

City Council

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Memo

To: Members of Dublin City Council **From:** Christina Alutto, Council Member

Date: February 25, 2021

Initiated By: Homer Rogers, Assistant City Manager / Chief Strategy and Innovation Officer

Re: U.S. Census Bureau "Thank You" Certificate to City of Dublin

Purpose

The purpose of this memorandum is to highlight a "Certificate of Thanks" received from the U.S. Department of Commerce Bureau of the Census thanking the City of Dublin for its efforts as part of the U.S. Census Bureau's 2020 Census Community Partnership and Engagement Program. The City of Dublin should be proud of its collective efforts to support the 2020 Census which are highlighted by the achievement of an 83.3% self-response rate versus the goal of 80.8%, which was the level previously achieved during the 2010 Census. This achievement was critical to the success of the 2020 Census due the impact of the COVID-19 Pandemic, which severely impeded the ability of U.S. Census workers being able to canvass the neighborhoods.

In support of the 2020 Census, the Dublin 2020 Census Complete Count Committee was initially formed under Resolution 37-19 on June 24, 2019 and consisted of several representatives from various key segments of the Dublin Community. The members of the community who served on the Dublin 2020 Complete Count Committee and the Dublin City staff members who supported them in this effort were:

Committee Members:

Christina Alutto - Council Member and Chair of the Complete Count Committee

Jenny Amorose - Dublin Chamber of Commerce

Erick Starkey - Dublin City Schools

Kimberly Yoder - National Church Residences

Amy Kramb - East Dublin Civic Association

Jill Kranstuber - Dublin Bridges

Dr. Randy Leite - Ohio University Health Sciences

Dr. Benjamin Pachter – Japanese American Society of Central Ohio

Eric Richter - Washington Township

The Rev. Dr. Stephen Smith – St. Patrick's Episcopal Church

Supporting City Staff Members:

Nancy Richison – Office of the City Manager

Homer Rogers - Office of the City Manager

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Sue Burness – Communications & Public Information

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Jennifer Miglietti – Human Resources

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Robin Myers - Human Resources

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Kyle McKee – Information Technology
Devayani Puranik – Planning
Tammy Noble - Planning
Tina Wawszkiewicz – Public Works – Engineering
Clarence Bishop – Finance
Damon Leonard – Information Technology – Data/GIS

Again, the Dublin community should be very proud of this accomplishment and the City is appreciative of the Department of Commerce Bureau of the Census taking the time to forward this Certificate of Thanks. We will ensure it is displayed proudly.

Enclosure

Certificate of Thanks from Department of Commerce Bureau of the Census



THE U.S. CENSUS BUREAU HEREBY RECOGNIZES

City of Dublin, OH.

as an invaluable member of the 2020 Census Community Partnership and Engagement Program. We appreciate the efforts you made in making the Partnership Program a success and helping achieve a successful 2020 Census.

Dr. Steven D. Dillingham, Director

U.S. Census Bureau

