

## Personal Statement of Goals

Brian Washington for the Role of Parliamentarian  
National Association of Health Services Executives

The National Association of Health Services Executives (NAHSE) is the premier professional organization for Black healthcare leaders. Its history is rich with prominent leaders from the healthcare industry who have not only made strides to make an impact in the lives of others, but have paved the way for other NAHSE leaders that work to further the association's mission today. I aspire to be one of those leaders furthering NAHSE's mission at the national level in the role of Parliamentarian.

As the President of a local chapter of NAHSE, I have been able to serve as a leader for the city of St. Louis. My experiences at the chapter level up to this point have provided me with a great deal of support as a young leader, and I've worked to give that back as President. As a Chapter Representative on the NAHSE Board, I have gained a valuable perspective into what it takes to steer NAHSE into the future. As Parliamentarian, I hope to accomplish the following goals:

- Support the National President during organizational shift – As NAHSE moves towards the Executive Director structure, our National President and Board will need full support in making sure the transition is smooth.
- Interpret the Bylaws and their changes – As the structure changes, there will be a need to clearly communicate how the changes will impact the organization to members and what parameters we will need to adhere to.
- Assist in the conduction of meetings – As Parliamentarian, it would be my role to ensure that meetings are planned and facilitated according to the Bylaws.
- Serve as an advisor when necessary – I have gained valuable experiences from the local level as a chapter leader. I would make myself available to the Board to provide insights as to where local chapters need support, and how that support could come from the Board.

I am confident that I have the necessary skillset that the NAHSE Board Parliamentarian would need to be effective in their role. My strategic thinking skills and attention to detail would be an asset as we make our organization shift to the Executive Director structure in 2021. Furthermore, I deeply value professional development. Serving in the St. Louis Chapter as a general member, chairperson, President-Elect, and now President has allowed me to improve my leadership and strategic planning skills in an organizational setting. Serving at the national level in this capacity would only enhance those skills further.

Thank you for your consideration,

Brian Washington