

RESOLUTION No. 2008-215-903

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MIAMI GARDENS, FLORIDA, RATIFYING COUNCILMAN MELVIN BRATTON'S APPOINTMENT OF LEE DAMESSOUS AND FRANCESTA MARCELIN, TO THE CITY OF MIAMI GARDENS MIAMI GARDENS PROGRESSIVE YOUNG ADULTS FOR A TERM OF TWO (2) AND THREE (3) YEARS RESPECTIVELY; PROVIDING FOR THE ADOPTION OF REPRESENTATIONS; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City has established a Miami Gardens Progressive Young Adults ("MGPYA") to serve in an advisory capacity by giving advice to the City Manager and the City Council with respect to issues that affect the City of Miami Gardens' young adults, and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and each member of the City Council is to appoint two members to the MGPYA for two (2) and three (3) year terms respectively, and

WHEREAS, Councilman Melvin Bratton has appointed, Lee Damessous and Francesta Marcelin to the MGPYA for a term of two (2) and three (3) years respectively, and

WHEREAS, it is appropriate for the City Council to ratify Councilman Melvin Bratton's appointments,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MIAMI GARDENS, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. ADOPTION OF REPRESENTATIONS: The foregoing Whereas paragraphs are hereby ratified and confirmed as being true, and the same are hereby made a specific part of this Resolution.

Section 2. APPOINTMENT: The City Council of the City of Miami Gardens hereby ratifies Councilman Melvin Bratton's appointment of Lee Damessous and Francesta Marcelin to the MGPYA for a term of two (2) and three (3) years respectively.

Section 3. EFFECTIVE DATE: This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its final passage.

PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MIAMI GARDENS AT ITS REGULAR MEETING HELD ON NOVEMBER 12, 2008.

  
SHIRLEY GIBSON, MAYOR

ATTEST:

  
RONETTA TAYLOR, MMC, CITY CLERK

PREPARED BY: SONJA KNIGHTON DICKENS, ESQ.  
City Attorney

SPONSORED BY: COUNCILMAN MELVIN BRATTON

MOVED BY: Vice Mayor Watson  
SECOND BY: Councilman Gilbert

**VOTE: 5-0**

Mayor Shirley Gibson	<u> X </u> (Yes)	___ (No)
Vice Mayor Barbara Watson	<u> X </u> (Yes)	___ (No)
Councilman Melvin L. Bratton	___ (Yes)	___ (No) (out of town)
Councilman Oliver Gilbert, III	<u> X </u> (Yes)	___ (No)
Councilman Aaron Campbell	<u> X </u> (Yes)	___ (No)
Councilwoman Sharon Pritchett	___ (Yes)	___ (No) (out of town)
Councilman André Williams	<u> X </u> (Yes)	___ (No)

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# City of Miami Gardens

1515 NW 167<sup>th</sup> Street  
Bldg. 5, suite 200  
Miami Gardens, Florida 33169



Mayor Shirley Gibson  
Vice Mayor Barbara Watson  
Councilman Melvin L. Bratton  
Councilman Aaron Campbell Jr.  
Councilman Oliver Gilbert III  
Councilwoman Sharon Pritchett  
Councilman André Williams

## Agenda Cover Page

Date: November 12, 2008

Fiscal Impact: No X  Yes

(If yes, explain in Staff Summary)

Funding Source:

Contract/P.O. Requirement: Yes  No

Sponsor Name/Department:

**Councilman Melvin L. Bratton**

Public hearing

Ordinance

1st Reading

Advertising requirement: Yes  No

RFP/RFQ # \_\_\_\_\_

Quasi-Judicial

Resolution X

2nd Reading

Yes  No

### Title

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### Staff Summary

In accordance with the establishment of the Miami Gardens Progressive Young Adults, Councilman Melvin L. Bratton, hereby submits his appointees for membership in accordance with the Ordinance 2008-19-155, Section 2 (b). For a period of two (2) years, the committee will recognize Lee Damessous and for a period of three (3) years, the committee will recognize Francesta Marcelin. Members will recommend social, educational, cultural and recreational activities for young adults and to assist in the implementation at the direction of the City Council and City Manager.

### Recommendation

Ratify Councilman Bratton's appointments as submitted.



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**CITY OF MIAMI GARDENS BOARD/COMMITTEE APPLICATION**

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Phone No. 305-622-8000  
Fax No. 305-622-8001

1. Name: Lee Damessous

2. Home Address: 520 NW 108<sup>th</sup> Ter  
(Please print)

3. Business Address: \_\_\_\_\_

4. Home Phone No. 305 496-4396 (cell) Business Phone No. \_\_\_\_\_

5. E-mail Address: Ldamessous07@yahoo.com  
Fax No. \_\_\_\_\_

6. Education Background:  
a. High School \_\_\_\_\_  
b. Vocational School \_\_\_\_\_  
c. College

7. Community Service:  
Youth Director, Cedars Medical Center, Dr. <sup>Jr.</sup> ~~Dean~~, Asst. Char-  
Director, Vacation Bible School Instructor,

8. Are you a registered voter? Yes  No \_\_\_\_\_

9. Are you a resident of the City? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

10. Do you have a business in the City? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

11. Ethnic Origin?  
White Non-Hispanic \_\_\_\_\_ African American \_\_\_\_\_ Hispanic American \_\_\_\_\_ Other

12. I am interested in serving on the following board(s)/committee(s):

Miami Gardens Progressive \_\_\_\_\_  
First choice Young Adults Second choice

\_\_\_\_\_ Third choice Fourth choice

Signature [Signature]  
Applicant

Date May 29, 2008

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Phone No. 305-622-8000  
CITY OF MIAMI GARDENS  
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- 1. Name: Francesca Marcelin  
(Please print)
- 2. Home Address: 19320 NW 23<sup>rd</sup> Ave
- 3. Business Address: \_\_\_\_\_
- 4. Home Phone No. 305-728-9901 Business Phone No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Fax No. \_\_\_\_\_
- 5. E-mail Address: marcelinf@bucmail.bary.edu
- 6. Education Background:
  - a. High School
  - b. Vocational School
  - c. College
- 7. Community Service: \_\_\_\_\_  
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\_\_\_\_\_

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First choice Second choice  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
Third choice Fourth choice

Signature Francesca Marcelin  
Applicant

Date 6/2/08

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