



# City of Pittsburgh

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## Text File

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*WHEREAS*, Volunteers who have stepped out of their familiar environments to meet needs not otherwise met through their service are a fundamental part of the community. **Nabhi Christian Ministries**, whose mission is to enhance impoverished communities by creating health environments that mentor, train and develop citizens of all ages recognizes the work and sacrifices of **Richard A. Stewart, Jr.** with their **Lifetime Achievement Award for Exemplary Public Service**; and,

*WHEREAS*, born, raised and educated in Pittsburgh, **Richard A. Stewart, Jr.** spent 30 years in law enforcement as an Allegheny County Jail Corrections Officer, with the Pittsburgh Police Department and the Allegheny County Sheriff's Office where he retired in 2005 as a Deputy Commander and as the highest ranking African American in the Allegheny County Sheriff's Department in its 200 year history; and,

*WHEREAS*, outside of law enforcement, **Richard Stewart, Jr.** serves as the Pittsburgh Branch President of the NAACP. He is a founding member of the Pittsburgh Chapter of the National Organization of Black Law Enforcement Executives, a Board Member or Committee Member of Freedom Unlimited, B-Pep, St. Benedict the Moor Church, St. Paul Cathedral, University of Pittsburgh African Heritage Classroom and a host of other law enforcement, fraternal and civic organizations and initiatives; and,

*NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED* that the Council of the City of Pittsburgh does hereby recognize, commend and congratulate **Richard A. Stewart, Jr.** for receiving the **Lifetime Achievement Award for Exemplary Public Service** from **Nabhi Christian Ministries** for his extraordinary body of work as an outstanding professional and a dedicated role model in the service of his community.