me, do hereby congratulate Mr. Edward McGregor on receiving the 2021 Frank J. Lucchino Distinguished Service Award for his public service and dedication to this county on behalf of our residents.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the County of Allegheny to be affixed this 30th day of November, 2021.



RICH FITZGERALD
COUNTY EXECUTIVE