

**COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE
COMMITTEE REPORT**

1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20004

DRAFT

TO: All Councilmembers

FROM: Chairman Phil Mendelson
Committee of the Whole

DATE: January 21, 2020

SUBJECT: Report on PR 23-568, “Board of Trustees of the University of the District of Columbia Mr. Jerome Shelton Confirmation Resolution of 2020”

The Committee of the Whole, to which Proposed Resolution 23-568, the “Board of Trustees of the University of the District of Columbia Mr. Jerome Shelton Confirmation Resolution of 2020” was referred, reports favorably thereon, and recommends approval by the Council.

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I. BACKGROUND AND NEED

The purpose of Proposed Resolution 23-568 is to confirm the appointment of Mr. Jerome Shelton as a member of the University of the District of Columbia Board of Trustees (Board). Mr. Shelton is currently a Ward 4 resident. If confirmed, Mr. Shelton would serve a five-year term to end on May 15, 2024.

Dr. Barazzone holds a Bachelor of Arts degree in philosophy and history from New College in Sarasota, Florida and a Master of Arts and doctorate degrees from Columbia University. For the past 24 years, Dr. Barazzone served as President of Chatham University, retiring from that position in July 2016. During Dr. Barazzone’s tenure at Chatham, she quadrupled Chatham’s enrollment, increased the endowment by almost 300%, and raised approximately \$150 million for the institution. Dr. Barazzone also sat on the board of Chatham as a full voting member and vastly increased Chatham’s landholdings.

In addition to serving as President of Chatham University, Dr. Barazzone has received numerous awards, served on multiple boards, and participated in an extensive number of organizations. Of particular relevance is her involvement with Middle States Association of Schools and Colleges (Middle States), where she has served as an accreditation reviewer, and also was an accreditation team chair in 1999 and 2014. As Middle States is the accreditation body for UDC, the Committee believes Dr. Barazzone’s knowledge of Middle States will be a valuable resource to the University and will allow her to aid UDC in ensuring that it continues to meet Middle States accreditation criteria.

The University of the District of Columbia (UDC) is both a Historically Black College and University (HBCU) and an urban land-grant institution. Formed in 1975 from the merger of the District of Columbia Teachers’ College,¹ the Washington Technical Institute, and Federal City College,² UDC serves as the District’s only public university. UDC’s mission is to provide an affordable, post-secondary education to District residents and to “prepare students for immediate entry into the workforce, the next level of education, specialized employment opportunities or life-long learning.”³ In furtherance of this mission, a law school was added in 1996⁴ and a community college in 2009.

According to D.C. Official Code Section 38-1202.01, UDC is to be governed by a Board of Trustees (Board), which is to be comprised of fifteen members.⁵ Of the fifteen, eleven are to be appointed by the Mayor with the advice and consent of the Council, three are to be alumni from either the University or one of its predecessor institutions, and one is to be a full-time student elected by the UDC student body.⁶ Each trustee, except for the student trustee, serves for a five year term, and each non-student trustee may serve two consecutive full terms.⁷ The following tables depict the current make-up of the UDC Board of Trustees:

Table A: Mayoral Appointments to University of the District of Columbia Board of Trustees

| Mayoral Appointee | Resolution Number | Date of Council Approval | Term End Date |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|
| Christopher Bell | R. 21-306 | December 1, 2015 | May 15, 2020 |
| Elaine Crider | R. 22-634 | November 13, 2018 | May 15, 2023 |
| Errol Schwartz | R. 22-621 | October 16, 2018 | May 15, 2023 |
| Anthony Tardd | R. 22-622 | October 16, 2018 | May 15, 2023 |
| Charlene Drew Jarvis | R. 22-624 | October 16, 2018 | May 15, 2023 |
| Esther Barazzone⁸ | PR 23-567 | Pending | May 15, 2024 |

¹ This college was formed from the merger of Miners Teacher College and Wilson Teachers College. See *UDC’s History*, UNIV. OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, http://www.udc.edu/about_udc/history_university_district_columbia (last visited July 12, 2013).

² D.C. Law 1-36 (effective Nov. 1, 1975).

