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MURIEL BOWSER
MAYOR

SEP 16 2016

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 4 of the Homeless Services Reform Act of 2005, effective October 22, 2005 (D.C. Law 16-35; D.C. Official Code § 4-752.01), which established the Interagency Council on Homelessness ("Council"), I am pleased to nominate the following person:

Mr. Robert Warren
1309 T Street, SE, Unit 1
Washington, DC 20020
(Ward 8)

for appointment as a member of the Council, serving as a formerly homeless representative, replacing Eric Sheptock, to serve for a term to end May 1, 2018.

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 E. Bowser". The signature is stylized and cursive.

Muriel E. Bowser



Chairman Phil Mendelson
at the request of the Mayor

A PROPOSED RESOLUTION

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Chairman Phil Mendelson, at the request of the Mayor, introduced the following resolution,
which was referred to the Committee on _____

To confirm the appointment of Robert Warren to the Interagency Council on Homelessness.

RESOLVED, BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, that this resolution may be cited as the "Interagency Council on Homelessness Robert Warren Confirmation Resolution of 2016".

Sec. 2. The Council of the District of Columbia appoints:

Mr. Robert Warren
1309 T Street SE
Washington DC 20020
(Ward 8)

as a member of the Interagency Council on Homelessness, pursuant to section 4(b) of the Homeless Services Reform Act of 2005, effective October 22, 2005 (D.C. Law 16-35; D.C. Official Code § 4-752.01(b)), replacing Eric Sheptock, to serve for a term to end May 1, 2018.

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.

Robert W. Warren

OBJECTIVE

Harness my unique personal experiences into engaging with individuals experiencing homelessness and connecting them to services within the homelessness services continuum. I want to engage people individually and through focus groups to assess their needs and work with them on goals related to independence and self-sufficiency.

PROFESSIONAL ADVOCACY

Outreach Worker, People for Fairness Coalition, Washington, DC Oct. 2008 – Present

- Working on the streets of Washington, DC to find and offer supportive and lifesaving services to homeless men and women
- Advocating for homeless and formerly homeless individuals at city-wide planning meetings and events
- Trained in completing VI-SPDAT assessments with individuals experiencing homelessness
- Trained as a certified peer-to-peer specialist after completing 8-week course
- Engage in group peer mentoring for the last six years
- Organized listening sessions within the homeless community to better understand the needs of homeless individuals

WORK EXPERIENCE

Senior Service Worker, GWU Hospital, Washington, DC Sep. 2011 –Present

- Responsible for the up keep of floors and machinery including buffers
- Responsible for the maintenance and cleanliness of the overall building
- Proficient in the usage and maintenance of buffers and other tools necessary for daily work

Marketing Assistant, Manna Inc. Oct. 2010 –April 2014

- Responsible for greeting clients at showings of model homes
- Responsible for light cleaning and maintenance of units
- Responsible for placing signage to increase attendees to the event

Floor Technician, GWU Core Staff, Washington, DC May 2010 –Aug 2010

- Responsible for the up keep of floors and machinery including buffers
- Responsible for the maintenance and cleanliness of the overall building
- Proficient in the usage and maintenance of buffers and other tools necessary for daily work

Utility Worker, Catholic Charities, Washington DC Jun. 2008-Oct. 2008

- Responsible for overall cleanliness of the building
- Responsible for light grounds maintenance and repair

Sheet Metal Apprentice, Local 100 Sheet Metal, Suitland MD 2001-2008

- Experience reading and interpreting blueprints, sketches, and product specifications

- Knowledge and experience determining sequence and methods of fabricating, assembling, and installing sheet metal products.
- Experience ordering materials
- Experience laying out, marking dimensions and reference lines on material, using scribes, dividers, squares, and rulers
- Applied knowledge of shop mathematics and layout techniques to develop and trace patterns of product or parts

Self-Employed Handyman, Washington DC 1997-2000

- Responsible for personal time management and quality of product

Carpenter's Helper, Crescent Towers, Washington DC 1995-1996

Carpenter, Manna Skill Builder, Washington DC 1990

EDUCATION

Carpentry Student, Arch Training School, Washington DC 1987-1989

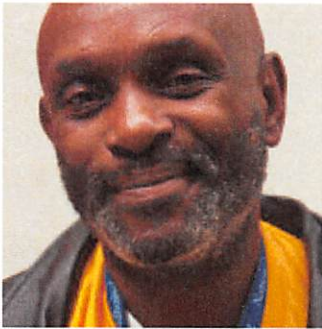
Anacostia High School 1980

High School Diploma



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Robert Warren



Robert Warren is an Outreach Worker for the People for Fairness Coalition.

Robert Warren is a lifelong resident of Washington, DC. Mr. Warren has experienced homelessness firsthand, and his experience led him to join the People for Fairness Coalition, an advocacy group focused on ending homelessness in the District of Columbia. Mr. Warren has worked at George Washington University Hospital for the last 5 years. He is a proud StreetSense vendor and contributor, writing poetry and news articles. He also lectures on housing and homeless issues as a part of the Speakers Bureau for the National Coalition for the Homeless.

A Ward 8 resident, Mr. Warren received his high school diploma from Anacostia High School.



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



Office of the General Counsel to the Mayor

To: Lauren C. Vaughan; Steven Walker
From: Betsy Cavendish
Date: September 7, 2016
Subject: Legal sufficiency review of Resolution appointing Robert Warren as a public member of the Interagency Council on Homelessness

This is to Certify that this office has reviewed the above-referenced mayor's order and found it to be legally unobjectionable. If you have any questions in this regard, please do not hesitate to call Alana Intrieri, 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'.

Elizabeth Cavendish