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General Assembly: House of Delegates, Legislative District 5 (R), Carroll County, 1999-. Member, Judiciary Committee, 1999-; Gaming [Gambling] Law & Enforcement Subcommittee, 1999-.

Private Career and Other Public Service: Paralegal in family, criminal and real estate law, 1977-85, 1993-98. Journalist, *The Baltimore Sun*, 1985-88; *The Carroll County Times*, 1988-90. Former freelance writer, consultant, and legal transcriptionist. District court commissioner, Carroll County, District 10, District Court of Maryland, 1991-93. Campaign manager for Jerry F. Barnes, Carroll County State's Attorney, 1994. Volunteer, Historical Society of Carroll County (writing biographies of Carroll County Vietnam veterans), 1994-97. Member, Tri-District Republican Club; president, 1995-96; president-elect, 1998-99. Chair, Charter Board, Carroll County, 1998. Member, Maryland Taxpayers' Association; National Association of Legal Assistants; Citizens Against Government Waste; Citizens Against Big Charter Government; Americans for Tax Reform. School Bell Award, Maryland State Teachers' Association, 1988 (sustained coverage), 1989 (spot news). Distinguished Journalism Award, Society of Professional Journalists, Sigma Delta Chi, Maryland Chapter, 1989. Honorable Mention, Features Award, Maryland-Delaware-DC Press Association, 1989.



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General Assembly: House of Delegates, Legislative District 7 (D), Baltimore County, 1967-79, 1983-92, and since 1993. Chair, Baltimore County Delegation, 1969-70. Legislative Policy Committee, 1969-79, 1987-92, 1994-; Management Subcommit-

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tee. Majority Leader, 1971-79, 1987-90. Chair, Environmental Matters Committee, 1972-79, 1987-90. House chair, Joint Committee on Administrative, Executive and Legislative Review, 1983-86, 1995-. Member, Economic Matters Committee, 1983-87. Rules and Executive Nominations Committee, 1983-92, 1995-. House chair, Tort and Insurance Reform Oversight Committee, 1987-92. Member, Special Joint Committee on Energy Pricing, 1990-91. Chair, Judiciary Committee, 1991-92. Member, Commerce and Government Matters Committee, 1994-; chair, Ethics & Election Laws Subcommittee, 1995-. Chair, House Facilities Committee, 1995-.

Private Career and Other Public Service: Served in U.S. Marine Corps, 1956-59. Magistrate at large, Baltimore County, 1966-67. Attorney. Member, Governor's Special Committee on the Port of Baltimore, 1987-88. Retail Security Task Force, 1987-88. Energy Overcharge Restitution Trust Fund Board of Trustees, 1987-89. Governor's Commission on Health Care Policy and Financing, 1988-92. Maryland Greenways Commission, 1990-92. Task Force to Review the State's Election Law, 1995. Commission to Revise the Election Code, 1996-97. Task Force to Study Bank Charter Modernization, 1997-98. Study Commission on Lobbyist Ethics, 1999-. Member, Maryland State and Baltimore County Bar Associations. Member, Sons of Italy.



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General Assembly: House of Delegates, Legislative District 22B (D), Prince George's County, 1994-. Member, Environmental Matters Committee, 1994. Judiciary Committee, 1995-98; Family and Juvenile Law Subcommittee, 1995-98. Special Committee on Drug and Alcohol Abuse, 1995-99. Member, Appropriations Committee, 1999-; Health and Human Resources Subcommittee, 1999-; Oversight Committee on Personnel, 1999-; Oversight Committee on Program Open Space and Agricultural Land Preservation, 1999-. Chair, Prince George's County Delegation, 1999-; Law Enforcement and State-appointed Boards Committee; vice-chair, Bi-county Committee, 1994-96.

Private Career and Other Public Service: Captain, U.S. Army Reserve Judge Advocate General Corps, 1990-94. Served as Senior Congressional Black Caucus Fellow in office of U.S. Senator John Kerry. Attorney, working for Peoples Involvement Corporation, a nonprofit community development and social services organization. Former contract specialist and equal employment opportunity officer, De-

partment of Housing and Community Development, District of Columbia. Member, Commission on the Future of Maryland Courts, 1995-97. Implementation Task Force for Child Support Enforcement Procedures, Department of Human Resources, 1997-98. Task Force on the Privatization of the Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission, 1998-99. Member, American and J. Franklin Bourne Bar Associations. Chair, Legislative Committee, Gladys Noon Spellman Parent Teacher Association. Member, Maryland Chapter, National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP). Omega Psi Phi Fraternity. Howard University Alumni Association.



