



City of Seat Pleasant

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PRESS RELEASE

City Announce the hiring of a City Administrator (Chief Administrative Officer)

Seat Pleasant, May 31, 2011: The City Council concluded its two and half year search for a City Administrator when they interviewed Vincent E. Jones for the position on Monday, May 16, 2011. Mr. Jones has an M.P.A from Florida University and is currently employed as the Assistant City Administrator with the City of Hyattsville.

On October 13, 2008, the City Council unanimously terminated Sandra A. Yates, as the City Administrator without cause. Ms. Yates was the City Clerk for Seat Pleasant for six (6) years prior to being promoted to the position of City Administrator.

Robert L. Ashton, Acting City Administrator has performed the duties of City Administrator since April 17, 2009. Mr. Ashton has done a fantastic job in his dual roles for the City of Seat Pleasant.

The Mayor and City Council are looking forward to Mr. Jones joining the City of Seat Pleasant “A City of Excellence” on Monday, June 27, 2011.

LaTasha C. Gatling, Councilmember-At-Large, Council President, stated “that Mr. Jones will be an asset to the City”

Seat Pleasant: “A City of Excellence” is one of Maryland’s 157 municipalities with a population of 5,000 residents, 100 businesses, 13 houses of faith, and 20 non-profit organizations. The Seat Pleasant government has a mayor, seven member city council and 41 government employees operating a \$3.8 million dollar budget. (END)