³ *UDC Mission*, UNIV. OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, <http://www.udc.edu/welcome/mission.htm> (last visited July 12, 2013).

⁴ See D.C. Law 11-152 (effective Aug. 1, 1996).

⁵ See D.C. Official Code § 38-1202.05 for a list of the duties of the UDC Trustees.

⁶ D.C. OFFICIAL CODE § 38-1202.01(c) (2001 ed.). Of the eleven appointed by the Mayor, seven must reside in the District at the time of their Council confirmation. *Id.* 38-1202.01(c-1).

⁷ *Id.* 38-1202.01(f). After the completion of the member’s second consecutive term, he or she must wait five years from the end of his or her second term before being reappointed or reelected to the Board of Trustees. *Id.*

⁸ Dr. Barazzone was first appointed to the Board on December 20, 2016, approved by R. 21-706.

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| Ken Grossinger | R. 22-635 | November 13, 2018 | May 15, 2023 |
| Carolyn Rudd | R. 22-623 | October 16, 2018 | May 15, 2023 |
| Jerome Shelton | PR 23-568 | <i>Pending</i> | May 15, 2024 |
| Vacant | | | |
| Vacant | | | |

Table B: Elected Alumni and Student Trustees to the University of the District of Columbia Board of Trustees

| Elected Trustee | Role | Commencement Date | Term End Date |
|------------------|---------|-------------------|---------------|
| Barrington Scott | Alumni | May 15, 2015 | May 15, 2020 |
| Joella Roberts | Student | May 15, 2019 | May 15, 2020 |
| Vacant | | | |
| Vacant | | | |

The University has made great strides over the last four years, but more needs to be done. Moving forward, and during Dr. Barazzone’s time on the Board, the Committee will be paying particular attention to the following issues.

Enrollment: Over the past decade, UDC has struggled to increase enrollment. Such struggles were exacerbated for the four-year flagship when the Community College was established in 2009 and the four-year institution lost approximately half of its enrollment as students who were previously enrolled at the flagship campus moved to the Community College. However, the University has made enrollment increases a priority, and President Mason has double downed on those efforts.⁹ For example, the University now offers scholarships and tuition assistance to students from D.C.’s public schools and public charter schools.

In addition to increasing the number of first-time full time students, UDC needs to focus on student retention. Unlike other universities in the District, UDC’s student population is older – the average age of a UDC student is 30 years old.¹⁰ Many of the students have to work to support themselves and their families and have to deal with issues such as fiscal constraints, childcare, housing, and transportation. Because of this, many UDC students pause their attendance at the University and can take longer than three years to earn an Associate’s degree or six years to earn a Bachelor’s degree. Thus, it is imperative that the University aid its students in tackling the issues that they face so that the students can continue to attend the University within the three and six year norms.

The Committee is pleased to see that growth in enrollment is starting to occur within the university system. However, this progress does not eliminate the need to continue to make enrollment, including student retention, a priority. This is an area in which the Committee is particularly interested.

⁹ See Letter from Ron Mason, President, University of the District of Columbia, to Phil Mendelson, Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, at 8-11 (February 23, 2018) (on file with the Committee of the Whole).

¹⁰ UNIV. OF D.C., FACTBOOK – ACADEMIC YEAR 2016-2017 30 (2018), http://docs.udc.edu/irap/udc_factbook_ay_2016_2017.pdf. The average age of students at the flagship is 31 years old, at the community college is 28 years old, and at the law school is 32 years old. *Id.* This works out to the average age of students at the University being 30 years old overall.

During Dr. Barazzone's tenure on the Board, she has been very involved in aiding the University and the Board in determining what steps it should take to improve academic achievement and student outcomes. Currently, Dr. Barazzone serves as the Secretary of the Board and sits on the Executive and Academic Affairs committees, as well as a special task force focused specifically on student outcomes and achievements. When asked about retention at her January 9, 2020 confirmation hearing, Dr. Barazzone noted that maintaining affordability is key, as one of the main reasons students leave the University is because they cannot continue to pay tuition when they have multiple financial responsibilities. With regard to improving overall enrollment at the University, Dr. Barazzone stated that the University needed to continue to evaluate what courses and degrees it offers, for she learned in her prior role as President of Chatham University that offerings drive enrollment. Additionally, Dr. Barazzone commented that UDC needs to increase the number of stacked credentials – programs that offer certificates and/or degrees all way from UDC's Division of Workforce and Lifelong Learning (WDLL) up through a graduate degree – as she believes those types of offerings will not only increase enrollment but also aid in encouraging students who may have start in UDC's WDLL or Community College courses to remain at the University and pursue a Bachelor's or graduate degree.

