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**WHEREAS**, The Community Technical Assistance Center (CTAC), a non-profit technical assistance agency founded in 1981, is committed to developing and strengthening neighborhoods by investing in the volunteers and staff of community-based organizations through training and customized consulting services, providing the foundation for organization leaders to develop the skills required to create and operate effective neighborhood groups, tenant councils, community-based organizations and community development corporations in Southwestern Pennsylvania; and

**WHEREAS**, CTAC's Core Series program, now in its 19<sup>th</sup> year, consists of seven workshops designed to strengthen community-based, non-profit organizations within the realms of Leadership, Board Structure & Bylaws, Foundation & Donor Relations, Conflict Management, Board Roles & Responsibilities, Strategic Planning, and Financial Management; and

**WHEREAS**, the following individuals have successfully completed CTAC's 2012 Core Series which ran from March 22 to May 3, 2012, featuring 42 individual community leaders from 26 different organizations and communities:

Karen Fitch, City Council  
Bill Dausuel, East Tri-Borough Neighborhood Association  
Ida Dausuel, East Tri-Borough Neighborhood Association  
Shirlene Wilson, East Tri-Borough Neighborhood Association  
Linda Gustafsson, Family Hospice & Palliative Care  
Jean Schmalzried, Family Resources  
Melissa Gallagher, Fineview Citizens  
K. Bonnie Rose, Friendship Preservation Group  
Jennifer Wilhelm, Friendship Preservation Group  
Vanessa Davis, GLSEN Pittsburgh  
Ian Syphard, GLSEN Pittsburgh  
Margaret Baco, HUGS/Unity Through Creativity  
DeAnna Davis, Larimer Consensus Group  
Owen Lampe, Lawrenceville Corp.  
Molly Johnson, Lawrenceville United  
Claudia Presser, MCLSC  
Linda Lang, Millvale Borough Development Corporation  
Josh Savage, Millvale Borough Development Corporation  
Tina Walker, Millvale Borough Development Corporation  
Chris Beichner, Mt. Washington Community Development Corporation

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Linda Gromley, Natrona Comes Together Association

Michael Knight, Northside Youth Athletics Association, Inc.

James Herring, New Hope for Neighborhood Renewal

Nathan Hart, Oakland Planning & Development Corp.

Tom Bajorek, Point Breeze North Development Corp.

Bub Darnall, Point Breeze North Development Corp.

Debra V. Stubbs, Point Breeze North Development Corp.

Blyden O. Terry, Point Breeze North Development Corp.

Jeff Wetzel, Point Breeze North Development Corp.

Jim Getsy, Penn Hills CDC

Raymond L. Luncher, Penn Hills CDC

Sharieda Patterson, Penn Hills CDC

Donald Sanker, Penn Hills CDC

Janet L. Vento, Penn Hills CDC

Ed Zullo, Penn Hills CDC

Joni James, T4T

Micah Taylor, Taylor Community Consulting

Lora Woodward, Venture Outdoors

Loran Cooley, Veterans Affairs

Stacy Williams, Young Men and Women's African Heritage Association, Inc.

Ginger Underwood-Herring, The Women's Education and Employment Network, Inc.

Irene McLaughlin

***THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED*** that the Council of the City of Pittsburgh recognizes the valuable contributions that **CTAC** has made to a number of community-based organizations in our City and congratulates it on over 30 years of strengthening our neighborhoods, and therefore be it further resolved that the Council of the City of Pittsburgh does hereby declare May 15, 2012 to be **CTAC Core Series Day** in the City of Pittsburgh.