



City of Houston

Ronald C. Green
City Controller

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Courtney Smith, CPA, Named City Auditor

Houston TX—Courtney E. Smith has been named Houston City Auditor by City Controller Ronald Green. Smith has been serving as Interim City Auditor since April 2014; previously, she served in the Controller’s Office Audit Division as Assistant City Auditor/Audit Manager. She has more than twenty-five years of accounting experience in industry, public accounting and government and has been employed by the City of Houston for five years.

As Assistant City Auditor, she led and performed audits and special projects in the Audit Division. Her background includes working with financial and accounting matters related to attestation and forensic audits, governance, internal controls, risk assessments, and fraud investigations.

“Courtney has been a team leader in all of our recent successful audits, demonstrating analytical and leadership skills that are exceptional,” says Controller Green. “Clearly she has the expertise to assume the duties I have asked her to, and she has the support and respect of the entire Audit team.”

Courtney received her BBA in accounting and an MBA with a concentration in finance from the University of Houston. She is a Life Member of the University of Houston Alumni Association and the National Black MBA Association, and is also a member of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants, the Texas Society of Certified Public Accountants, the Association of Certified Fraud Examiners, and the National Association of Black Accountants. Smith is an alumna of Leadership Houston (XXV).

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