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Sean Grant Appointed to The Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland's Equity and Advisory Council

Columbus, Ohio – The Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland, one of 12 regional Reserve Banks that along with the Board of Governors in Washington D.C. comprise the Federal Reserve System, announced this week the appointment of the Columbus Partnership's Sean Grant to its Equity and Inclusion Advisory Council. Grant is one of eight council members who will work together with Bank leadership to provide advice, strategic counsel and feedback aimed at improving diversity, equity, inclusion and opportunity at the Cleveland Fed and the region it serves.

"The Partnership is proud that Sean has been appointed to the new Equity and Inclusion Advisory Council," said Alex Fischer, president and CEO of the Columbus Partnership. "Sean is an asset to our team and our community, and as the Columbus Partnership works to advance equity and prosperity, we look forward to Sean sharing his expertise and ideas with the Cleveland Fed on these same issues."

The council's contributions to the Cleveland Fed, which is part of the U.S. central bank, benefit both Bank employees and the communities the Bank serves in Ohio, Pennsylvania, West Virginia and Kentucky. Read more about the council and its work here.

Grant serves as Chief Financial Officer for the Columbus Partnership. Previously, Grant served as senior manager of operations support at PharmaForce and vice president at Huntington National Bank. He obtained a degree in business management and marketing from Simpson College in Indianola, Iowa. Grant is actively involved in the local community, serving as a board member on the Workforce Development Board of Central Ohio, the Columbus Chamber of Commerce and Advisory Board member of Per Scholas Columbus and the United Way of Central Ohio.

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About the Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland

The Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland is one of 12 regional Reserve Banks that along with the Board of Governors in Washington DC comprise the Federal Reserve System. Part of the nation's central bank, the Cleveland Fed participates in the formulation of US monetary policy, supervises banking organizations, provides payment and other services to financial institutions and the US Treasury, and performs many activities that support Federal Reserve operations Systemwide. In addition, the Bank supports the well-being of communities across the Fourth Federal Reserve District through a wide array of research, outreach, and education activities. The Cleveland Fed, with branches in Cincinnati and Pittsburgh, serves an area that comprises Ohio, western Pennsylvania, eastern Kentucky, and the northern panhandle of West Virginia. For more information, go to www.clevelandfed.org or follow us on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram or LinkedIn.

About the Columbus Partnership

The Columbus Partnership is a nonprofit organization of CEOs from Columbus' leading businesses and institutions. Through our membership and other ally organizations across Central Ohio, the Columbus Partnership upholds a shared vision to make Columbus the most prosperous region in the United States. Learn more at columbuspartnership.com.