

Rodger A. Randle
MAYOR



OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

200 CIVIC CENTER

TULSA, OKLAHOMA

74103

October 3, 1988

Ms. Margie Alfonso
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Dear Ms. Alfonso:

As you are aware, a committee from the Community Service Council has been meeting with community leaders who are concerned about the impact of the growing AIDS crisis in Tulsa.

On September 27, 1988 the Community Service Council approved the formation of the AIDS Coalition of Tulsa (ACT). This umbrella group is charged with the responsibility of long-range planning and coordination of community activities related to AIDS and developing an effective and unified community response. Enclosed is information on the ACT sent to my office.

The Mayor's Special Commission on AIDS was at the forefront in the initial community response and has provided valuable direction to the ACT. As Mayor of Tulsa, I want to personally thank you for your active participation on the Commission and encourage your involvement in the ACT. The Mayor's Special Commission on AIDS will now be incorporated into the ACT. I understand the initial meeting is scheduled for the first of November. You will be notified of the meeting date and asked to serve on the coalition.

Once again, thank you for serving your community as a member of the Mayor's Special Commission on AIDS, and I hope that you will agree to continue contributing your time and expertise to the AIDS Coalition of Tulsa.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Rodger A. Randle".

Rodger A. Randle
Mayor

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cc: Priscilla Harris
Janice Nicklas

Richard C. Crawford
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June 26, 1987

Ms. Margie Alfonso
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Dear Ms. Alfonso: *Margie*

I want to thank you for agreeing to serve on the Special Commission on AIDS, which was formally established at the June 24th Tulsa City-County Board of Health meeting.

AIDS is a life-threatening disease and a major health issue. Its impact on our society is and will continue to be devastating. Our community needs to be prepared to make the necessary decisions concerning AIDS. That is why I requested that the Tulsa City-County Board of Health establish the Commission, and Dr. Ralph Wooley, Director of the Tulsa City-County Health Department, to serve as Chairman.

The charge of the Commission will be:

1. Educate the public with current and accurate information on AIDS.
2. Coordinate and share with existing agencies information, resources, and action to prevent and control the spread of AIDS.
3. Advise local officials and the Tulsa City-County Board of Health of policies to be established regarding AIDS.

Attached for your information is a list of Commission members. Additional members will be added, if necessary, in the future. Dr. Wooley will be contacting you soon about the time and place of the initial organizational meeting of this Commission.

Please know how grateful the Tulsa community and I are that you will be serving on this very important Commission.

Sincerely,

Richard C. Crawford
Mayor

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Attachment