Private Fundraising: Over the past five years, beginning with fiscal year 2014, the Council has set aside funds for the University as part of a fundraising match. Originally as a means of supporting UDC's accreditation efforts, the Council set aside a million dollars in matching funds in fiscal year 2014 to aid the University with accreditation activities and readiness.¹¹ For every dollar UDC raised in private donations, up to a maximum of a million dollars, the District matched those donations dollar for dollar. While the University was unsuccessful in raising private funds in fiscal year 2014 for this match, the Council agreed to renew the match opportunity again in fiscal year 2015. UDC rose to the challenge that year and was able to meet, and indeed exceed, the million-dollar threshold, raising \$1,070,000 in private donations. Given that success, the Council again set aside a million-dollar match for the University in fiscal year 2016. UDC was once again successful at raising the funds and did so within the prescribed time frame.

For fiscal year 2017, the Council put forth more stringent match requirements, indicating that for every two dollars the University raised, it would receive a dollar. The University was just short of meeting the full match in fiscal year 2017 but given its efforts and the more stringent match requirements, the Council renewed the fundraising match opportunity again in fiscal year 2018. For fiscal years 2018 - 2020, the University also received a dollar, up to a maximum amount of \$1.5 million, for every two dollars that UDC raised. UDC met the matches in 2018 and 2019 and are working towards matching it in fiscal year 2020.¹²

Although the original impetus for the match was to provide additional support for UDC's accreditation activities, secondary reasons for the match have been to incentivize the University to increase its private fundraising activities and to encourage the UDC Foundation to take a more active role in raising private funds to support the University. As noted above and discussed in

¹¹ See Title X, Sec. 10002 of D.C. Law 20-61, the Fiscal Year 2014 Budget Support Act of 2013.

¹² See *University of the District of Columbia: Budget Hearing before the Council of the District of Columbia Committee of the Whole* (Mar. 28, 2018) (oral testimony of Ron Mason, President, University of the District of Columbia). The University raised over \$3.4 million by the April 1, 2018 deadline that the Council had set for the University. **Add additional citations.**

previous Committee budget reports, UDC has to fight year after year for its subsidy, as well as for capital funds from the District government. The University needs to make a concerted effort to increase its private fundraising, even though the Committee believes wholeheartedly that the District should support UDC financially.

The more stringent match requirements from the Council are meant to push UDC to prioritize private fundraising, and it is meant to encourage the University to stop relying on one school or one group of students for private donations. When asked what steps the University should take to increase private fundraising, Dr. Barazzone indicated that the financial cuts the Control Board made to the University's budget in 1996 were devastating and in order to rebound after such cuts, more individuals need to be dedicated to fundraising, as it is very hard to rebuild a fundraising program with only one or two individuals.¹³ Additionally, Dr. Barazzone stated that a more concerted reputation building and outreach effort are needed.¹⁴

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Dr. Barazzone's previous experience and dedication to the Board thus far is impressive. Through her testimony at her confirmation hearing, as well as her responses to pre-roundtable questions, the Committee believes that Dr. Barazzone has demonstrated that she understands both the successes and challenges of UDC and that she is fully committed to ensuring that the University succeeds. The Committee recommends confirmation of Dr. Barazzone for reappointment to the UDC Board of Trustees.

II. LEGISLATIVE CHRONOLOGY

November 20, 2019 PR 23-567, "Board of Trustees of the University of the District of Columbia Dr. Esther Barazzone Confirmation Resolution of 2020," is introduced by Chairman Mendelson, at the request of the Mayor. The resolution is deemed disapproved on March 11, 2020.

November 29, 2019 Notice of Intent to Act on PR 23-567 is published in the *District of Columbia Register*.

