

County Council of Howard County, Maryland

2018 Legislative Session

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RESOLUTION NO. 40-2018

Introduced by: Chairperson at the request of the County Executive

A RESOLUTION confirming the reappointment of Tracey L. Williams to the Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday Commission.

Introduced and read first time on April 2, 2018.

By order Jessica Feldmark
Jessica Feldmark, Administrator to the County Council

Read for a second time and a public hearing held on April 16, 2018.

By order Jessica Feldmark
Jessica Feldmark, Administrator to the County Council

This Resolution was read the third time and was Adopted , Adopted with amendments ____, Failed ____, Withdrawn ____ by the County Council on May 7, 2018.

Certified by Jessica Feldmark
Jessica Feldmark, Administrator to the County Council

NOTE: [[text in brackets]] indicates deletions from existing language; TEXT IN SMALL CAPITALS indicates additions to existing language. ~~Strike out~~ indicates material deleted by amendment; Underlining indicates material added by amendment.

Tracey E. Williams

OBJECTIVE To obtain a position as Coordinator for Pupil Personnel Services.

EXPERIENCE

- July 2004-
Present **HOWARD COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS**, Ellicott City, Maryland
Pupil Personnel Worker
Serve as an advocate for all students and as a consultant to school staff and parents/guardians on a variety of issues such as attendance, discipline, counseling, residency, and crisis support for schools. Serve as a liaison between families, various departments within the school system and outside agencies and community resources. Interpret school policies and procedures for students and families, investigate out-of-county and out-of-district residency, petition cases to court for violation of Maryland Compulsory Attendance Law, provide case management services to students in temporary housing. Serve as Co-Liaison to the Homeless Program. Pupil Personnel Liaison to The Local Children's Board's Care Center information line.
- April 1999 -
July 2004 **HOWARD COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS**, Ellicott City, Maryland
Alternative Education Coordinator
Responsibilities included: addressing the academic, social, and behavior needs of students experiencing difficulty in their learning environment. Developed and implemented individualized behavior plans and social skills curriculum. Served as a liaison between the school, home, and community. Connected parents with resources within the school system and community. Provided supportive services to staff and administration related to behavior modification. Assisted in the development and implementation of the school-wide discipline plan. Provided staff training related to behavior modification. Served as a member of the school improvement team.
- July 1998 -
January 1999 **NEWPORT NEWS PUBLIC SCHOOLS**, Newport News, Virginia
School Social Worker
Interviewed parents and developed sociocultural assessments. Conducted home visits to explain the special education process and parents' rights. Provided individual and family counseling on mental and behavioral issues. Served as a member of the Assessment Team to determine children's eligibility for special education services. Served as liaison between parents, children and the school system. Referred clients to resources in the community.
- August 1996 -
July 1998 **FAMILY FOCUS/COLONIAL SERVICES BOARD**
Director -- July '97-July '98, Newport News, Virginia, Child Development Specialist -- August '96-July '97
Provided support, education and advocacy for pregnant and parenting teens. Administered, scored, and analyzed assessments and surveys. Established a new community service program in Newport News and implemented several programs with the goal of preventing child abuse and uniting parents and children. Facilitated group based training at local high schools for parenting teens. Worked extensively with parents, children, and representatives from other community agencies to coordinate services. Planned and facilitated parent/child interactive groups. Provided lectures to community groups, civic organizations, and educators on a variety of parenting topics.
- December 1995 -
November 1996 **TIES THAT BIND, INC.**, Gloucester, Virginia
Counselor/Case Manager -- Part-time work while pursuing Master's Degree
Performed sociocultural assessments, facilitated linkage to resources, and provided outreach services for children and adolescents who were severely emotionally disturbed. Provided in-home counseling and guidance to families to prevent the out-of-home placement of children and adolescents. Responsibilities also included foster parent training, crisis intervention, problem solving, and development of service plans and behavioral plans.
- September 1993 -
July 1995 **ALTERNATIVES, INC.**, Hampton, Virginia.
Student Assistance Counselor, Syms Middle School
Provided individual and group counseling to Middle School students. Active member of Syms Crisis Team, responsible for staffing and handling critical situations within the school. Responsible for providing Drug Education to the entire school population through class presentations, assemblies, and sponsorship of the school's Drug-Free program. Worked closely with high-risk students with attendance, anger management and family problems. Used solution focus, resiliency, and youth development in the delivery of services.