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Mayor Stephanie A. Miner Appoints Jennings-Bey, Turner and Smith to Citizen Review Board

Syracuse, NY- Mayor Stephanie A. Miner announced her appointments to the Citizen Review Board today. The Mayor has three appointments to the eleven-member board.

Mayor Miner has appointed **Timothy (Noble) Jennings-Bey** to a three-year term. Jennings-Bey is the director of the Trauma Response Team at the United Way of Central New York, a position he has held since January 2010. From 1998-2010, Jennings-Bey was a violence prevention specialist for the Syracuse Model Neighborhood Facility. From 1997-2002, he served as an outreach consultant for the Partnership to Reduce Juvenile Gun Violence. Jennings-Bey is currently pursuing a bachelor's degree in criminal justice from Empire State College.

Diane Turner will serve a two-year term. Turner is the President of the Southside Interfaith Community Development Corporation, a non-profit organization located on West Newell Street which oversees the Fresh Farm Mobile Market. She serves on the board of the Interreligious Food Consortium, Syracuse Model Neighborhood Facility and Onondaga Earth Corps and is a member of the City of Syracuse Commission for Women.

Rachel Smith will serve a one-year term. Smith is currently an office manager at Tucker Missionary Baptist Church. Smith previously worked at Royal & Sun Alliance as a property casualty underwriter and agency portfolio manager. She is a graduate of Nottingham High School and Onondaga Community College. Additionally, she received associate certification in personal lines underwriting from the Insurance Institute of America. Smith is active in several programs designed to assist those transitioning from prison back into the Syracuse community, including faith-based initiatives.

Jennings-Bey, Turner and Smith are residents of the City of Syracuse. Their appointments are effective immediately.

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