



## **Cheryl Lillian Pitts, MSW**

Cheryl Pitts is a community leader, an advocate for social concerns, a public servant, a lover of the performing arts, a walking historian, and a devoted wife, mother, and grandmother. As a state employee, Cheryl dedicated many years of service to the needs of the public as a Community Service Officer with the State of New Jersey; and though she has retired, her desire to serve the public has simply increased. Cheryl has worn a multitude of hats during her working years: from fiscal clerk/typist supervisor, law placement assistant, housing counselor/director, mortgage loan processor, mortgage specialist, to community service officer. Cheryl believes that our steps are truly ordered and one situation always leads us onward and upward.

Cheryl has always taken her education very seriously, earning a Bachelor of Social Work from Temple University, and a Master of Social Work from Rutgers University. She is also a graduate of the New Jersey Certified Public Manager Program, Supervisory Management Level.

Cheryl was chosen for the Visionary Leader Award Recipient in 1995 by the Camden County East NAACP; her many civic commitments made her the obvious choice. Cheryl has donned the membership rolls of the National Social Work Honor Society, and most recently became a Master School Board Member on the Winslow Township School Board where she is currently serving her third term. She is Vice-Chairman of the Board of Trustees of Tonya Dorsey and New Vision A New Jersey Nonprofit dedicated to keeping our youth involved in the performing arts. If asked, she will quickly tell you that of her many affiliations, she is most proud of being a member of Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc.

From Creation to the Civil War, from the Underground Railroad to Foreign Affairs, Cheryl, a lover of history is an articulate conversationalist with all the facts.

Cheryl currently resides in South Jersey and on most Sundays can be found worshipping at St. Matthews Baptist Church in Williamstown, NJ

Although officially retired from anyone's payroll, she is busier than most working folks. When Cheryl is not tending to the needs of others, she loves to travel around these United States.