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General Assembly: House of Delegates, Legislative District 36 (D), Cecil, Kent, Queen Anne's, Talbot Counties, 1995-. Member, Appropriations Committee, 1995-; Oversight Committee on Program Open Space & Agricultural Land Preservation, 1995-; Capital Budget Subcommittee, 1997-; vice-chair, Public Safety & Administration Subcommittee, 1997-; chair, Oversight Committee on Personnel, 1999-. Joint Committee on Chesapeake Bay Critical Areas, 1995-. Joint Committee on Pensions, 1996-. Joint Subcommittee on Program Open Space and Agricultural Land Preservation, 1995-98, 1999-. Chair, Queen Anne's County Delegation, 1995-.

Private Career and Other Public Service: Served in U.S. Air Force, 1964-68. Businessman. Member, Queen Anne's County Democratic Central Committee, 1974-78. Member, Board of County Commissioners, Queen Anne's County, 1986-90. Member, Chesapeake Bay Trust, 1995-. Commission to Study Ways to Improve the Financial Viability of the Racing Industry, 1997-99. Statewide 800-MHz Communications System Oversight Committee, 1999. Governor's Task Force on Eastern Shore Economic Development, 1999-. Member, Kent Narrows Development Foundation. Man of the Year, Jaycees, 1980. Inducted into American Powerboat Association, 1987.



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General Assembly: House of Delegates, Legislative District 33 (R), Anne Arundel County, 1994-. Member, Environmental Matters Committee, 1999-; Environment and Natural Resources subcommittee, 1999; Agriculture, Environmental and Natural Resources Subcommittee, 1999-. Member, Appropriations Committee, 1995-98; Education and Economic Development Subcommittee, 1995-98; Oversight Committee on Personnel, 1995-98; Oversight Committee on Program Open Space & Agricultural Land Preservation, 1995-98.

Private Career and Other Public Service: Served in U.S. Army, infantry captain, 1956-64. Businessman. Secretary/treasurer, Reliable Contracting Company, Inc. Member, Federal Small Business Advisory Board, Region III, 1982-84. Board member, West Anne Arundel Chamber of Commerce, 1988-94. Member, Anne Arundel County Republican Central Committee, 1990-94. Board of Directors, Anne Arundel Community College Foundation, 1992-98. Delegate, Republican Party National Convention, 1996. Member, Council on Management and Productivity, 1999-. Member, Associated Builders and Contractors; president, Anne Arundel-Southern Maryland Chapter, 1971. Member, Utility Contractors of Anne Arundel County; vice-president, 1984.



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General Assembly: House of Delegates, Legislative District 39 (D), Montgomery County, 1999-. Member, Judiciary Committee, 1999-; Gaming [gambling] Law and Enforcement Subcommittee, 1999-; Special Committee on Drug and Alcohol Abuse, 1999-; County Affairs Committee, Montgomery County Delegation, 1999-.

Private Career and Other Public Service: Math teacher. Interdisciplinary resource teacher, E. B. Wood Middle School, 1992-. Member, Board of Directors, Montgomery County Education Association; member at large, 1978-88; treasurer, 1988-92; vice-president, 1992-98. Board of Directors, Montgomery County Teachers Federal Credit Union, 1983-87. Hadley Farms Community Association, 1992-93. Former secretary, Legislative District 39 Democratic Caucus; former chair, Precinct 104, Legislative District 39. Board of Directors, Maryland State Teachers Association, 1989-90, 1991-95, 1996-. Member, Task Force to Study Alternative Educational Programs for Chronically Disruptive Students, 1999-2000.



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General Assembly: House of Delegates, Legislative District 3 (R), Frederick, Washington Counties, 1999-. Member, Ways and Means Committee, 1999-; Children and Youth Subcommittee, 1999-.

Private Career and Other Public Service: Technical writer; graphic designer; political consultant. Inductee, National Business Honor Society, 1993. Member, National Rifle Association; Frederick County Young Republican Club. Member, Frederick Seventh-Day Adventist Church.



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General Assembly: House of Delegates, Legislative District 17 (D), Montgomery County, 1991-. Member, Economic Matters Committee, 1991-; Health Insurance Subcommittee, 1994; Workers' Compensation Subcommittee, 1997-. Chair, Real

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Property Subcommittee, 1995-96; Science and Technology Subcommittee, 1997-. Member, House Facilities Committee, 1993-; Joint Audit Committee (formerly Joint Budget and Audit Committee), 1995-; Joint Oversight Committee on State Employees Health Insurance, 1994; Special Joint Committee on Competitive Taxation and Economic Development, 1996-97; Bi-county Committee. Chair, Montgomery County Delegation, 1995-; vice-chair, 1993-95.

