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Monday, March 24, 2014

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Denver Department of General Services  
201 West Colfax Avenue, Department 904  
Denver, Colorado 80202  
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Re: Naming Proposal for the Building located at 2855 Tremont Place (Formerly known as the Five Points Community Center in the Historic Five Points Neighborhood) to be named the Elbra M. Wedgeworth Municipal Building.

Dear Mr. Sholler,

In accordance with Article XI. Naming Public Buildings or Major Components of Buildings - Sec 2.275, Procedure for naming buildings other than houses, I respectfully submit as the Sponsor of this proposal the following:

1. Person who can be contacted in regards to the proposal:

Wil Alston, Sponsor of Naming Proposal -720-891-7838, [theproshop@comcast.net](mailto:theproshop@comcast.net)

2. The Name Proposed for the Building:

Elbra M. Wedgeworth Municipal Building

3. A Statement setting for the rational and basis in support of the Proposed Name:

(Statement is enclosed in Binder and is also attached with petitions signatures)

4. A petition signed by at least one hundred (100) residents or business owners in the area, users of the structure, or person interested or involved in the use of the structure:

(Petitions signatures for Naming Building are enclosed in Binder)

Mr. Sholler, if you have any further questions, I can be reached at 720-891-7838. Thank you for your consideration.



Wil Alston

Cc: Councilman Albus Brooks, Denver City Council, District #8  
Debra Bartleson, Denver City Council Staff

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Dear Mr. Sholler,

In accordance with Article XI. Naming Public Buildings or Major Components of Buildings - Sec 2.275, Procedure for naming buildings other than houses, I respectfully submit as the Sponsor of this proposal the following Addendum:

The Circulator of this Petition Tracy Winchester has submitted an additional 48 petition names on March 25, 2014 for the building naming which were originally submitted to you on Monday, March 24, 2014.

If you could please add these additional petition signatures to the other petitions that were previously submitted to you in the Naming Proposal Binder.

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Cc: Councilman Albus Brooks, Denver City Council, District #8  
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Certification

I, Tracy Winchester certify that the parties signing the petition to name the building located at 2855 Tremont Place as the Elbra M. Wedgeworth Municipal Building to the best of my knowledge are residents or business owners in the area, users of the structure, or persons interested or involved in the use of the structure.

Tracy Winchester  
Petition Circulator (Name)

217 South Jackson St. Denver, Co 80209  
Address Zip Code

303-322-0152

Phone

March 24, 2014

Date

Circulator of the Petition for the Building located at  
2855 Tremont Place to be named the  
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I verify that I am the Circulator of this petition:

Name: Tracy J Winchester

Address: 217B South Jackson St. Denver, Co

Phone: 303-322-0152

Zip 80209

Date: March 24, 2014

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Petition submitted pursuant to paragraph 2-275 ( c ) ( 5 ) shall include statement setting forth the rationale and basis for petitioner's support of the proposed name

Statement setting forth the rationale and basis for support of the  
Elbra M. Wedgeworth Municipal Building

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Being a vibrant and enthusiastic leader she is the recipient of many honors and awards for her public service. In April 2012, Elbra was named by the Denver Post as One of Colorado's Most Influential Women and was named one of Denver's 25 Most Powerful Women by the Colorado Women's Chamber of Commerce also receiving their ATHENA Award which honors Colorado women who best exemplify exceptional professional achievement, devotion to community service, and assisting other women in the attainment of professional excellence and leadership skills. In 2014, Elbra was inducted into the "Blacks in Colorado" Hall of Fame by the Denver Public Library. In April 2007, Hon. Elbra Wedgeworth became the Chief Government and Community Relations Officer at Denver Health and Hospital Authority. She is responsible for all governmental legislative matters on the local, state and federal level and is the hospital's liaison for Community Outreach initiatives. In September 2008, she was elected unanimously as the President of the Denver Union Station Project Authority Board of Directors and is serving her 6th term as the Board President. She also serves as the Chairwoman for the Downtown Denver Partnership Inc. Wedgeworth is the first person of color male or female to serve as Chairperson in their 58 year history. Elbra also serves as a member to the Metro Regional Council for the El Pomar Regional Partnerships Program. Elbra Wedgeworth has a Bachelor of Arts Degree from the University of Redlands, Redlands California in Sociology/Anthropology.



