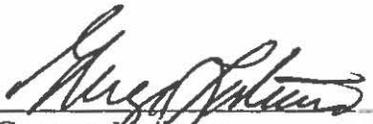


George Latimer
County Executive

WHEREAS, a vacancy exists in the membership of the Westchester County Asian American Advisory Board, due to the newly created Board:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, George Latimer, County Executive of Westchester County, in accordance with the terms and provisions of the Westchester County Charter, appoint Kasama Star, 457 Old Sleepy Hollow Road, Pleasantville, New York as a member of the Westchester County Asian American Advisory Board, for the term July 6, 2021 to December 31, 2022.

Given under my hand
and seal this 6th day
of July, 2021.


George Latimer
County Executive



George Latimer
County Executive

July 6, 2021

Ms. Kasama Star
457 Old Sleepy Hollow Road
Pleasantville, NY 10570

Dear Ms. Star,

It is my pleasure to appoint you to serve as a member of the Westchester County Asian American Advisory Board, effective today Tuesday, July 6, 2021, pursuant to Executive Order Number 7 of 2019. This appointment is for a term to expire on December 31, 2022.

Your appointment is subject to confirmation by the Westchester County Board of Legislators, but your service begins immediately. You must complete the attached Oath of Office and file it with the County Clerk prior to the next Asian American Advisory Board meeting, and provide this office with a copy within 30 days. Please contact Martha Lopez at (914) 995-2947 for the date, place, and time of the Asian American Advisory Board's upcoming meeting for your participation.

When you have filed your Oath of Office, a Resolution to confirm your appointment will be submitted to the County Board of Legislators. As part of the confirmation process, you may be called before the Board to be interviewed.

Pursuant to Local Law, as a member of a Westchester County Board and/or Commission, you are responsible for adhering to the requirements of our Code of Ethics, which includes the annual filing of a financial disclosure statement with the County Board of Ethics. A financial disclosure form will be mailed to you under separate cover.

Warmest wishes for a successful tenure.

Very Truly Yours,

George Latimer
Westchester County Executive

GL/tts

cc: Honorable Board of Legislators
Joan McDonald, Director of Operations

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Kasama Star

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EDUCATION

Elisabeth Haub School of Law at Pace University, White Plains, NY; J.D., expected May 2023

Honors: Full-Tuition Scholarship; PACE ENVIRONMENTAL LAW REVIEW, *Junior Associate*

Activities: Pace Law IL Moot Court Competition, *Top 8 finalist of 235*; Immigration Law Society, *President*; Asian American Law Student Association, *President*; Asian American Bar Association of New York (AABANY), *Student Leader*; 2020 Pace University Mock Trial Competition, *Presiding and Scoring Judge*

NYU, Stern School of Business, New York, NY; M.B.A. in Management and Marketing, received May 2004

Cornell University, Ithaca, NY; B.S. in Human Development and Family Studies, Academic Honors, received May 1998

LEGAL EXPERIENCE

Hon. Philip M. Halpern, U.S. District Court, SDNY, White Plains, NY; *Judicial Intern*, May 2021– present

Create a “trial book” of templates using case law for civil and criminal procedures. This collection of standards of review will be used by the judge to support his decisions and rulings.

Elisabeth Haub School of Law at Pace University, White Plains, NY; *Presenter, Organizer*, April 5, 2021

Secured panelists, researched and presented on *de facto* and *de jure* discrimination of Asians in US History.

AABANY and Paul | Weiss, New York, NY; *Research Assistant*, October – December 2020

Assisted with research, writing, and citations for publication of white paper, entitled Anti-Asian Hate and Violence Skyrockets During the COVID-19 Pandemic.

Land Use Law Center (LULC), Elisabeth Haub School of Law, White Plains, NY; *Intern*, Fall 2020 – Spring 2021

Conducted research on racial justice and land use. Created CLE materials for keynote speaker, Richard Rothstein (author of The Color of Law: A Forgotten History of How Our Government Segregated America) at the 2020 LULC Conference.

Courtroom Advocates Project, White Plains, NY; *Volunteer*, November 2020

Conducted interviews with victim of domestic violence, created and filed a Family Offense Petition, guided and supported client throughout the process, and successfully obtained a Temporary Order of Protection.

OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

L’Oreal USA, New York, NY

Director, Work Efficiency - L’Oreal Paris Division, 2006-2010

Led, managed, and communicated business process changes throughout the organization, reporting directly to the President. Collaborated and negotiated with departments to increase overall work efficiency.

IT Director of Marketing Intelligence & Systems – Consumer Products Division, 2005-2006; *Sr. IT Manager*, 2004-2005

Managed multiple IT projects and budgeted resources to bring about cost savings and efficiencies in various departments: sales, marketing, finance, and forecasting. Supervised and provided leadership for full-time technical staff of 7.

Manager, Interactive Systems – Maybelline Division, 2002-2004; *Sr. Systems Analyst – Maybelline Division*, 2001-2002.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

AABANY and Allen & Overy, CLE event: *Chy Lung v. Freeman* Trial Reenactment, *Student Leader*, Jan – May 2021.

New York University, Zoom Training: Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion in the Workplace, *Co-Presenter*, April 2021.

Pocantico Hills Central School District, Sleepy Hollow, NY, *Trustee*, 2017-2020; *Diversity Committee*, 2019 – Present

Pleasantville Community Synagogue, Pleasantville, NY, *Rabbi Search Committee*, July 2020 – Present

LANGUAGE SKILLS: Fluent in Thai.

COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER
OATH OF OFFICE

For Appointees to County Boards and Commissions

STATE OF NEW YORK)
) ss.:
COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER)

I, Kasama Star do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support
(Print or Type Name)

the constitution of the United States, and the constitution of the State of New York, and that I will
faithfully discharge the duties of the office of Asian American Advisory Board in and for the
County of Westchester, according to the best of my ability.

Date: 7/13/21

[Signature]
(Signature)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 13th day of July,
2021.

[Signature]
(Signature)

Andrea Kramer
(Print or Type Name)

(Title of Official Administering Oath)

ANDREA KRAMER
Notary Public - State of New York
No. 01KR6394827
Qualified in Westchester County
My Commission Expires July 15, 2023

[Signature]

Mail original Oath of Office to Office to Andrew Ferris, Office of the County Executive, 148 Martine Ave., Room 916D, White Plains, NY 10601 for filing within thirty (30) days of the commencement of the term of office or the notice of appointment.