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MAYOR NUTTER ISSUES STATEMENT ON MAURA KENNEDY

PHILADELPHIA- February 19, 2014 – Mayor Michael A. Nutter issued the following statement on the selection of Maura Kennedy as Pittsburgh’s new Chief of the Bureau of Building Inspections by Mayor William Peduto:

“I’ve know Maura Kennedy for more than seven years and in that time I’ve seen her grow as a dedicated public servant. She has energy, dedication and problem solving skills that we are always looking for in our leaders. At Philadelphia’s Department of Licenses and Inspections, she helped streamline operations and created a new level of transparency by putting departmental data online. She aggressively focused on code enforcement efforts to improve property maintenance standards across the city. Maura has been an innovative leader on my team and I believe she will provide excellent service to the people of Pittsburgh.”