¹³ Dr. Barazzone's 1.6.2020 Response to Pre-Hearing Questions.

¹⁴ *Id.*

- December 3, 2019 PR 23-567 is “read” at a legislative meeting; on this date the referral of the PR to the Committee of the Whole is official.
- December 6, 2019 Notice of a Public Hearing on PR 23-567 is published in the *District of Columbia Register*.
- January 9, 2020 The Committee of the Whole holds a public hearing on PR 23-567.
- January 21, 2020 The Committee of the Whole marks-up PR 23-567.

III. POSITION OF THE EXECUTIVE

Dr. Barazzone is the Mayor’s nominee for one of the eleven Board of Trustees seats appointed by the Mayor.

IV. COMMENTS OF ADVISORY NEIGHBORHOOD COMMISSIONS

The Committee received no testimony or comments from any Advisory Neighborhood Commission.

V. SUMMARY OF TESTIMONY

The Committee of the Whole held a public hearing on PR 23-567 on January 9, 2020. The testimony summarized below is from that hearing. Copies of written testimony are attached to this report.

Esther Barazzone, Nominee, testified about her continued willingness to serve on the Board of Trustees, highlighted her extensive background in postsecondary education and contributions she has made to the Board since her initial appointment in December 2016, and commented on various challenges facing the University, including enrollment, private fundraising, and capital improvement needs.

The Committee received no testimony or comments in opposition to PR 23-567.

VI. IMPACT ON EXISTING LAW

This confirmation is consistent with existing law. Pursuant to D.C. Official Code § 38-1202.01, the Board shall be comprised of fifteen members—eleven members appointed by the Mayor and confirmed by the Council, three members who are alumni of UDC or one of its predecessor institutions, and one student trustee. Of the eleven members appointed by the Mayor, seven must be District residents at the time of their confirmation. Additionally, each member,

except for the student trustee, may only serve two consecutive five-year terms.¹⁵ By operation of law, the appointment is deemed disapproved on the 90th day (excluding days of Council recess) following submission of the nomination by the Mayor, absent Council action.¹⁶

VII. FISCAL IMPACT

PR 23-567 will have no fiscal impact on the District of Columbia budget or financial plan. Pursuant to D.C. Official Code § 38-1202.04, trustees receive no compensation for their service on the Board. However, each trustee is entitled to be reimbursed up to \$4,000 annually for any “actual and necessary expenses incurred while actually engaged in service as a Trustee.”¹⁷ Such expenses are included as part of the University’s annual budget.

VIII. SECTION-BY-SECTION ANALYSIS

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| <u>Section 1</u> | States the short title of PR 23-567. |
| <u>Section 2</u> | Confirms the appointment of Dr. Esther Barazzone to the UDC Board of Trustees for a term that expires on May 15, 2024. |
| <u>Section 3</u> | Directs the Council to transmit a copy of the resolution, upon its adoption, to the nominee, the University of the District of Columbia Board of Trustees, and to the Office of the Mayor. |
| <u>Section 4</u> | Provides that PR 23-567 should take effect immediately. |

IX. COMMITTEE ACTION

X. ATTACHMENTS

1. PR 23-567 as introduced.
2. Written Testimony.
3. Nominee’s response to questions.
4. Legal Sufficiency Determination for PR 23-567.

¹⁵ See D.C. OFFICIAL CODE § 1-523.01(e) (Supp. 2013).

¹⁶ *Id.* The 90 day period of review for PR 23-567 expires on March 11, 2020.

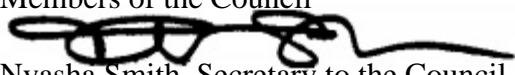
¹⁷ *Id.* § 38-1202.04.

5. Committee Print for PR 23-567.

COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.
Washington D.C. 20004

Memorandum

To : Members of the Council

From : 
Nyasha Smith, Secretary to the Council

Date : November 25, 2019

Subject : Referral of Proposed Legislation

Notice is given that the attached proposed legislation was introduced in the Office of the Secretary on Wednesday, November 20, 2019. Copies are available in Room 10, the Legislative Services Division.