Private Career and Other Public Service: Financial analyst. Member, Task Force to Examine the Applicability of Manufacturing Laws to High-Technology Businesses, 1997. Study Panel to Review Economic Development Financing Programs, 1999. Treasurer and board member, Maryland National Abortion Rights Action League (NARAL), 4 years. Elected delegate, Greenbelt Cooperative, 3 years. Founding board member, Montgomery County Democratic Action Committee, 2 years. Treasurer, Montgomery County Young Democrats. Democratic Provisional Precinct Chair, Precinct 9-01, and member, District 17 Caucus. Member, Gaithersburg and Upper Montgomery County Chamber of Commerce. Washingtonian Towns Civic Association, 3 years. Maryland Citizen Action Coalition. Indian Cultural Coordinating Committee. Sierra Club.



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General Assembly: House of Delegates, Legislative District 24 (D), Prince George's County, 1991-. Constitutional and Administrative Law Committee, 1991-92. Environmental Matters Committee, 1992-93. Commerce and Government Matters Committee, 1994-; Procurement Subcommittee, 1995-98; chair, State Government and Civil Rights Subcommittee, 1995-98; chair, State Government and Procurement Subcommittee, 1999-. Chair, Maryland Legislative Black Caucus, 1995-96. Deputy Majority Leader, 1999-. Chair, Law Enforcement and State-Appointed Boards Committee. Prince George's County Delegation, 1999-.

Private Career and Other Public Service: Honorary life member, Girl Scouts of America, 1980. Member, Ebenezer African Methodist Episcopal (AME) Church. Delegate, Democratic Party National Convention, 1996. Member, Task Force to Study the History and Legacy of Slavery in Maryland, 1999. Staff administrator, Prince George's County Public School System. Board member, Coalition of Eco-

conomic Development. Member, Coalition of 100 Black Women. Prince George's County Educators' Association (negotiations team). Maryland State Teachers Association (MTSA). National Education Association (NEA). Delegate, MSTA and NEA conventions. Chair, Faculty Advisory Council. Prince George's Bargaining Council. Board member, Black Democratic Council. For Love of Children Award, Kiwanis Club of Capitol Centre, 1985. Community Service Award, J. Franklyn Bourne Bar Association, 1989. Outstanding Minority Leader Award. Outstanding and Dedicated Services to Children and Youth. Outstanding Minority Leadership Award. Outstanding Educator, Prince George's County Public Schools. Outstanding Community Service Award, Las Amigas. Citizen of Year, Omega Psi Phi Fraternity. Outstanding Minority Educator, MSTA Minority Caucus.



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General Assembly: House of Delegates, Legislative District 24 (D), Montgomery County, 1991-. Member, Constitutional and Administrative Law Committee, 1991-93; Judiciary Committee, 1993; Commerce and Government Matters Committee, 1994; Environmental Matters Committee, 1995-99; Environmental and Natural Resources Subcommittee, 1995-99; Special Joint Committee on Vehicle Emissions Inspection Program, 1995-; Appropriations Committee, 1999-; Health and Human Resources Subcommittee, 1999-; Oversight Committee on Pensions, 1999-; Oversight Committee on Program Open Space and Agricultural Land Preservation, 1999-; Special Joint Committee on Pensions, 2000-. Chair, Transportation Committee, Montgomery County Delegation, 1996-.

Private Career and Other Public Service: Served in U.S. Naval Reserve, 1955-63. Staff director, U.S. Senate Environment Subcommittee, 1966-78. Lecturer and writer on politics and environment; principal staff on federal environmental laws, 1966-78. Administrative assistant to U.S. Senator Edmund Muskie, 1978-80. Executive assistant to U.S. Secretary of State, 1980-81. Political consultant. Director, Washington Politics Program, University of Southern California, 1981-94. Executive director, U.S. Senate Democratic Campaign Committee, 1982-83. Member, Task Force to Study Retail Electric Competition and the Restructuring of the Electric Utility Industry, 1997-98.

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General Assembly: House of Delegates, Legislative District 12B (D), Howard County, 1995-. Member, Joint Committee to Study Mandates on Local Government, 1995-97; Commerce and Government Matters Committee, 1995-; Financial Institutions Subcommittee, 1995-. Chair, Howard County Delegation, 1997.

Private Career and Other Public Service: Attorney. Member, Howard County Bar Association. Member, Board of Appeals, Howard County, 1976-77. Member, County Council, Howard County, 1977-86. County Executive, Howard County, 1986-90. Delegate, Democratic Party National Convention, 1988. Howard County Citizens' Association. Chesapeake Bay Conservation Award, Izaak Walton League of America, 1989. Member, Governor's Commission on Growth in the Chesapeake Region, 1989-91. Deputy secretary for programs, Maryland Department of Human Resources, 1990-94. State Advisory Council on Nutrition, 1991-94. Task Force on Dual Office-Holding by Public Employees, 1995. Member, League of Women Voters. Sierra Club. Award for establishing shelter for homeless, Governor's Advisory Board of Homelessness, 1990. Tribute of Appreciation, Howard County General Hospital, 1990. Howard County Historic Preservation Award, 1990. Gates of Freedom Award, Maryland Committee, State of Israel Bonds, 1990.



