



MURIEL BOWSER
MAYOR

May 3, 2024

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 section 204 of the Water and Sewer Authority Establishment and Department of Public Works Reorganization Act of 1996, effective April 18, 1996 (D.C. Law 11-111; D.C. Official Code § 34-2202.04), I am pleased to nominate the following individual:

Mr. Howard Gibbs
3rd Street, SW
Washington, DC 20024
(Ward 6)

for reappointment as a member of the District of Columbia Water and Sewer Authority Board of Directors, for a term to end September 12, 2028.

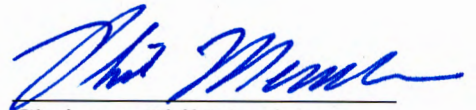
Enclosed, you will find biographical information detailing the experience of the above-mentioned nominee, together with a proposed resolution to assist the Council during the confirmation process.

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, appearing to read "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 reappointment of Howard Gibbs to the District of Columbia Water and Sewer Authority Board of Directors.

RESOLVED, BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, that this resolution may be cited as the “District of Columbia Water and Sewer Authority Board of Directors Howard Gibbs Confirmation Resolution of 2024”.

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

Mr. Howard Gibbs
3rd Street, SW
Washington, DC 20024
(Ward 6)

as a member of the District of Columbia Water and Sewer Authority Board of Directors, established by section 204 of the Water and Sewer Authority Establishment and Department of Public Works Reorganization Act of 1996, effective April 18, 1996 (D.C. Law 11-111; D.C. Official Code § 34-2202.04), for a term to end September 12, 2028.

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.

HOWARD C. GIBBS, P. E., F.NSPE



Resume of Qualifications and Experience

Education:

Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering (Summa Cum Laude), The University of the District of Columbia, 1979.

Master of Science in Engineering Management, The George Washington University, 1996.
Area of Concentration: Management Information Systems

Employment:

1972-2007: Potomac Electric Power Company, Civil and Substation Engineering Department,. Performed civil/structural engineering design and development of substations and other facilities.

2006-2008: University of the District of Columbia, Adjunct Professor, Department of Engineering, Architecture and Aerospace Technology

2011-2022: University of the District of Columbia, Adjunct Professor, Division of Architecture and Urban Design, College of Agriculture, Urban Sustainability and Environmental Sciences,

Professional Qualifications:

Registered Professional Engineer-Civil/Structural:
District of Columbia, 1982
State of Maryland, 1987
State of New Jersey, 2003

Professional Affiliations:

District of Columbia Water and Sewer Authority, Principal Board Member, 2022 -
Alternate Board Member, 2006 - 2022

District of Columbia Board of Professional Engineering, 1997- 2016
Vice Chairman, 2002 – 2016

District of Columbia Building Code Advisory Committee: Member, 1981-2009
Chair, Structural Subcommittee

American Society of Civil Engineers: Member, 1983-
Life Member, 2015
Member, Structural Engineering Institute
Member, ASCE 7 Standards Committee on Minimum Design Loads for Buildings
and Other Structures, 2003-2006

National Society of Professional Engineers: Elected to Fellow in 2004
National Director, 1997-1998
Alternate National Director, 1998-1999
Member, House of Delegates, 2009-2011

National Council of Examiners for Engineering and Surveying:
Chair, Engineering Award Jury, 2011
Chair, Northeast Zone Committee on Nominations, 2013-2014
Member, Industrial Exemptions Task Force, 2012-2013
Member, Committee on Examination Audit, 2012-2016
Member, Committee on Examinations for Engineers, 2008-2012
Member, Advisory Committee on Council Activities, 2006-2008
Assistant Vice President, Northeast Zone, 2005-2007, 2009-2011
Member, Committee on Nominations, 2013-2014
Member, Committee on Bylaws, 2013-2014

District of Columbia Society of Professional Engineers:
President, 1995-1996, 1996-1997, 2001-2002
President-Elect, 1994-1995, 2000-2001
Vice President, 1993-1994, 1999-2000
Treasurer, 1992-1993
Chairman, Professional Engineers in Industry, 1991-1993, 2010-present
Chairman, Professional Engineers in Construction, 2003-2009
Coordinator, National Engineering Design Challenge, 1992-2002

