KATHLEEN MCKENZIE JOINS SCIENCE CENTER BOARD

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PITTSBURGH, April 17, 2015 — Carnegie Science Center is welcoming Kathleen K. McKenzie to its Board. McKenzie is the Vice President of Community and Civic Affairs at Allegheny Health Network.

McKenzie supports Allegheny Health Network’s external affairs by providing strategic management of civic and community relations. She is responsible for the system’s compliance with the Affordable Care Act’s Community Health Needs Assessment. McKenzie leads the integration and alignment of the provider side community affairs function with Highmark Health.

Previously, McKenzie served as Allegheny County Deputy Manager. As deputy manager, she was responsible for the supervision and administration of the county’s operations. McKenzie was responsible for major policy initiatives of the County Chief Executive. She also was a human resources manager for the City of Pittsburgh, and she has more than 10 years of experience engaged in the private practice of law.

McKenzie completed a B.A. in government and law from Lafayette College. She also received her Juris Doctor from the University of Pittsburgh School of Law. She is admitted to the Bar of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and Territory of the United States Virgin Islands.

In addition to the Science Center's Board, she currently serves on boards of the Pennsylvania Economy League, the International Women’s Forum, The Ellis School, and Chatham University’s Pennsylvania Center for Women in Politics.

She resides in the Point Breeze section of the City of Pittsburgh with her husband Glenn and daughters Lauren and Clare.

“Carnegie Science Center and Highmark SportsWorks® have special places in my life as a Pittsburgh parent,” McKenzie said. “From the many birthday parties we attended to the ‘day at the Science Center’
visits with my daughters, the experiences enriched our lives and sparked an interest in science we share as a family together. I'm proud to join a board whose mission it is to continue to make science accessible to all.”

About Carnegie Science Center

Carnegie Science Center is dedicated to inspiring learning and curiosity by connecting science and technology with everyday life. By making science both relevant and fun, the Science Center’s goal is to increase science literacy in the region and motivate young people to seek careers in science and technology. One of the four Carnegie Museums of Pittsburgh, the Science Center is Pittsburgh’s premier science exploration destination, reaching more than 700,000 people annually through its hands-on exhibits, camps, classes, and off-site education programs.

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