



MURIEL BOWSER
MAYOR

October 21, 2021

The Honorable Phil Mendelson
Chairman
Council of the District of Columbia
John A. Wilson Building
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Suite 504
Washington, DC 20004

Dear Chairman Mendelson:

In accordance with section 2 of the Confirmation Act of 1978, effective March 3, 1979 (D.C. Law 2-142; D.C. Official Code § 1-523.01), and pursuant to sections 1072 and 1073 of the Commission on Fathers, Men, and Boys Establishment Act of 2014, effective February 26, 2015 (D.C. Law 20-155; D.C. Official Code §§ 3-731 and 3-732), I am pleased to nominate the following person:

Mr. Genaro Stewart
14th Street, NW
Washington, DC 20009
(Ward 1)

for appointment as a member of the Commission on Fathers, Men, and Boys, replacing Don Smith, for a term to end September 19, 2024.

Enclosed you will find biographical information detailing the experience of the above-mentioned nominee, together with a proposed resolution to assist the Council during the confirmation process.

I would appreciate the Council's earliest consideration of this nomination for confirmation. Please do not hesitate to contact me, or Steven Walker, Director, Mayor's Office of Talent and Appointments, should the Council require additional information.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Muriel Bowser".

Muriel Bowser
Mayor



Chairman Phil Mendelson
at the request of the Mayor

A PROPOSED RESOLUTION

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

To confirm the appointment of Genaro Stewart to the Commission on Fathers, Men, and Boys.

RESOLVED, BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this resolution may be cited as the "Commission on Fathers, Men, and Boys Genaro Stewart Confirmation Resolution of 2021".

Sec. 2. The Council of the District of Columbia confirms the appointment of:

Mr. Genaro Stewart
14th Street, NW
Washington, DC 20009
(Ward 1)

as a member of the Commission on Fathers, Men, and Boys, established by sections 1072 and 1073 of the Commission on Fathers, Men, and Boys Establishment Act of 2014, effective February 26, 2015 (D.C. Law 20-155; D.C. Official Code §§ 3-731 and 3-732), replacing Don Smith, for a term to end September 19, 2024.

Sec. 3. The Council of the District of Columbia shall transmit a copy of this resolution, upon its adoption, to the nominee and to the Office of the Mayor.

Sec. 4. This resolution shall take effect immediately.

Summary: A career foreign policy advisor with over 15 years of military and civilian experience assessing and communicating the impact of geopolitical risks to executive-level customers and implementing Department of Defense (DoD) policies within the intelligence and national security communities. Highly flexible, organized and skilled at leader, managing tasks and priorities in fast-paced, changing environments. Exceptional ability to quickly assess problems, develop solutions and implement corrective measures. Excels at bringing disagreeing parties to consensus. Seasoned oral and written communicator.

Highlights:

- Leadership
- Intelligence Analysis
- National Security and Policy
- Project Management
- Defense Policy
- Executive Writing and Briefing
- Congressional Directed Actions
- Political Acumen
- Inter-agency Coordination
- Geopolitical Risk Analysis
- Support to Special Operations
- Cyber and Information Warfare

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Office of the Secretary of Defense, The Pentagon

Senior Policy Advisor

August 2018– present

Interprets DoD policies and congressional mandates to inform DoD intelligence organizations and agencies on the employment, resourcing and oversight of special operations/activities. Provides subject matter expertise for intelligence programs ensuring compliance with DOD policies. Prepares executive correspondence for the Secretary of Defense, Undersecretary of Defense for Intelligence and Principal Directors to provide updates and inform decisions for sensitive operations programming and employment. Reviews and contributes, as appropriate, to written products supporting the Secretary of Defense's congressional engagements/testimony.

- Leads quarterly briefings to congressional intelligence/appropriation committees and the National Security Council to provide updates and answer RFI's related to national security programs and sensitive activities.
- Draft and review various items of proposed legislation regarding intelligence and national security programs to be included in major Defense and Intelligence Bills, Acts, and Authorizations.
- Provides regional expertise and foundational knowledge to Secretary of Defense directed steering committees, strategic planning and to drive policy considerations across the department.