## NAMING PETITION FOR THE BUILDING LOCATED AT: 2855 Tremont Place, Denver, CO

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### NAMING PROPOSAL: ELBRA M. WEDGEWORTH MUNICIPAL BUILDING

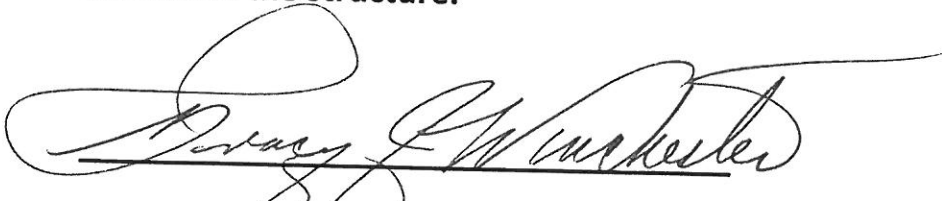
NAME	STREET ADDRESS	ZIP CODE	PHONE NO.	DATE
Kenneth D. Floyd	2850 Elm St	80207	3/383-10243	3/12/14
Carmen Scott	12032 E 30 <sup>th</sup> Avenue	80011	3/360-01637	3/12/14
Cricatores	1507A Andrews Dr	80239	7/999/49916	3/12/14
Monica Scott	2160 Downing St 203	80205	7/628-7524	3/12/14
Lillie Hutton	2160 Downing St apt 208	80205	303-830-0740	3/12/14
<del>Robert Dixon</del>	<del>2010 Potlatch St</del>	<del>80207</del>	<del>3-602-2155</del>	<del>3/14/14</del>
CAROL DIXON	2010 Potlatch St	80207	3-602-2155	3/14/14
Willard Smith	3014 Forest St.	80207	3-332-8503	3-14-14
James M. Smith	2160 Downing St. Apt. 504	80205	3-350-0281	3-15-14
Shirley Stewart	2160 Downing St. # 301	80205	3-861-9355	3-15-14
Athalia Thibou	" " #506	"	7-629-4503	3-15-14
Michael Hughm	" " #410	"		3/15/14
Joseph W. Kinnin	" " #202	"		3/15/14
Michael Gault	" " #308	"		3-15-14
Alice Wood	2160 Downing St. # 507	"	720-364-7557	3/15-14
P. Rowland	346 Colo Blvd	80206	444-5421	3/15/14
Clotie Bryant	2160 Downing St.	80205	894-8675 <sup>303</sup>	3/15/14





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VERNA HALLMAN	3030 Richard Allen <sup>207</sup>	80205		
Deidre Clough	1106 Rosemary St <sup>#</sup>	80220		
Bernice Hatter	3030 Richard Allen Ct., #106	80205	720-998-2889	03/14/2014
Vivian Bradley	3030 Richard Allen Ct. #314	80205		3-15-2014
Parsenia Bryant	3030 Richard Allen Ct. #303	80205		3-14-14
JANNIE RICHARDSON	3030 RICHARD ALLEN Ct. #312	80205		3-15-14
Latanya Hallman	3280 Downing St	80205		3-16
Richard Mays	3280 Downing	80205		3-16
Rutha M. Johnson	3030 Richard Allen Ct. #104	80205		3-16
Eudie M. Simmons	3030 Richard Allen Ct. #311	80205		
Cynthia Seal	" " " Apt 112	80205		3-17
Eva Springs	" " " Apt. 109	80205		3-18
James Seal	" " " Apt 112	80205		3-18
Arnold Johnson	" " " "	80205		3-19
Leon Fields		80205		3-19
Marilyn Murphy	3030 Richard Allen Ct	80205		3/20/14
Lahiri Bhatt	3030 Richard Allen Ct <sup>#308</sup>	80205		3-21-14

Dee Pledger