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THE FRICK PITTSBURGH ANNOUNCES ELECTION OF MARY LOUISE BABST TO BOARD OF TRUSTEES

PITTSBURGH, PA, February 1, 2017—The Frick Pittsburgh announces the election of **Mary Louise Babst** to the Board of Trustees. The Board includes Family Trustees (descendants of Henry Clay Frick) and Term Trustees. At a recent meeting of the Frick's Board of Trustees, Mrs. Babst was elected to serve as a Term Trustee.

Mrs. Babst has been active in support of community organizations in the Pittsburgh area for many years. She has served on the Board of Directors of The Fox Chapel District Association, The Circles Board of the Pittsburgh Cultural Trust, and as a Keeper of the Promise. She has also volunteered in transitional infant care at The Children's Home of Pittsburgh, The Pittsburgh Oratory, and St. Lucy's Auxiliary. In addition, she has served on host committees for a number of events presented by the Pittsburgh Cultural Trust, The Pittsburgh Promise, The Warhol Museum, Communities-In-Schools of Pittsburgh, and The Parks Foundation of Allegheny County.

ABOUT THE FRICK PITTSBURGH

Located on the Pittsburgh estate of late-19th-century industrialist Henry Clay Frick, The Frick Pittsburgh is the steward of collections left as a legacy to the people of Pittsburgh by Frick's daughter, Helen Clay Frick. The permanent collections include fine and decorative arts, cars, carriages, historic objects, and buildings. The Frick experience includes The Frick Art Museum, the Car and Carriage Museum, Clayton,

the Frick family Gilded Age mansion, and six acres of beautifully landscaped lawns and gardens. Also included are an Education Center, the Frick children’s playhouse (designed by renowned architects Alden & Harlow), a large working greenhouse (also designed by Alden & Harlow), The Café at the Frick, and the Grable Visitor Center, which houses the Frick Museum Store.

GENERAL INFORMATION

The Frick Art & Historical Center is located at 7227 Reynolds Street in Pittsburgh’s Point Breeze neighborhood. Free parking is available in the Frick’s off-street lot or along adjacent streets.

The Frick is open 10:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m., Tuesday–Sunday; 10:00 a.m.–9:00 p.m. Friday; and is closed Mondays and major holidays. The public should call 412-371-0600 for information, or visit the Frick online at TheFrickPittsburgh.org.

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The Frick Art & Historical Center, a museum, historic site and cultural center serves the public through preservation, presentation, and interpretation of the fine and decorative arts and historically significant artifacts for all residents of and visitors to Western Pennsylvania.