

COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
MEMORANDUM

To: Chairman Phil Mendelson
From: Councilmember Charles Allen
Date: July 8, 2021
Subject: Request to Agendize Ceremonial Resolutions for the July 13, 2021 Legislative Meeting

I request the following measures be agendized for the July 13, 2021 Legislative Meeting:

- “Fran Ewart Exceptional Educator Recognition Resolution of 2021”

Ms. Ewart touched hundreds of lives across her remarkable career inspiring and engaging children at Thompson Elementary, Watkins Elementary, and School Within School. The Council honors and recognizes Fran Ewart and her 34 years of service through D.C. Public Schools, including Thompson ES, Watkins ES, and SWS, for exceptional service to the community and for providing joy to so many and recognizes Ms. Ewart on her retirement from full-time teaching in the District of Columbia.

- “2021 Service Academy Appointment Ceremonial Recognition Resolution of 2021”

In 2021, Congresswoman Norton nominated 26 District residents to the U.S. Service Academies—10 of whom received Offers of Appointment. David Brown, of Ward 6 and Archbishop Carroll High School, will attend the U.S. Merchant Marine Academy. Amiri Bruce, of Ward 7 and School Without Walls High School, will attend the U.S. Military Academy. Emanuel Garcia, of Ward 7 and Cesar Chavez Public Charter High School, will attend the U.S. Naval Academy. Tania Hernandez, of Ward 1 and Columbia Heights Education Campus, will attend the U.S. Naval Academy Preparatory School. Matthew Knutson, of Ward 3 and the Landon School, will attend the U.S. Military Academy. Riley Marsh, of Ward 1 and School Without Walls High School, will attend the U.S. Air Force Academy. Tenlea Radack, of Ward 3 and Wilson High School, will attend the U.S. Naval Academy. Jessica Singletary, of Ward 4 and Bishop McNamara High School, will attend the U.S. Air Force Academy. Saddique Stephens, of Ward 8 and DeMatha Catholic High School, will attend the U.S. Naval Academy Prep School. Gianni Woodson-Brooks, of Ward 5 and Woodbury Forrest High School, will attend the U.S. Naval Academy. Meryem Yucel-Lazo, of Ward 1, the Columbia Heights Campus of Bell Multicultural High School, and the U.S. Naval Academy Prep School, will attend the U.S. Naval Academy. The Council congratulates all of the students who earned appointments this year and wishes them good luck as they begin a career of service.

The measures are attached and have been e-filed with the Office of the Secretary. If you have any questions regarding this measure, please contact Chris Laskowski, Legislative Director, on 202-531-9912 or claskowski@dccouncil.us.

cc: Members, Council of the District of Columbia
Office of the Secretary