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General Assembly: House of Delegates, Legislative District 29B (D), St. Mary's County, 1999-. Member, Ways and Means Committee, 1999-; Finance Resources Subcommittee, 1999-.

Private Career and Other Public Service: Legislative assistant to U.S. Representa-

tive Roy P. Dyson, 1981-87. Senior staff, Tracor Applied Sciences, Inc., 1987-91. Project analyst and operations manager, SFA, Inc., 1991-93. District director for U.S. Representative Steny H. Hoyer, 1993-. Member, Judith P. Hoyer Blue Ribbon Commission on Early Child Care and Education, 2000-. Tri-County Council for Southern Maryland, 2000-.



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General Assembly: House of Delegates, Legislative District 33 (R), Anne Arundel County, December 1982, and 1999-. Member, Judiciary Committee, 1999-; Gaming [gambling] Law and Enforcement Subcommittee, 1999-; Special Committee on Drug and Alcohol Abuse, 1999-.

Private Career and Other Public Service: Captain (retired), U.S. Marine Corps Reserve. Officer, Parish Council, Our Lady of the Fields Catholic Church, 1974-76. Board of Directors, Arundel Volunteer Fire Department, 1976-78. President, Odenton Chamber of Commerce, 1978-79. Assistant Branch Manager, First National Bank, 1979-82. Youth Employment Advisory Board, YMCA, Anne Arundel County, 1980-81. Chair, Board of Appeals, Anne Arundel County, 1980-82. Branch manager, Farmers National Bank, 1982-84. Vice-president for Public Relations, Odenton Federal Savings and Loan, 1984-87. Member, County Council, 4th District, Anne Arundel County, 1984-94; chair, 1992, 1993. Director of Business Development, Severn Savings Bank of Annapolis, 1987-90. Board of Directors, Martin Spalding High School, 1987-92; Fairfield Nursing Home, 1989-94. President, Community Image Consultants, Inc., 1987-. President, Heritage International Beverages, Ltd., 1993-95. Instructor, political science, Anne Arundel Community College, 1995-. Past member, Citizens Advisory Board, Crownsville Hospital Center; State Board of Examiners of Landscape Architects; Severn River Commission. Member, American Legion; Military Order of World Wars; Marine Corps Reserve Officer Association. Past member, Odenton Kiwanis; Veterans of Foreign Wars; Civitan Club of Annapolis.

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General Assembly: House of Delegates, Legislative District 34 (R), Harford County, 1999-. Member, Environmental Matters Committee, 1999-; Environmental and Natural Resources Subcommittee, 1999; Agriculture, Environment and Natural Resources Subcommittee, 1999-; Public Utilities Subcommittee, 1999-.

Private Career and Other Public Service: Attorney. Board of Education, Harford County, 1977-81, president, 1979-81. Member, City Council, City of Aberdeen, 1992-94. Mayor, City of Aberdeen, 1994-98. Board of Directors, Ripken Museum, 1996-. Member, Task Force on Quality of Care in Nursing Facilities, 1999. Statewide Water Conservation Advisory Committee, 2000-. Member, Maryland State and Harford County Bar Associations. Member, Aberdeen Chamber of Commerce. Outstanding Young Marylander finalist, Maryland Jaycees, 1979. National Walmart Award for Outstanding Leadership as a Small City Mayor, 1997.



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General Assembly: House of Delegates, Legislative District 38 (D), Somerset, Wicomico, Worcester Counties, 1991-. Member, Constitutional and Administrative Law Committee, 1991-92. Economic Matters Committee, 1992-93. Commerce and Government Matters Committee, 1994. Deputy Majority Whip, 1995-. Joint Committee on Federal Relations, 1995-. Member, Ways and Means Committee, 1995-; Finance Resources Subcommittee, 1995; Transportation Subcommittee, 1996; Education Subcommittee, 1997; chair, Fee Subcommittee, 1997; chair, Tax and Revenue Subcommittee, 1998-. Special Joint Committee on Competitive Taxation and Economic Development, 1996-97. Task Force to Study County Property-Tax Setoffs and Related Fiscal Issues, 1997. Chair, Worcester County Delegation.

Private Career and Other Public Service: Pharmacist. Served in U.S. Coast Guard, 1961-69. Member, Democratic State Central Committee, Worcester County, 1974-78. Member, Board of County Commissioners, Worcester County, 1978-90. President, Maryland Association of Counties, 1990. Member, Maryland Tourism Development Board, 1994-. Citizens Advisory Board for Holly Center, 1997-. Forum for Rural Maryland, 1998-. Commission on Transportation Investment, 1999. Governor's Task Force on Eastern Shore Economic Development, 1999-. Member, Maryland Pharmaceutical Association; Eastern Shore Pharmaceutical Association. Worcester County Farm Bureau. Member, Salisbury Elks Club. Ocean City Veterans of Foreign Wars. Ocean City Marlin Club. Ducks Unlimited. Former member Berlin Lions Club; Berlin-Ocean City Jaycees; Berlin Chamber of Commerce. Life member, University of Maryland Alumni Association. Eagle Scout. Recipient, Bowl of Hygeia for State of Maryland, a national pharmacy award, 1989. Active member, Berlin Fire Company for 26 years.



