



# *Congratulations*

## *African American Real Estate Professionals 14<sup>th</sup> Annual Awards Gala*

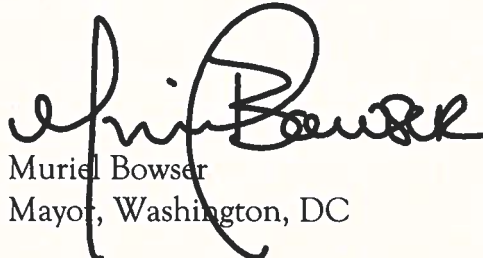
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As Mayor of Washington, DC, it is my pleasure to extend congratulations to African American Real Estate Professionals (AAREP) on the occasion of your 14<sup>th</sup> Annual Awards Gala.

AAREP has been a driving force in providing a supportive network for African Americans in the commercial real estate industry. Founded as a small group in Washington, DC, AAREP has grown into a professional organization of approximately 200 members and an extended network of over 800 individuals.

As you gather to recognize the extraordinary achievements of African Americans in commercial real estate, I thank each of you for the vital role you have played in the growth and development of our city - the nation's capital.

On behalf of the residents of Washington, DC, you have my best wishes for an enjoyable and memorable event.

  
Muriel Bowser  
Mayor, Washington, DC

