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## CITY OF PITTSBURGH OFFICE OF CITY COUNCIL

CITY-COUNTY BUILDING

January 29, 2025

## Dear Colleagues:

Your interim approval is hereby requested as it relates to extending the term of Mr. Christopher Ragland, Acting Chief, Bureau of Police. Pursuant to § 111.01(f) of the City Code, an Acting Chief cannot serve for more than ninety (90) days without confirmation by City Council. Acting Chief Ragland began his service in this role on November 1, 2024, therefore, the ninety (90) period will have run by January 30, 2025.

In order to avoid a disruption in the Bureau and to ensure that the Acting Chief retains the legal authority required to serve in that role, I request your approval to extend the term of Acting Chief Ragland's ninety (90) day service by an additional thirty (30) days. A resolution formalizing this interim approval will be introduced in Council on Tuesday, February 4, 2025.

Your favorable consideration is requested.

Sincerely,

R. Daniel Lavelle

President, Pittsburgh City Council