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General Assembly: House of Delegates, Legislative District 45 (D), Baltimore City, 1995-. Member, Appropriations Committee, 1995- (Oversight Committee on Personnel, 1995-99; Health & Human Resources Subcommittee, 1995-; Capital Budget Subcommittee, 1998-; vice-chair, Oversight Committee on Pensions, 1999-); Joint Committee on Welfare Reform, 1996-; Joint Committee on Children, Youth, and Families, 1999-; Special Joint Committee on Pensions, 2000-. Member, Special Committee on School Enrollment Management, 1996-97. Chair, Maryland Legislative Black Caucus, 2000-.

Private Career and Other Public Service: Special assistant to U.S. Representative Parren J. Mitchell, 7th Congressional District, 1984-87. Baltimore City Mayor's representative to Cecil Kirk Community, 1992-93. Member, Partnership Policy Council on Block Grants, 1996-98. Judith P. Hoyer Blue Ribbon Commission on Early Child Care and Education, 2000-. Member, America's Fund; National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP). Awards received from: Baltimore City Council, 1981; president, Baltimore City Council, 1985; State Senate, 1985; Maryland State Conference, National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP). Mayor's Citation, Baltimore City. Named Young Democrat of the Year, Young Democrats of Maryland, 1985.

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General Assembly: House of Delegates, Legislative District 4A (R), Frederick County, 1995-. Member, Commerce and Government Matters Committee, 1995-; Financial Institutions Subcommittee, 1995-; State Government and Procurement Subcommittee, 1999-. Chair, Procurement Subcommittee, 1998. Deputy Minority Whip, 1997-98. Member, Joint Committee on Legislative Ethics, 1999-.

Private Career and other Public Service: Insurance agent. Vice-chair, Frederick County Republican Central Committee, 1990-94. Member, Task Force to Study Bank Charter Modernization, 1997-98. Task Force to Study the Modernization of Credit Union Law, 1999-. Member, American Society of Chartered Life Underwriters and Chartered Financial Consultants.



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General Assembly: House of Delegates, Legislative District 16 (D), Montgomery County, 1999-. Member, Commerce and Government Matters Committee, 1999-; Ethics and Election Laws Subcommittee, 1999-; Special Committee on Drug and Alcohol Abuse, 1999-; Transportation Committee, Montgomery County Delegation, 1999-.

Private Career and Other Public Service: Press secretary to U.S. Representative Michael D. Barnes, 1979-87. Co-founder and member, Washington Regional Alcohol Program, 1983-. President, Bronrott Communications, 1987-. Mediator, Dispute Resolutions Program, District of Columbia Superior Court, 1988-89. Member, Board of

Directors, Maryland Division, American Trauma Society, 1998-. Member, East Bethesda Citizens Association. Certificate of Appreciation, Montgomery County Students Against Drunk Driving, 1984. David Apter Memorial Award for Public Service, Public Relations Society of America, 1992. Hero Award, Mothers Against Drunk Driving (MADD), 1995. Top Citizen Activist Award, Washington Regional Alcohol Program, 1997. Citizen Activism Award, National Commission Against Drunk Driving, 1997.



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General Assembly: House of Delegates, Legislative District 25 (D), Prince George's County, 1999-. Member, Economic Matters Committee, 1999-; Health Insurance Subcommittee, 1999-; Real Estate and Housing Subcommittee, 1999-; Workers' Compensation Subcommittee, 1999-. Member, Law Enforcement and State-Appointed Boards Committee, Prince George's County Delegation, 1999-.

Private Career and Other Public Service: Aviation Officer, Captain, U.S. Army (active and reserve), 1984-94. Attorney. Associate attorney, Wilmer, Cutler and Pickering, Washington, DC, 1994-98. Judge Advocate, Major, U.S. Army Reserve, 1994-. Member, Board of Trustees, Prince George's Community College, 1995-98. Lecturer, Legal Assistant Program, Georgetown University, 1996-97. President, Lake Pointe Home Owners' Association, 1996-. Member, County Executive's Welfare-To-Work Advisory Panel, Prince George's County, 1997-98. Member, State Inter-agency Coordinating Council (for Infants and Toddlers), 1999-.



