

The Most Worshipful IRINCE HALL GRAND LODGE OF OHIO

....Free and Accepted Masons....

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To: MW Past Grand Masters, Past Grand Masters, Grand Lodge Officers, Worshipful Masters, Wardens, Past Masters, and Brethren of the Subordinate Lodges of the Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Ohio, Free and Accepted Masons. Greetings:

Whereas R W Brother Melvin L. Russell honorably served the MW Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Ohio as Grand Secretary from June 2015 until March 11, 2021 when he was called from his earthly Labor to his heavenly Reward, and;

Whereas the Office of RW Grand Secretary is a critical administrative component of the operation of the MW Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Ohio, the duties of which must be fulfilled in order to ensure effective and efficient business continuity.

Therefore, by virtue of the power and authority invested in me as the 64th Most Worshipful Grand Master, I do hereby appoint MWPGM Kelvin J. Davis Interim Grand Secretary of the MW Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Ohio with all the duties and responsibilities appertaining thereto as delineated in Chapter 2 Section 2.05 of the Grand Lodge By-Laws, and hereby Direct that he be accorded all the rights and privileges of said Office. I further Direct that said appointment shall be effective immediately and he shall serve in the capacity of Interim Grand Secretary until such time as a new Grand Secretary is elected by the Craft.

Take due and timely notice of the foregoing and govern yourselves accordingly.

Given under my hand and the private seal of the Grand Master at Columbus, Ohio this 22nd day of March, AD 2021, AL 6021. I remain.

Respectfully and Fraternally yours,

Chester C. Christie

Chester C. Christie, P M #7 Most Worshipful Grand Master

