

## City of Pittsburgh

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WHEREAS, Virginia "Ginny" Imburgia was born in 1950 and raised in the Pittsburgh neighborhood of Beechview, where she attended St. Catherine's School; and

**WHEREAS**, Ginny graduated from Bishop Dominic High School on the North Side and later took up her first job with Kelly Girl Service, Inc., a temporary service agency that trained Ginny in office work and key punch; and

**WHEREAS**, Ginny married Anthony Imburgia in 1970 and raised two children, Anthony and Angela, never missing any of their sports and activities, even coaching her daughter's softball team for two years; and

*WHEREAS*, Ginny was also one of the community leaders who first chartered the Beechview Women of the Moose, Chapter 2338, in 2006, being named former Senior Regent; and

**WHEREAS**, with a vast knowledge of both classic authors and current bestsellers, **Ginny** was invaluable to the patrons of the Brookline branch of the Carnegie Library, where she worked for 25 years; and

*WHEREAS*, Ginny worked for many years with children in the community, coordinating their summer reading programs, training them on using the library's computers, and teaching some to read; and

**WHEREAS**, in recognition of **Ginny's** service to the community and her devotion to the library and its patronsespecially to children-the Carnegie Library will be affixing a dedication bookplate to a book in the library's Children's Collection; and

**WHEREAS**, the Brookline library has also created a display that features fiction books and films that **Ginny** particularly enjoyed and nonfiction books about things she loved, such as riding motorcycles and horses, Italy, and the history of the Battle of Gettysburg; and

**WHEREAS**, for decades, **Ginny** was a devoted mother, wife, Beechview community leader, and trusted librarian at the Brookline branch of the Carnegie Library of Pittsburgh.

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the Council of the City of Pittsburgh does hereby declare Tuesday, January 21, 2014 to be **Virginia "Ginny" Imburgia Day** in the City of Pittsburgh.