District of Columbia Council of Engineering and Architectural Societies:
President, 2003-2004, 2010-2011
Vice President, 2002-2003, 2009-2010
Treasurer, 2001-2002, 2008-2009
Delegate, 1997-2012

National Fire Protection Association: Member, 1980-2007

Community Service:

Life Member, Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity

Member, Tau Beta Pi Engineering Honor Society

Chair, National Engineers Week Committee, District of Columbia Council of Engineering and Architectural Societies, 2003, 2010

Coordinator, 1999 United Way Campaign, Potomac Electric Power Company

Basketball Coach, 3rd - 6th Grade Boys, St. Peters Catholic School, Washington, D. C.

Cub Scout Den Leader, Pack 380, Washington, D. C.

Science Fair Judge, Carmody Hills Elementary School, Capitol Heights, MD

Science Fair Judge, St. Peters Catholic School, Washington, D. C.

Science Fair Judge, Jefferson Junior High School, Washington, D. C.

Surveying Instructor, Pepco's Advanced Career Training Program, Montgomery County Schools

Math Tutor, Suitland High School

District of Columbia Coordinator, National Engineering Design Challenge (NSPE)

District of Columbia Coordinator, MATHCOUNTS (NSPE)

Professional Awards:

WHO'S WHO IN SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING

OUTSTANDING SERVICE AWARD, District of Columbia Society of Professional Engineers, 1991-1993

DISTINGUISHED ALUMNUS - UNIVERSITY OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, National Association for Equal Opportunity in Higher Education, March, 2002

MODERN-DAY TECHNOLOGY LEADER, *US BLACK ENGINEER & INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY* MAGAZINE, February, 2003

MERITORIOUS SERVICE AWARD, District of Columbia Council of Engineering and Architectural Societies, 2005, 2012

NORTHEAST ZONE DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD, National Council of Examiners for Engineering and Surveying, May, 2008

DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD, National Council of Examiners For Engineering
And Surveying, 2013

LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD, District of Columbia Council of Engineering
and Architectural Societies, 2014

Papers and Guest Speaking Appearances:

Lecture to Howard University's Freshman Design Class, "The Process of Engineering",
October, 1997



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Howard Gibbs



Mr. Howard Gibbs is an Adjunct Professor for the University of the District of Columbia’s (UDC) Division of Architecture and Urban Design, College of Agriculture, Urban Sustainability and Environmental Sciences and a current alternate member of the District of Columbia Water and Sewer Authority Board of Directors.

In Mr. Gibbs’ over 15-year tenure with UDC, he has served as Adjunct Professor for the Department of Engineering, Architecture and Aerospace Technology. Mr. Gibbs also served for 35 years in the Potomac Electric Power Company’s (Pepco) Civil and Substation Engineering Department, performing civil and structural engineering design and development of substations and other facilities.

Mr. Gibbs is a lifetime member of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Incorporated who has received several accolades for his community leadership. Mr. Gibbs more recently served as the District of Columbia Board of Professional Engineering’s Vice Chairperson and achieved the District of Columbia Council of Engineering and Architectural Societies’ Lifetime Achievement Award.

A Ward 6 resident, Mr. Gibbs earned his Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering from the University of the District of Columbia and a Master of Science in Engineering Management with a concentration in Management Information System from The George Washington University.



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



Office of the General Counsel to the Mayor

To: Tomas Talamante, Steve Walker
From: Betsy Cavendish
Date: April 24, 2024
Subject: Legal sufficiency review of Resolutions nominating Anthony Giancola, Howard Gibbs, and Richard Jackson as members of the District of Columbia Water and Sewer Authority Board of Directors

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 Erika Satterlee, Deputy General Counsel, Executive Office of the Mayor, at 202-724-1303, or me at 202-724-7681.

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Elizabeth A. (Betsy) Cavendish