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General Assembly: House of Delegates, Legislative District 19 (D), Baltimore City, Baltimore County, 1995-. Member, Judiciary Committee, 1995-; Civil Law and Procedure Subcommittee, 1995-; Special Committee on Drug and Alcohol Abuse, 1995-; Joint Committee on Federal Relations, 1999-.

Private Career and Other Public Service: Served in U.S. Air Force, 1975-78, captain. Minister. Chair, Baltimore Safe Schools Committee, 1991-. Member, Governor's Commission on Adoption, 1995; Governor's Task Force on African-American Entrepreneurship in Baltimore City, 1996-99; Task Force to Study the Effects of Cultural Activities on Public Senior Higher Education Institutions, 1999; Task Force to Study the History and Legacy of Slavery in Maryland, 1999. Chaplain, Maryland Legislative Black Caucus. Chair, Social Action Committee, United Baptist Convention of Maryland. Member, National Baptist Convention, U.S.A., Inc. Member Omega Psi Phi Fraternity.



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General Assembly: House of Delegates, Legislative District 30 (D), Anne Arundel County, 1987-. Member, Judiciary Committee, 1987-91. Member Economic Matters Committee, 1991-, chair, 1994-; Home Inspection Industry Subcommittee, 1991. Chair, Anne Arundel County Delegation, 1992-93. Deputy Majority Whip, 1993. Member, Legislative Policy Committee, 1994-. Rules and Executive Nominations Committee, 1994-. Co-chair, Joint Committee on State Economic Development Initiatives, 1995-96. House chair, Joint Committee on Health Care Delivery and Financing, 1995-98. Member, Special Joint Committee on Competitive Taxation and Economic Development, 1996-97.

Private Career and Other Public Service: Teacher and coach, St. Mary's High School, 1973-79. Administrator for youth athletics, Anne Arundel County, 1979-. Chair, State Commission on Physical Fitness, 1989-94. Member, Governor's Commission on Baltimore City Automobile-Insurance Rate Reduction, 1995. Maryland Historical Trust, 1995-. Advisory Committee to Study Funding Mechanisms for the Maryland Insurance Administration, 1997-98. Governor's Task Force to Study the Injured Workers' Insurance Fund, 1999-. Task Force on Regulatory Reform, 1999-. Co-chair, Study Panel to Review Economic Development Financing Programs, 1999. Coach of the Year (football), 1978. Man of the Year, Anne Arundel County Lacrosse Association, 1982.



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General Assembly: House of Delegates, Legislative District 31 (D), Anne Arundel County, 1991-. Member, Constitutional and Administrative Law Committee, 1991-92. Member, Appropriations Committee, 1992-; Oversight Committee on Pensions, 1993-; Capital Budget Subcommittee, 1995-; chair, Oversight Committee on Personnel, 1998-99; chair, Public Safety and Administration Subcommittee, 1999-. Joint Advisory Committee on Legislative Data Systems, 1993-99. Special Joint Committee on Pensions, 1993-. Joint Committee on Chesapeake Bay Critical Areas, 1995-. House Facilities Committee, 1995-. Joint Committee on Welfare Reform, 1996-99. President, Women Legislators of Maryland, 1997-98. Chair, Education Subcommittee, Anne Arundel County Delegation.

Private Career and Other Public Service: Owner/operator of cosmetology business. Member, Board of Education, Anne Arundel County, 1983-88, vice-president, 1986-88. Member for Large Districts, Steering Committee, National School Board Association, 1985-88. Chair, Local Advisory Council for Vocational Education, 1988-90. Commission for Women, Anne Arundel County, 1988-90. Member, Task Force to Examine the Welfare Reform Legislation on Legal Immigrants in Maryland, 1996-97. Maryland Commission for Celebration 2000, 1997-. Vice-president, Greater Brooklyn Park Council. Legislative chair, Anne Arundel County Council of PTAs. Secretary/public relations chair, Board of Directors, Sheltered Workshop. Member, Stoney Creek Democratic Club; Roland Terrace Democratic Club; Lake Shore Democratic Club; Ploughman and Fisherman of Anne Arundel County; League of Women Voters. Active in Olde Brooklyn Park Improvement Association. Honorary life member, Maryland Congress of Parents and Teachers, Inc.



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General Assembly: House of Delegates, Legislative District 42 (D), Baltimore City, 1979-. Member, Ways and Means Committee, 1986-; chair, Transportation Subcommittee, 1994-96; chair, Education Subcommittee, 1997-. House co-chair, Joint Transportation Financing Committee, 1994. Member, Special Joint Task Force on Transportation, 1995-96. Special Joint Committee on Competitive Taxation and Economic Development, 1996-97. Special Committee on School Enrollment Management, 1996-97. Former member, Special House Committee on Drug and Alcohol Abuse. Member, Liaison Work Group, Baltimore City Delegation.

