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**To:** City Council  
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**Subject:** Application for At-Large Council Seat  
**Attachments:** TJemison Bio pdf

Dear Members of Council,

Please accept this correspondence as my formal application for At-Large Council Seat. I have attached my biography and additional information can also be found at <http://www.linkedin.com/in/tjemison2>.

Since my wife and I moved to Lakewood in 2003, I have been very active in the Lakewood and Cleveland communities. I served as Chair of the Lakewood YMCA Advisory Board during and after the construction of the new facility. I currently serve on the Executive Committee of Shoes & Clothes for Kids. SC4K is the only charity in the community that provides new shoes and clothes to children in need. In 2008 I was appointed by Mayor FitzGerald to serve on the Loan Approval Board; I am currently serving as Chair

My work history has revolved around providing families and foundations with financial and investment counsel. My background as a CPA provides a solid foundation that has proved beneficial in both my career and community involvement. In addition, I think this background would be beneficial if I were to be appointed to City Council. I believe strongly that it is the role of Council and the Mayor to be good stewards of tax revenues. Lakewood has made great strides in improving the fiscal outlook of the city over the past few years and I believe my background will be helpful in continuing to make our city government more efficient.

I come from a family that has had a deep commitment to public service. My father was elected to Middlefield Village Council at the age of nineteen. He went on to serve on Berkshire School Board, served several years as Geauga County Auditor and is currently a Geauga County Commissioner. In addition, at the time of her death in 2009, my grandmother was President of the Middlefield Village Council. It is this family background that has provided me with the perspective that this type of civic engagement is the highest form of public service.

I look forward to having the opportunity to discuss my qualifications with each of you in the near future. In addition, I would be happy to provide additional information should you find it helpful in your analysis. I appreciate your consideration.

Respectfully,

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## **Tracy A. Jemison II**

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Tracy A. Jemison II is a vice president and relationship manager in Glenmede's Cleveland office. He provides investment counsel and manages portfolios of high net worth individuals.

Prior to joining Glenmede, Mr. Jemison was a vice president with Sky Trust, N.A. (now Huntington National Bank) responsible for delivery of investment advisory and consulting services to high net worth individuals, foundations and pension funds. In addition he oversaw the development and delivery of non-proprietary investment products, and was a member of the Senior Investment Committee. Mr. Jemison began his professional career as a tax consultant with Deloitte & Touche, LLP.

Mr. Jemison is a summa cum laude graduate of Ohio University with a B.B.A. in accounting. In addition, he became a certified public accountant in 1999.

Mr. Jemison and his family reside in Lakewood, Ohio, where he serves on the Lakewood YMCA Advisory Board and is a member of the City of Lakewood Loan Approval Board. He is also a Trustee of Shoes & Clothes for Kids and a 2006 graduate of the Cleveland Bridge Builders Flagship Program.