

CITY HALL



THE CITY COUNCIL  
OF THE  
CITY OF PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND



June 26, 2017

Ms. Lori L. Hagen  
City Clerk  
25 Dorrance Street  
Providence, RI 02903

Dear Madam Clerk:

Please be advised that I am hereby appointing Tony Affigne, MPA, PhD of 316 Howley Hall, Providence College, Providence, Rhode Island 02918, to the Providence Ethics Commission , for a term to expire on February 4, 2019.

Mr. Affigne will replace Daniel Chaika who has resigned .

Thank you for your attention to this mater.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Sabina Matos".

Sabina Matos  
Acting Council President

IN CITY COUNCIL  
JUL 06 2017

READ  
WHEREUPON IT IS ORDERED THAT  
THE SAME BE RECEIVED.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, likely of the City Clerk, over a line.

CLERK

## **Tony Affigne, MPA, PhD**

*Professor of Political Science and Black Studies*  
Providence College

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### **EDUCATION**

Doctor of Philosophy (PhD), Brown University, Political Science and Public Policy, 1992.  
Master of Arts (AM), Brown University, Political Science and Public Policy, 1991.  
Master of Public Administration (MPA), University of Rhode Island, 1988.  
Bachelor of Arts (AB), Brown University, 1976.

### **FACULTY APPOINTMENTS**

Political Science Professor, Associate Professor, Assistant Professor, Providence College 1991-Present.  
Ethnic Studies Professor (Visiting), Brown University 2007-2013.  
Political Science Instructor, Stonehill College 1990.  
Political Science Teaching Assistant, Brown University 1989-1991.  
Adult Education Instructor, Urban Educational Center, Rhode Island College, 1981-1984.

### **ADMINISTRATIVE APPOINTMENTS**

Department Chair, *Department of Political Science*, Providence College, 2004-2008.  
Program Director, *Program in Black Studies*, Providence College, 2004-2005, 1995-1998.  
Facilitator of Adult Programs, *Urban Educational Center*, Rhode Island College, 1984-1986.

### **EDITORIAL APPOINTMENTS**

Book Review Editor, *Journal of Race, Ethnicity, and Politics*, Cambridge University Press, 2015-Present.  
Editorial Advisory Board, *National Political Science Review*, Tiffany Willoughby-Herard, Ed., 2015-2017.  
Advisory Board, *Latinos and American Politics* Book Series (Lexington Books), Henry Flores, Ed., 2015-2017.

### **CURRENT TEACHING ASSIGNMENTS**

Environmental Politics (PSC217)	Race and Politics in the Americas (PSC/BLS416)
Elections and Electoral Behavior (PSC315)	Introduction to Politics (PSC101)
Political Science Internship (PSC450)	Seminar: The Politics of Climate Change (PSC489)

### **PUBLIC AND COMMUNITY SERVICE**

Member, *Coastal Resources Management Council*, State of Rhode Island 2011-2017.  
Member, *Diversity Advisory Council*, Office of the President, Brown University 2007-Present.  
Member, *Executive Board*, Rhode Island Latino Civic Fund, Providence, RI 2001-Present.  
Guest Commentator, *NBC-10, ABC-6, PBS-36, RI Public Radio, Latino Public Radio*, 1992-Present.

### **PROFESSIONAL LEADERSHIP**

Executive Council Member, *Western Political Science Association*, 2013-2016.  
President, *Latino Caucus in Political Science (El Sector Latino de Ciencia Política)*, 2008-2009.  
Treasurer and Executive Council, *American Political Science Association*, 2005-2007.  
Founding Co-President, *APSA Organized Section on Race, Ethnicity, and Politics*, 1995-96.