Private Career and Other Public Service: Social worker. Member, State Development Council Task Force, 1980-84. Governor's Task Force on Food and Nutrition, 1983-85. Task Force to Study the Funding of Special Education, 1985-86. State Advisory Council on Nutrition, 1985-. Local Health Services Funding Review Committee, 1993. Task Force on Education Funding Equity, Accountability, and Partnerships, 1997-98. Maryland School Performance Assessment Program Review Panel, 1997-. Task Force on School Construction Work-Based Learning and Apprenticeship Programs, 1998-99. Active in community affairs. Board member, Maryland Food Committee; Fellowship of Lights. Author of articles in Baltimore *Sun* papers on the elderly, community organizations in Baltimore, and zero-base budgeting.



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General Assembly: House of Delegates, Legislative District 37A (D), Dorchester, Wicomico Counties, 1999-. Member, Environmental Matters Committee, 1999-; Agriculture, Environment and Natural Resources Subcommittee, 1999-; Public Utilities Subcommittee, 1999-; Environmental and Natural Resources Subcommittee, 1999.

Private Career and Other Public Service: Radar sergeant, U.S. Army, 1952-55. Vice-president, Cane's Rentals, 1955-. Evaluation engineer, Bureau of Materials and Research, 1957-68. Member, Maryland Association of Engineers, 1963-84. Coordinator of Special Projects, 1968, and vice-president, 1969; Maryland State Conference of Branches, National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP). Director of Administration, Eastern Regional Laboratory, 1968-84. Member, Maryland State Advisory Committee to the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights, 1970-. Member, Lower Eastern Camp Committee/Cooperative Area Manpower Planning System, 1975-77. Citizen's Advisory Board for Holly Center, 1976-98. Chair,

New Directions for Political and Social Change, 1977. Chancellor's Advisory Committee, University of Maryland Eastern Shore, 1977-80. Board of Directors, Shore Up, Inc., 1978-83. Member, Board of Zoning Appeals, Wicomico County, 1980-1990. Delmarva Advisory Council, 1980-98. State Highway Administration. Administrator, Community and Housing Development, Shore Up, Inc., 1984-. Maryland Rural Development Corporation, 1987-98. Member, County Council, Wicomico County, District 1, 1990-94. Chair, Shore Erosion Task Force, 1999-2000. Member, Governor's Task Force on Eastern Shore Economic Development, 1999-. Member, Queen City Lodge 1051, Elks. Lamech Lodge 30, Prince Hall Affiliated Free and Ancient Masons. American Legion Post 145. Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 10159. Award for Outstanding Work in Wicomico County, NAACP, 1974. Governor's Citation for Service, 1977. Outstanding Citizen Award for community service in field of human rights, Kappa Alpha Psi, Salisbury State University, 1977. Member, Ebenezer United Methodist Church.



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General Assembly: House of Delegates, Legislative District 39 (D), Montgomery County, 1999-. Member, Ways and Means Committee, 1999-; Education Subcommittee, 1999-. Joint Committee on Children, Youth, and Families, 1999-. Member, Transportation Committee, Montgomery County Delegation, 1999-.

Private Career and Other Public Service: Analyst in taxable fixed-income mortgage sales, Lehman Brothers, New York, 1993-95. Teacher, New York City public schools, 1996. Research fellow in domestic micro-enterprise development for U.S. Senator Edward M. Kennedy, 1997. Recipient, President H. C. Byrd Award, University of Maryland College Park. James MacGregor Burns Academy of Leadership Fellowship. Founder and president, University of Maryland, College Park Chapter, Habitat for Humanity International.

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General Assembly: House of Delegates, Legislative District 30 (D), Anne Arundel County, 1995-. Member, Commerce and Government Matters Committee, 1995-; Procurement Subcommittee, 1995-98; chair, Transportation Subcommittee, 1999-. Treasurer, Women Legislators of Maryland, 1999-.

Private Career and Other Public Service: Assistant reporter, Triangle Publications-Radio Stations, 1966-68. Member, County Council, Anne Arundel County, 1974-94; chair, 1984-91. Agricultural Preservation Advisory Committee, Anne Arundel County. Member, U.S. 301 South Corridor Transportation Study Task Force, 1993-96. Commission to Save the Lighthouses, 1995-96. Treasurer, Historic Annapolis, Inc. Member, Chesapeake Environmental Association; South County Democratic Club; Davidsonville Area Civic Association; Mayo Civic Association; Historic Owensville Civic Association; Silver Triangle Ruritan Club; American Business Women's Association (South River Chapter). Past member, Coastal Zone Management Commission. Baltimore Regional Planning Council, vice-chair. Severn River Advisory Board. Board of Directors, Annapolis Life Care (Ginger Cove) Maryland Association of Counties (legislative committee). Governing board, Central Maryland Health Systems Agency; board of governors, Anne Arundel General Hospital. Board of trustees, Hammond-Harwood House.



