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CITY OF PITTSBURGH
DEPARTMENT OF CITY PLANNING

April 14, 2025

President and Members of City Council
510 City-County Building
414 Grant Street
Pittsburgh, PA 15219

Dear President and Members of Council:

Enclosed in a resolution authorizing the Mayor and Department of City Planning to enter into an agreement to loan the Stephen Foster Statue to the Museum of Contemporary Art (MOCA), located in Los Angeles, for an exhibition. In October 2017, the Art Commission voted to remove the statue from public property and public viewing.

If you have any questions, please contact Kevin Kunak at kevin.kunak@pittsburghpa.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Jamil Bey". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized "J" and "B".

Jamil Bey, Ph.D.
Director of City Planning

cc: file