

## Thank You Lamond-Riggs Citizens Association

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As Mayor of Washington, DC, I am pleased to express heartfelt gratitude to the Lamond-Riggs Citizens Association for their outstanding contributions and efforts towards the completion of the Riggs Crossing Senior Residences.



Organized nearly eight decades ago, the Lamond-Riggs Citizens Association has long been dedicated to advocating for and leading in the surrounding community. The groundbreaking of Riggs Crossing Senior Residence serves as a testament to the level of unwavering commitment demonstrated by your members, and I commend the amount time and support poured into the realization of this project. An accomplishment of this magnitude is no small endeavor. It takes the hard work and dedication of many partners, including groups like the Lamond-Riggs Citizens Association who, year after year, advocate for residents and amplify the voices of those who often go unheard.

Our growing and thriving community of DC seniors deserve affordable living without sacrificing quality and comfortability. With more than 90 apartments designated to households with incomes at or below 50% of the Median Family Income, the completion of Riggs Crossing Senior Residences achieves just that. This property offers permanent supportive housing, and support with services such as food, mental health resources, transportation access, and more through the mission-based social enterprise Jaydot. It will also include ground floor retail and commercial space, of which is already in high demand. This new milestone in Ward 4 serves to ensure more longtime Washingtonians, especially Riggs Park neighbors who were crucial to the success of this project, can continue their legacies in DC. I am honored to help celebrate this special moment, and I remain excited about our collective progress.



Once again, I join the more than 700,000 residents of Washington, DC in thanking Lamond-Riggs Citizens Association for extraordinary service to our city.

Mayor, Washington, DC