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General Assembly: House of Delegates, District 47A (D), Baltimore City, 1999-. Member, Judiciary Committee, 1999-; Family and Juvenile Law Subcommittee, 1999-.

Private Career and Other Public Service: Congressional aide, U.S. Representative Elijah E. Cummings, 1996-. Elected member, Democratic State Central Committee, 1998-. Sergeant of Arms, Baltimore City Democratic Central Committee, 1998-. Member, Stonewall Democratic Club. Parishioner, St. Ignatius Roman Catholic Church. Member, Alpha Epsilon Lambda Honor Society.



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General Assembly: Senate, District 24, 1982-83. Member, House of Delegates, Legislative District 23 (D), Prince George's County, 1986-. Chair, County Affairs Committee, 1986-88. Member, Ways and Means Committee, 1986-93, 1999-; Transportation Subcommittee; chair, Rules and Executive Nominations Committee, 1999-; Member, 1994-. Member, Commerce and Government Matters Committee, 1994-97; Ethics & Elections Subcommittee; Judiciary Committee, 1998; Gaming [Gambling] Law & Regulation Subcommittee. Assistant Majority Leader, 1995-. Vice-chair, Law Enforcement and State-Appointed Boards Committee, Prince George's County Delegation, 1999-; chair, 1992-94. President, Women Legislators of Maryland, 1999-; 1st vice-president, 1997-98.

Private Career and Other Public Service: Chair, Subcommittee on Affirmative Action for Women, 1984. Delegate, Democratic Party National Convention, 1984, 1992. Member, Board of License Commissioners, Prince George's County, 1984-86. Member, Korean War Memorial Commission, 1986-90. Hall of Records Commission, 1993-. World War II Memorial Commission, 1995-98. Executive Board, United Cerebral Palsy of Prince George's County. Director, American Cancer Society. Founding member, Bowie Citizens Association. Charter member, Bowie Women's Club. Member, Bowie Democratic Club; Greenbelt Democratic Club. Member, Disabled American Veterans Business Advisory Board. State Commander, State Adjutant, Disabled American Veterans Auxiliary. President, Bowie Chapter, American Association of Retired Persons. Member, Columbian Ladies Guild; Bowie Business and Professional Women's Club.



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General Assembly: House of Delegates, Legislative District 38 (D), Somerset, Wicomico, Worcester counties, 1987-. Member, Ways and Means Committee, 1987-90; chair, Pupil Transportation Subcommittee; Community Colleges Subcommittee. House chair, Joint Subcommittee on Education, 1989. Member Joint Committee on the Management of Public Funds, 1990-93, 1995-. Joint Expenditure Study Group on Education and Human Resources, 1991. Joint Oversight Committee on Juvenile Services Initiatives, 1993. Spending Affordability Committee, 1993-. Chair, Wicomico County Delegation, 1995-. Rules and Executive Nominations Committee, 1995-. Vice-chair, Appropriations Committee, 1995-; Oversight Committee on Personnel, 1993-; chair, Human Resources and Public Safety Subcommittee, 1993-94; Transportation and the Environment Subcommittee, 1996-; chair, Capital Budget Subcommittee, 1996-. Special Joint Committee on Competitive Taxation and Economic Development, 1996-97. Special Committee on School Enrollment Management, 1996-97. Special Committee on Rail Mergers, 1997. Chair, Eastern Shore Delegation, 1997-. Special Joint Committee on Pensions, 1999-.

Private Career and Other Public Service: Teacher, vice-principal, principal, Pinehurst Elementary School, 1965-86. Member, Democratic Central Committee, Wicomico County, 1970-74. Airport Commission, Wicomico County, 1974-85. Member, City Council, City of Salisbury, 1974-87; president, 1982-87. Vice-president, District 1, Maryland Municipal League, 1982-86. Recreation Commission, Wicomico County, 1985-87. President, Wicomico County Volunteer Firemen's Association, 1986. Supervisor, Chapter I programs, Wicomico County Board of Education, 1986-. Member, Governor's Volunteer Council, 1992-94. Citizens Advisory Board for Holly Center, 1992-97. Sound Barrier Review Panel, 1995-96. Governor's Task Force to Reform the State Personnel Management System, 1995-96. Citizens Advisory Board for Deer's Head Center, 1996-. Task Force on Education Funding Equity, Accountability, and Partnerships, 1997-98. Task Force to Study the Governance, Coordination, and Funding of the University System of Maryland, 1998-99. Maryland Comprehensive Transit Plan Transit Advisory Panel, 1998-99. Commission on Education Finance, Equity, and Excellence, 1999-. Governor's Task Force on Eastern Shore Economic Development, 1999-. Outstanding Young Educator, Salisbury Jaycees, 1970. Sears' Citizen of Year, 1976. Firefighter of the Year. Veterans of Foreign Wars, 1986.