



Mayor of Providence

David N. Cicilline

October 5, 2010

Ms. Anna M. Stetson
City Clerk
City of Providence
City Hall
Providence, RI 02903

Dear Ms. Stetson,

In accordance with Chapter 2007-51, Ordinance No. 504, I hereby appoint Gregg DeMaria, of 85 Harrison Street, Providence Rhode Island 02909, to the Environmental Sustainability Task Force.

Sincerely,

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David N. Cicilline
Mayor

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IN CITY COUNCIL
OCT 21 2010

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WHEREUPON IT IS ORDERED THAT
THE SAME BE RECEIVED
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Gregg DeMaria

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Education

Providence College, Providence, Rhode Island, 2008-present

College of Business Administration

Master's Business Administration

Major: Social Entrepreneurship

University of Georgia, Athens, Georgia, 2004-2006

College of Education

Master's in Education, 2006

Major: Social Sciences

Washington University, St. Louis, Missouri, 1990-1994

School of Architecture

Bachelor of Arts, May 1994

Major: Architectural Design

Professional Experience

LaSalle Academy, Providence, Rhode Island, August 2006—present

School Sustainability Coordinator

- Developed a campus and curricular strategy to move La Salle towards a carbon net zero school by 2030
- Serves on Futures Committee of the Board of Regents of La Salle Academy
- Coordinates implementation of school wide sustainability initiative called "Vision for a Sustainable Future"
- Moderates the student Environmental Club
- Is creating an Urban Agriculture and Wetlands Restoration program at La Salle
- Designed and built a passive solar aqua cultural science lab geodesic dome greenhouse with students

LaSalle Academy, Providence, Rhode Island, August 2006—present

Teacher of Architecture and Sustainable Design

- Developed a curriculum for architecture and sustainable design and teaches the class in social studies department
- Created an interdisciplinary anti-poverty program called "Challenge 20-20" that explores the role of sustainable design in poverty eradication
- Moderates the student Architecture Club

LaSalle Academy, Providence, Rhode Island, August 2006—present

Coordinator of Academic Support

- Provides academic support services to students struggling in the traditional classroom
- Works with administrators, guidance counselors, and teachers to further enhance the academic experiences of students
- Serves on Student Services Committee of La Salle Academy
- Moderates San Miguel Student Group

The Greene School, Exeter/West Greenwich, Rhode Island, July 2009—present

Director/Chair of Facilities Committee

- Founding member of the Board of Directors of public state charter high school focused on environmental sustainability
- Supervised the opening of school and acquisition/build out of the school's temporary location
- Is coordinating the design and construction process for the permanent school to be located on URI's W. Alton Jones Campus

Community Works/ Elmwood Foundation, Providence, Rhode Island, June 2006—August 2009

Youth Garden Coordinator

- Coordinated and ran a summer youth garden program for city kids ages 9-16
- Used garden creation and vegetable production to encourage environmental stewardship and entrepreneurship
- Developed a garden to restaurant program that connects city youth to local chefs where students marketed and sold produce

DeMaria Design Build, Athens, Georgia, 2004-2006

Designer

- Designed modern, pre-fabricated residential home for a couple in Athens, Georgia
- Complete remodel and restoration of residences including design and construction

Verna Construction, Portland, Oregon, 2001-2003

Project Manager

- Managed site management of residential and small commercial construction projects.
- Supervised on-site crew and led all finish work
- Trained as a specialist in concrete countertops

Urban Bounty Farm, Portland, Oregon, 1999-2001.

Farm Manager and Education Coordinator

- Developed curriculum for school groups in urban wetlands and agriculture; taught these classes
- Worked with middle and high school groups on agricultural projects related to the farm

Other Professional and Educational Experience

- **Providence College – School of Education**, Providence, Rhode Island, 2007
Undergraduate Adjunct Instructor- Exceptional Learners in the Regular Classroom
- **Clarke Central High School**, Athens, Georgia, Jan-May 2006
Student Teacher
- **UGA Athletic Academic Department**, Athens, Georgia, 2004-2006
Graduate Assistant
- **Upward Bound Tutorial Program**, Athens, Georgia, 2004-2005
History Teacher
- **Urban Bounty Farm**, Portland, Oregon, 1999-2001
Educational Coordinator
- **Robert Gray Middle School ESL Classes**, Portland, Oregon, 1998-2000
Volunteer Gardening Instructor
- **The Arts Connection (now City Faces)**, St. Louis, Missouri, 1994-1995
Art Teacher/Co-Founder

Volunteer Experience

- **Christian Brothers Huether Conference**, St. Louis, Missouri, 2008
Member of Steering and Planning Committee
- **United States Green Building Council**, R.I. Chapter, 2007-2009
Member of the Education and Outreach Committee
- **Daily Food Groceries Co-op**, Athens, Georgia, 2004-2006
Member of the Board of Directors

Program Publications & Recognition

- **Rhode Island Catholic**, "Go-Greeners at La Salle Come Together for Climate Change," January 15, 2009
- **Rhode Island Catholic**, "Confronting Climate Change," January 15, 2009
- **Rhode Island Catholic**, "La Salle Students Learn the Importance of Going Green," October 2, 2008
- **De la Salle Today**, "The Architecture Club at La Salle's Passive Solar Greenhouse," Fall 2008
- **La Salle Magazine**, "A Vision for a Sustainable Future," Fall 2008
- **Rhode Island Catholic**, "Greening of La Salle is Radical, Sustainable," February 7, 2008
- **La Salle Magazine**, "Architecture Club Creates Memorial Garden," June 30, 2007

Grants & Awards

- \$9,950 State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations – Nonpoint Source Pollution Abatement Grant Award to La Salle Academy for Pleasant Valley Stream Restoration Project, 2009
- \$750 Youth Garden Award - "Garden Restoration" at La Salle Academy, 2008
- \$3,200 P.A.L.S. La Salle Academy – Challenge 20-20 Social Studies Grant, 2008-2009
- \$2,000 P.A.L.S. La Salle Academy – Architecture Club Grant, 2008-2009
- \$7,270 P.A.L.S. La Salle Academy – Environmental Club Grant, 2008-2009
- \$7,800 P.A.L.S. La Salle Academy – Challenge 20-20 Social Studies Grant, 2007-2008
- \$1,800 P.A.L.S. La Salle Academy – Architecture Club Grant, 2007-2008