Name: Dora Walmsley

Area: Upper Lawrenceville/ 10th Ward

How long have you lived in Lawrenceville? 8 years

Why did you move to/ stay in Lawrenceville? I fell in love with the neighborhood

Current Employer/ Job Title: Pittsburgh Food Policy Council/Outreach Coordinator

Please list Community Service, Non-Profit, or Board Experience: Lawrenceville Organic Community Gardens, Member Pittsburgh Cares Youth Advisory Council, Greater Pittsburgh Community Food Bank, Brashear Association, Sustainable Pittsburgh, PUMP

What makes Lawrenceville unique? Why? For one of Pittsburgh's largest neighborhoods, we have a real sense of community here. People support and look out for one another, and want to contribute to the advancement of our community.

What is was one thing you would like to work on within the neighborhood? Why? Bringing our minority population into the fold. There is really no representation of these communities within our organization. Their needs, wishes, etc. are unknown to community planners.

What LU program or project most interests you? Why? PEP Rally. It's an innovative approach to grassroots community organizing at the school level and it's working!

What is one fun fact that others might be surprised to know about you? I can be pretty goofy.