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To: HARRISBURG CITY COUNCIL
From: Kirk Petroski, City Clerk
LEGISLATIVE APPROVAL FORM

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BILL NO. -2020 RESOLUTION NO. -2020

THE ABOVE LISTED ITEM WAS WRITTEN AND PREPARED FOR FINAL INTRODUCTION AT THE HARRISBURG CITY SOLICITOR'S OFFICE ON:

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RESOLUTION No. ____ - 2020

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A Resolution appointing Mr. Ambrose Buck to serve on the Harrisburg Area Transportation Study Coordinating Committee.

WHEREAS, the Harrisburg Area Transportation Study (HATS) was created in response to the Federal-Aid Highway Act of 1962, which mandated regional transportation planning as a condition for receiving federal funds for transportation projects; and

WHEREAS, the Harrisburg Area Transportation Study Agreement was made and entered into February 11, 1965, by and among the Department of Highways of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, the County of Cumberland, the County of Dauphin, and the City of Harrisburg; and

WHEREAS, the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania has ruled that where a statute gives appointment power to the “governing body” such appointment shall be made by the Mayor with the advice and consent of Council (995 A.2d 1137); and

WHEREAS, Mayor Eric Papenfuse has appointed Mr. Ambrose Buck as a HATS Committee member for the City of Harrisburg; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Buck’s qualifications to serve as a HATS Committee member are set forth in his résumé, which is attached hereto as Exhibit “A.”

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HARRISBURG, that Mr. Ambrose Buck is appointed to the Coordinating Committee of the Harrisburg Area Transportation Study (HATS).

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this appointment is effective immediately and shall continue until a successor is appointed.

I second the Resolution: _____

EXHIBIT A



Ambrose C. Buck

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Work Experience

Project Manager—City of Harrisburg; April 2019—present

Harrisburg, PA

Serving under the City Engineer; financial and operational responsibility to execute all capital projects for the City of Harrisburg. Project execution for the City includes applying for grants, grant maintenance, and City Counsel approval. Regularly interact with the public, contractors, and other government officials in various departments.

- Installed over 120 ADA ramps, 1.5 miles of bituminous surface, and new traffic markings per the MUTCD for the South Harrisburg Paving Project
- Applied, and was awarded \$75K for the Boyd Street Urban Meadow Project through a Dauphin County Gaming Grant
- Applied, and was awarded over \$500K for the East West Connection Project through DCED
- Responsible for daily Traffic Operations, including over 200 signals, Regulatory Sign Maintenance, and Street Lights
- Daily Direction of the City's Traffic Team. Providing prioritization of tasks, administrative responsibility, as well as shop inventory
- Assist the City Engineer in developing project scope, including bid documents, projected cost and quantities and developing department budgets

Director of Operations—Crossbridge Community Church; January 2017—April 2019

Fort Wayne, IN

Operational responsibility for a 30-acre facility, home to Crossbridge Community Church and C3 Sports. Over 1200 students, aged 4yrs through 8th grade, are competing in Soccer, Flag Football, Basketball, and Cheerleading.

- Developed and implemented a Safety Program and built on existing First Impressions Team
- Transitioned the church to an online accounting system using QuickBooks
- Responsible for all financial reporting to the elders, Lead Pastor, and congregation
- Established, recorded, and managed all KPI's
- Grew attendance by 4% and giving by 10% in 2018
- Project manager for building expansion

Site Manager—Air Products and Chemicals; January 2015-January 2017

Multi-Site—Butler, IN; Battle Creek, MI

Responsible for the manufacturing plant, trucking terminal, and satellite facility producing Medical and Food grade cryogenic liquid. The manufacturing plant supplied four pipelines to SDI Steel and shipped 600 to 900 Tons/Day of Cryogenic Liquid through the trucking terminal. The satellite facility produced high purity gaseous nitrogen to the Denso Heat Exchanger Facility in Battle Creek, MI.

- Actively pursued FSSC 22000 certification for the Butler facility with the FDA
- Set all-time records for profitability and production April and May 2016
- Coached distribution team to several near-1 million mile accident free goals
- Planned and executed all maintenance activities—electrical, civil, and mechanical
- Maintained all documentation for equipment maintenance as well as cGMP, RMP, OSHA, FDA, DOT, and FSSC 2200
- Planned and executed all capital projects for the facility
- Served as US support for all month-end closing issues; SAP Power User

Site Manager—Air Products and Chemicals; May 2013-January 2015

Multi-Site—Pryor, OK; Mooreland, OK; Henrvetta, OK

Site Manager for four Cryogenic Liquid Facilities across Oklahoma. Primary customers were oil companies. Focused on building the team. Guided the site through several transitions in personnel, equipment, and operating modes. Invested in equipping each team member to function independently and cohesively.