Defense Intelligence Agency, Washington, DC

Senior Middle East Policy Advisor

October 2011 – August 2018

Political-military senior analyst focused on military strategy/capabilities, senior decision making, and influence to senior military leadership, policymakers and foreign partner nations. Frequently author finished all-source intelligence assessments on a broad range of Middle East issues in all production formats, including the President's Daily Briefing, executive desk notes, oral briefings and other intelligence/policy products.

- Spearheaded a review of major defense Middle East policy to make recommendations to senior policy leaders and military leadership.
- Drafted joint strategic plans and studies for legislative hearings, briefings and consultations.
- Led an Under Secretary of Defense for Intelligence team of respected senior Middle East experts in developing geopolitical scenarios to engage in an exploration of plausible futures and discuss key defense and security implication.

US Embassy, Djibouti, Africa**January 2014 – December 2014****Special Assistant to the Director of Intelligence**

Directed strategic research and production for 115 military and civilian analysts focused on complex, national security issues on the continent of Africa.

- Managed the budget of a \$10 million-dollar facility empowered to better connect executive level customer requirements with operations managers across east Africa.
- Led the coordination and collaboration of counter-terrorism efforts between the U.S. agencies, U.S. allies and 15 African partner nations engaged in United Nations peacekeeping.

International Security Afghanistan Forces (ISAF), Kabul, Afghanistan**April 2013 – November 2013****Special Advisor, Middle East Issues**

Served as the Iran Influence Advisor to the Director of Intelligence (two-star general) in direct support to the US commanding general (four-star general) in Afghanistan.

United States Navy**Naval Officer****Dec 2001 – June 2011****EDUCATION****American Military University****November 2017**

Master of Arts in National Security and Policy

- PI Gamma Ru Honor Society
- Alpha Phi Sigma Honor Society
- Order of the Sword and Shield Honor Society

American Military University**April 2012**

Bachelor of Science in International Studies

CERTIFICATIONS**Morehouse College****Current program**

Social Justice: Sports and Art Culture

Harvard University**July 2020**

U.S. Public Policy: Social, Economic and Foreign Policies

National Urban League**August 2019**

Congressional Advocacy

VOLUNTEER/NON-PROFIT AFFILIATIONS**Greater Washington Urban League – Thursday Network**

President

September 2020 - present

Vice President

August 2018 – September 2019

Director of Personal and Professional Development

September 2016 - September 2018



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Genaro Stewart



Genaro Stewart's passion for community-based programming runs deep. As the current President of Thursday Network, the young professionals auxiliary of the Greater Washington Urban League, he applies his diverse leadership experiences to amplify the voices of America's local community-based non-profit organizations, helping them engage in critical policy issues affecting the sector, manage and lead more effectively, collaborate and exchange solutions, and achieve a greater impact on communities in the D.C. Metropolitan area.

In his professional life, he is a career national security and policy advisor to the Office of the Secretary of Defense. In this capacity, he provides advisory counsel to the White House, Pentagon and National Security Council concerning national security policy considerations and emerging international geopolitical issues.

His selfless service isn't limited to his community; he is also a U.S. Navy veteran. Mr. Stewart has also served as a visiting lecturer at the U.S. Naval War College and as a graduate-level course advisor at Duke University.

A Ward 1 resident, Mr. Stewart holds a Bachelor of Science in International Studies and a Master of Arts in National Security and Policy from American Military University.



GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
Executive Office of Mayor Muriel Bowser



Office of the General Counsel to the Mayor

To: Ronan Gulstone, Steve Walker
From: Betsy Cavendish
Date: October 12, 2021
Subject: Legal sufficiency review of Resolutions nominating Dr. Tamara A. Henry, Ben-James Brown, Kiye Corbitt, John Cotten, David Gaston, LeVar Jones, Quentin Roosevelt, and Genaro Stewart to the Commission on Fathers, Men, and Boys.

This is to Certify that this office has reviewed the above-referenced Resolutions and found them to be legally unobjectionable. If you have any questions in this regard, please do not hesitate to call Vanessa Careiro, Deputy General Counsel, Executive Office of the Mayor, at 202-724-1303, or me at 202-724-7681.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Elizabeth A. Cavendish'.

Elizabeth Cavendish