TITLE: "Board of Trustees of the University of the District of Columbia Mr. Jerome Shelton Confirmation Resolution of 2019", PR23-0568

INTRODUCED BY: Chairman Mendelson at the request of the Mayor

The Chairman is referring this legislation to the Committee of the Whole. This resolution will be deemed disapproved on Wednesday, March 11, 2020 without Council action.

Attachment

cc: General Counsel
Budget Director
Legislative Services



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OFFICE OF THE
SECRETARY

MURIEL BOWSER NOV 20 2019
MAYOR

The Honorable Phil Mendelson
Chairman
Council of the District of Columbia
John A. Wilson Building
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., 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 201 of the District of Columbia Public Postsecondary Education Act, approved October 26, 1974 (88 Stat. 1424; Pub. L. 93-471; D.C. Official Code § 38-1202.01), I am pleased to nominate the following person:

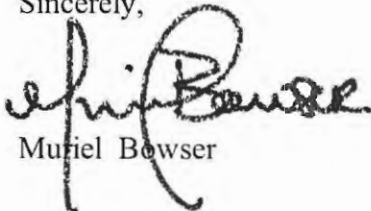
Mr. Jerome Shelton
[REDACTED] North Capitol Street NW
Washington, DC 20012
(Ward 4)


for appointment as a member of the Board of Trustees of the University of the District of Columbia, replacing James W. Dyke Jr., for a term to end May 15, 2024.

Enclosed you will find biographical information detailing the experience of the above-mentioned nominee, together with 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,


Muriel 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 Mr. Jerome Shelton to the Board of Trustees of the University of
the District of Columbia.

RESOLVED, BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this
resolution may be cited as the “Board of Trustees of the University of the District of Columbia
Mr. Jerome Shelton Confirmation Resolution of 2019”.

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

Mr. Jerome Shelton
██████████ North Capitol Street NW
Washington, DC 20012
(Ward 4)

as a member of the Board of Trustees of the University of the District of Columbia, pursuant to
section 201 of the District of Columbia Public Postsecondary Education Act, approved October
26, 1974 (88 Stat. 1424; D.C. Official Code § 38-1202.01), replacing James W. Dyke Jr., for a
term to end May 15, 2024.

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.

Jerome Shelton

Offering lifetime career experience in developing productive student-focused environments to maximize learning experiences and achievement. Extensive experience in teaching, educational leadership, financial management and collective bargaining.

EDUCATION

University of Massachusetts @Amherst
Advanced Graduate Study in Educational Administration

Trinity College of Washington, DC
Master's Degree in the Art of Guidance and Counseling

District of Columbia Teachers College
Bachelor of Science Degree in Health and Physical Education

TRAINING and CERTIFICATION

Prince Georges County Public Schools
Accelerated Principal Preparation Program

Harvard University Principal's Center
Boston, Massachusetts

George Mason University
Fairfax, Virginia
Metropolitan Area Assessment Center

District of Columbia Public Schools
Professional Development Internship Training

ADMINISTRATIVE PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Trustee at The University of the District of Columbia
Provide oversight, governance and strategic planning to enhance continued development of The University as a "premiere institution" of the District of Columbia and for the citizens of the District of Columbia. 2010 to current date

Chairman of the Board of the DC Teachers' Federal Credit Union
Provide strategic direction to establish and maintain the Credit Union's corporate governance framework with focus on policies and relationships.

District of Columbia Public Schools Principal
Eastern Senior High School
Washington Dix Street Academy
Fort Lincoln Elementary, Middle and Community School
Brookland Elementary School (Interim)
Harrison Elementary School (Acting)

Managed administrative, academic and fiscal operations for students and employees in an urban school setting at the primary and secondary levels and at an alternative senior high school. Monitored policies and practices, sponsored parent involvement initiatives. Enhanced resources through corporate sponsorships. Oversight of populations varying from 300 to 1200 students with 50 to 150+ employees.

District of Columbia Public Schools Assistant Principal

Bunker Hill Elementary/Community School
Dunbar Pre-Engineering High School

Served as Assistant to the Principal with responsibility for all components of educational service delivery including teacher evaluation, special needs services, data management, parent engagement, security and discipline. Concurrently served as assistant principal at Bunkerhill Community School and interim administrator at Brookland School.