- Recruited, hired, and trained numerous positions due to volatility in the oil field business
- Mentored the Mooreland, OK team/facility to be productive and flexible—adjusted roles to meet customer needs
- Set record profitability for the Pryor, OK facility in April 2014
- Achieved several 1 million mile safety achievements—Not achieved in previous 10 years
- Commissioned new pumps, compressors, cooling towers, and piping systems
- Set up new supply chain from Pryor to Mooreland; improving profitability and reliability for the oil field customers
- Implemented FDA certification/decertification process for the Mooreland storage tanks

Assistant Site Manager—Air Products and Chemicals; May 2011-May 2013

Butler, IN

Supervised a team of 30+ drivers and 4 shop mechanics, in a Medical and Food Grade Cryogenic Liquid Trucking Terminal. Managed all aspects of terminal operation and fleet maintenance. Communicated daily with scheduling in a productive and collaborative manor. Active one-on-one management of driver performance.

- Increased Payload >300lbs, though equipment optimization

- Increased MPG over .51; many drivers increased due to driving habits
- Completed several IT based projects including QUALCOMM, Quintig, and achieved SAP Power User status
- Completed project that introduced Food and Medical Grade Liquid Hydrogen to the Butler Terminal
- Achieved 3 million miles without a preventable accident—all-time record for the terminal
- Filled RMP program with OSHA and DOT—Trained employees on the new procedures

Assistant Site Manager—Air Products and Chemicals; June 2006-May 2011

Cleveland, OH

Responsible for all production and maintenance activities in a 2100 Ton/Day Gaseous Oxygen Plant and Trucking Terminal. Lead safety program and ensured compliance with OSHA, DOT, cGMP, Responsible Care, and RMP. Produced Medical and Food Grade Nitrogen, Oxygen, Argon, and Hydrogen. Served as regional support for all SAP month-end closing issues. Ensured compliance with corporate policies including best practices in the truck garage and driver performance metrics.

- At or under budget every year on maintenance spending
- Eliminated \$500-\$750K annually in Argon product losses through improved operational policies
- Ranked #1 or #2 in the US companywide for trucking terminal monthly fuel consumption, through individual driver coaching
- Maintained 100% on-stream time on all four high pressure pipelines to Mittal Steel.
- Received training to Yellow Belt level of Continuous Improvement; Lead multiple events
- Received Apollo Root Cause Training; Lead multiple events

Site Engineer— HOPCO LNG, April 2002-June 2006

Hopkinton, MA

Operated and maintained the largest Liquid Natural Gas peak shaving facility east of the Mississippi. Implemented various capital improvement projects, and supervised regular maintenance on equipment. Developed annual capital budget, collaboratively, with site management and the site owner; N-Star. Sole responsibility for executing all planned projects.

- Completed and Managed \$1.5MM in annual capital improvements on time and under budget
- Implemented rider band program yielding \$20K in annual cost reduction on reciprocating compressor maintenance
- Planned and Supervised annual maintenance activities on all cryogenic pumps, compressors, cooling towers, natural gas fired engines, piping systems, valves.
- Responsible for annual FERC filings
- Developed Security Program for 36 million gallon LNG Tank Farm
- Saved \$2MM in annual operating expense through improved maintenance and alternative repair methods

Manufacturing Engineer— Semiconductor Equipment Manufacturing, March 1998-April 2002

Allentown, PA

Lead communication between shop floor and engineering in a Clean Room environment. Interfaced with quality department to ensure customer requirements were met. Principle customer was Intel. Responsible for all facility maintenance including clean room, welding equipment, and outside grounds.

- Daily communication with UAW union welders, site supervision, and engineering/design departments
- Hired and released over 60 union employees
- Implemented and managed multi-million dollar capital expansion project that doubled production capacity
- Responsible for site safety program, including daily safety contacts with all shop floor employees

Machinery Engineer—Air Products and Chemicals, November 1996-March 1998

Allentown, PA

Supported over 200 Chemical Manufacturing Plants in North America. Provided outage and field support to various facilities including oil refineries, power generation, and mining. Traveled 75% of the time to each location. Responsible for managing contractors/work teams at various remote locations.

- Developed specific maintenance plans for each facility based on equipment and budget
- Increased on-stream time of blower-fed gaseous oxygen generators from 80% to 98%, in two years
- Responsible for all machinery performance and maintenance across the US
- Performed performance evaluations and implemented improvement plans on under-performing facilities
- Proficient in vibration analysis, rotor dynamic analysis, and high speed machinery trouble shooting

Air Products and Chemicals Career Development Program: June 1995-November 1996

-Engineering development career building track aimed at new engineers.

Production and Delivery—Machinery Engineer

Large ASU Product Supply Team—Machinery Engineer

CryoMachinery—Machinery Engineer

Education

Lehigh University, Bethlehem PA--Master of Business Administration, June 2004; Bachelor of Science, Mechanical Engineering June 1995