



Mayor of Providence

Jorge O. Elorza

January 26, 2017

Honorable Members
Providence City Council
City Hall

Dear Honorable Members:

Pursuant to Section 302(b) of the Providence Home Rule Charter of 1980, as amended and Public Law, Chapter 45-50, Sections 1 through 31 passed in 1987, and Executive Order 2017-1, I am this day appointing Marykae Wright of 165 Wood Street, Bristol, Rhode Island 02809, to the Muslim-American Advisory Board, for a term to expire on January 11, 2019.

Sincerely,

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Jorge O. Elorza
Mayor

IN CITY COUNCIL
FEB 02 2017

READ
WHEREUPON IT IS ORDERED THAT
THE SAME BE RECEIVED.
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CLERK

MARYKAE WRIGHT

EDUCATION: University of Wisconsin-Madison, MSSW (Master of Science, Social Work), 1973. Areas of concentration: Mental Health, Child and Family.

University of Wisconsin-Madison, B.A., 1969.
Major: Social Work; Minor: Sociology

EXPERIENCE:

- 1987-Present Community activist, Bristol, RI.
Non-profit board member and former officer for Community String Project(2009-present), Community Concert Series@St. Michael's(2006-present), Save Bristol Harbor(2002-2010); founding member of East Bay Citizens for Peace in 2003; Led efforts to pass local school regionalization, bonds, and budgets; Leadership role in formation of new town-wide PTA; President of PTA and Treasurer for 3 years; initiated and led Bristolians for Excellence in Education, a civic action group for maintaining quality public school education; chairperson of Leathers-designed community build playground.
- Jan.-May,2011 Sabbatical leave(from Roger Williams Univ.)with family at Univ. of Cape Town, S. Africa. Explored education and delivery systems of TB and HIV/AIDS treatment efforts in Townships.
- Sept. 2004 - Title I Family Involvement Coordinator, Bristol
June 2006 Warren Regional School District.
- June 2002 - Sabbatical leave, Otago Univ., Dunedin, New Zealand.
Jan. 2003
- Oct. 2001 - Social Work Consultant, International Institute,
April 2002 Refugee Resettlement Program, Providence, RI.
- Feb. 1996 - Student/Volunteer Coordinator, Community Counseling
Feb. 2001 Center, Pawtucket, RI.

Feb.-Aug.1990 Sabbatical leave, Cambridge University, England.

August 1988 - Administrative Assistant to Ira Magaziner at
Feb. 1989 Telesis, Providence. Liaison work with community
action boards and charitable organizations.

Jan. 1988 - Coord. of Social and Health Services, Open Div.,
July 1988 Roger Williams College, sabbatical replacement.

Aug. 1981 - Clinical Social Worker, Newport Co. Community
March 1986 Mental Health Center, Middletown, RI. Out-patient
counseling with couples and families. Supervised
graduate students in social work.

Nov. 1979 - Lecturer/Clinical Field Instructor, University of
June 1980 Wisconsin-Madison, School of Social Work. Faculty
liaison for graduate social work students placed at
psychiatric and general hospitals.

April 1974 - Clinical Social Worker, Dodge County Mental Health
Sept. 1976 Center, Juneau, WI.

REFERENCES:

Contact info upon request -
Susan Donovan, State Representative, Bristol
Tony Texeira, Bristol Town Administrator
Suzanne Magaziner, Trinity Repertory Co.Board Chair