



**MURIEL BOWSER**  
MAYOR

May 8, 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 6 of the Department of For-Hire Vehicles Establishment Act of 1985, effective June 22, 2016 (D.C. Law 21-124; D.C. Official Code § 50-301.05), I am pleased to nominate the following individual:

Mr. Jonathan M. Rogers  
N Street, NW  
Washington, DC 20001  
(Ward 2)

for appointment as Director of the Department of For-Hire Vehicles, to serve at the pleasure of the Mayor.

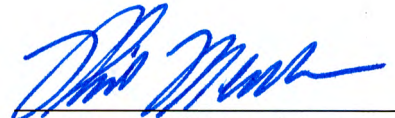
Enclosed, you will find biographical information detailing the experience of the above-mentioned nominee, together with a proposed resolution to assist the Council during the confirmation process.

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", written over a faint, larger version of the same signature.

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 Jonathan M. Rogers as Director of the Department of For-Hire Vehicles.

RESOLVED, BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, that this resolution may be cited as the “Director of the Department of For-Hire Vehicles Jonathan M. Rogers Confirmation Resolution of 2024”.

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

Mr. Jonathan M. Rogers  
N Street, NW  
Washington, DC 20001  
(Ward 2)

as the Director of the Department of For-Hire Vehicles, established by section 5 of the Department of For-Hire Vehicles Establishment Act of 1985, effective June 22, 2016(D.C. Law 21-124; D.C. Official Code § 50-301.04), to serve at the pleasure of the Mayor.

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.

# Jonathan M. Rogers

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Senior Public Official and Cabinet Member for Mayor Muriel Bowser, Chief of Staff to the Deputy Mayor specializing in infrastructure and operations, transportation, and sustainability. Coordinating project delivery and informing the policy, operations, and budgets of District agencies for twelve consecutive years. Certified Public Manager, Lean Six Sigma green belt, trained SCRUM Master.

## ***Office of the Deputy Mayor for Operations and Infrastructure (DMOI)***

Assigned duties of Deputy Mayor – July 2023 – October 2023

Chief of Staff – July 2021 – Present

- Implements DMOI's strategy for coordinating and delivering transformative infrastructure projects and initiatives, such as powerline undergrounding, lead water service line replacement, transportation electrification, transportation safety, and Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act (IIJA) investment.
- Fosters efficient and effective agency performance for 8 DMOI direct-report cluster agencies.
- Manages 16 DMOI office team members.

Senior Policy Advisor – May 2019 – July 2021

- Guided agency counterparts in developing policy recommendations and strategies to achieve agency outcomes, complemented cluster-agency efforts, and aligned with Administration policy.
- Formed strategies for effective agency management with the Deputy Mayor's senior management and advisory staff. Managed projects for large and complex policy issues. Provided analytical and evaluative expertise in the interpretation and applicability of District law, regulations, and procedures.
- Served as the primary liaison in the COVID-19 Emergency Operations Center Modified Government Operations Section for DMOI cluster agencies and independent agencies.

## ***District Department of Transportation (DDOT)***

Policy Analyst, Policy and Legislative Affairs Division (PLAD), Office of the Director – June 2014 - May 2019

- Developed policy recommendations and regulations for Vision Zero, autonomous vehicles, dockless scooters and bikeshare, ridesharing and carsharing, DC Circulator and DC Streetcar.
- Served as lead project manager for the Vision Zero initiative since its inception in 2015.
- Analyzed and presented data, prepared Director testimony for annual performance oversight hearings.
- DDOT MVP Award recipient and Snow Team member.

## ***Mayor-Elect Muriel Bowser's Transition Team***

Budget Analyst – November 2014 - January 2015

- Analyzed and presented the current fiscal status of agency operating budgets and the capital improvements plan to the incoming City Administrator, policy coordinators, and other key staff joining the Bowser administration; identified candidates for cabinet positions.
- Developed budgetary recommendations for promoting the policy objectives of the Mayor-Elect.

## ***Mayor Vincent Gray's Office of Budget and Finance***

Budget Analyst – October 2012 - June 2014; Capital City Fellow – April 2012 - October 2012

- Served as the principal budget and policy analyst for the Public Works Cluster (now DMOI), formulated annual operating budgets for DDOT, DMV, DOEE, DPW, DFHV, and WMATA, and monitored \$700 million / 2,106 FTE cluster budget.
- Assisted in formulation of the Six-Year Capital Improvements Program (CIP), most recently totaling \$1.375 billion annually in the Mayor's proposed FY15 - FY20 CIP.

## ***National League of Cities***

Associate, Institute for Youth, Education, and Families – February 2009 - April 2012

## ***Education***

Master of Public Policy, Urban Policy Concentration – June 2011  
*The George Washington University, Washington, DC*

Bachelor of Arts, Anthropology – May 2006  
*Macalester College, St. Paul, MN*



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### Jonathan M. Rogers



Mr. Jonathan M. Rogers has most recently served as chief of staff to the Deputy Mayor for Operations and Infrastructure (“DMOI”). In this role, Jonathan is responsible for day-to-day management and strategic planning for the office. He supports the deputy mayor in the coordination and oversight of a cluster including eight mayoral agencies, four independent agencies, and public utilities.

Jonathan was previously DMOI’s senior policy advisor. He has served in the District government for nearly 10 years, including policy positions at the District Department of Transportation, the transition office of Mayor-elect Muriel Bowser, and the budget office of Mayor

Vincent Gray. Jonathan was the District’s first project manager for Mayor Bowser’s Vision Zero initiative for transportation safety.

Jonathan is a certified public manager, a lean six-sigma green-belt, a former Capital City Fellow and an AmeriCorps alumnus. Prior to his work in District government, Jonathan was an associate at the National League of Cities.

A Ward 2 resident, Jonathan earned his Bachelor of Arts from Macalester College and his Master of Public Policy degree from 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 26, 2024  
**Subject:** Legal sufficiency review of Resolution nominating Jonathan M. Rogers as  
Director of the Department of For-Hire Vehicles

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**This is to Certify** that this office has reviewed the above-referenced resolution and found it 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.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Elizabeth A. Cavendish'.

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Elizabeth A. (Betsy) Cavendish