Elementary

Athletic Administrator, Dunbar Senior High School

Managed programs, sponsored events and supervised staff for facilitation of athletic and academic development in this comprehensive and widely acclaimed senior high school.

Prince George's County Public Schools Principal

Central High School

Managed administrative, academic and fiscal operations for students and employees in an urban school setting at the primary and secondary levels and at an alternative senior high school. Monitored policies and practices, sponsored parent involvement initiatives. Enhanced resources through corporate sponsorships. Oversight of populations 1200 students and 130 employees,

Prince George's County Public Schools Assistant Principal

Kenmoor Middle School

Served as Assistant to Principal in this school of 700 students, with responsibility in all components of educational service delivery, including but not limited to teacher evaluation, accelerated learning services, special needs services, parent engagement, data management, security and discipline.

ADDITIONAL PROFESSIONAL ACHIEVEMENTS

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| Secretary | Board of Senior High School Principals, DCPS |
| Parliamentarian | DC Association of Elementary Principals |
| Chair | The University of the District of Columbia Athletic Hall of Fame Committee |
| Treasurer | Eastern Senior H.S, Friends of Health and Human Services Academy |

Member

Omicron Gamma Chapter of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity Incorporated



Executive Office of the Mayor - Office of Talent and Appointments
John A. Wilson Building | 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, Suite 600 | Washington, DC 20004

Jerome Shelton



Jerome Shelton is a third-generation Washingtonian and the Chair of the Board of Directors of the District of Columbia Teachers' Federal Credit Union. Mr. Shelton has served on the Board of Trustees of the University of the District of Columbia since 2010.

Mr. Shelton began his teaching career at John Burroughs Elementary School, followed by administrative appointments at all levels of the DCPS system. He served as Assistant Principal at Bunker Hill Elementary and Principal of Harrison Elementary, where he attended first and second grades. At the secondary level, he served as Assistant Principal of Dunbar High School and Principal of Fort Lincoln Community School, Dix Street Academy and Eastern High School, until he retired in 2002.

Mr. Shelton's additional service includes Chairman of the Elementary Athletic League and Chairman of the Community School Assistant Principals' Association. He was elected and served on the Executive Board of the Washington Teachers Union. During his tenure with the WTU, he was elected in 1979 to the Board of Directors of The DC Teachers Federal Credit Union, where he has served as Chairman for the past 11 years.

Mr. Shelton received his Bachelor of Science in Health and Physical Education from the University of the District of Columbia and a Master of Arts degree in Guidance and Counseling from Trinity College.



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



Office of the General Counsel to the Mayor

To: Gianelle Rivera, Steve Walker
From: Betsy Cavendish
Date: November 11, 2019
Subject: Legal sufficiency review of Resolutions nominating Jerome Shelton, Dr. Esther Barazzone, and Joshua Wyner to the Board of Trustees of the University of the District of Columbia.

This is to Certify that this office has reviewed the above-referenced legislation and found it to be legally unobjectionable. If you have any questions in this regard, please do not hesitate to call me at 202-724-7681.

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Elizabeth Cavendish

3 January 21, 2020

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22 of the District of Columbia.

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25 resolution may be cited as the “Board of Trustees of the University of the District of Columbia
26 Mr. Jerome Shelton Confirmation Resolution of 2020”.

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

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30 Mr. Jerome Shelton
31 6504 North Capitol Street, NW
32 Washington, DC 20012
33 (Ward 4)

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35 as a member of the Board of Trustees of the University of the District of Columbia, established
36 by section 201 of the District of Columbia Public Postsecondary Education Reorganization Act,
37 approved October 26, 1974 (88 Stat. 1424; D.C. Official Code § 38-1202.01), for a term to end
38 May 15, 2024.

39 Sec. 3. The Council of the District of Columbia shall transmit a copy of this resolution,

40 upon its adoption, to the nominee, the Board of Trustees of the University of the District of
41 Columbia, and the Office of the Mayor.

42 Sec. 4. This resolution shall take effect immediately.