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Robert J. Donchez Mayor

From: Robert J. Donchez, Mayor

To: President Reynolds
Date: March 30, 2015
Re: Board Appointment

I am submitting the name of Attorney Chris Spadoni to serve on the Redevelopment & Authority Board. Attached is Attorney Spadoni's resume for you review.

I would appreciate it if this would be placed on the April 21st City Council Agenda.

If you have any questions, please feel free to call me.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely

Robert J. Donchez

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Christopher T. Spadoni, Esq., has maintained a law office as a sole practitioner in the City of Bethlehem from December 10, 1976 continuously to date as an Attorney / Counselor at Law in varied and complex matters.

Attorney Spadoni grew up in Martins Creek, son of Frank A. and Lavinia Spadoni, where Frank A. Spadoni served his community as a Justice of the Peace for many years. Attorney Spadoni is a 1969 graduate of Easton Area High School, 1973 Honors graduate of Lycoming College, and 1976 Honors graduate of the University of Akron School of Law.

Attorney Spadoni has served in numerous public capacities which include the following:

- 1. Per diem Northampton County Assistant Public Defender from 1978-1980.
- 2. Assistant District Attorney of Northampton County from 1980-1990.
- 3. 1990-1994 Northampton County Chief Public Defender.
- 4. Guardian Ad Litem for Northampton County Children & Youth.
- 5. From 1998-2014 as Bethlehem City Council Solicitor.
- 6. From 2006- 2014 as Assistant Northampton County Solicitor representing: Northampton County Clerk of Civil Courts, Northampton County Clerk of Criminal Courts, Northampton County Clerk of Orphans' Court / Register of Wills, Northampton County Sheriff, and Northampton County Revenue Division.

Additionally, Attorney Spadoni, for a number of years has served as the City of Bethlehem Tax Appeal Hearing Officer, the City of Easton Tax Appeal Hearing Officer, and the Borough of Stockertown Zoning Hearing Board Solicitor.

For 25 years, Attorney Spadoni served his home Municipality of Lower Mt. Bethel Township as Solicitor to the Board of Supervisors.

References and represented clients provided upon request.