



**U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
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Theme: "Transitioning and Moving Forward Together."

Mission: *Helping to protect human health and the environment through equality, advocacy, and excellence of those employees who serve and the communities in which they serve.*

2017-2019

President Top Priorities

1. Garner support of EPA Management inclusive of Senior Officials by the building/rebuilding relationships through one-on-one meetings/discussions, invitations and participation in Chapter programs and activities.
2. Sponsor programs and activities for the membership that will benefit their development both professionally and personally while simultaneously furthering the mission of BIG and the Agency.
3. Build/facilitate effective partnerships and collaborations with other infinity groups (labor and non-labor) groups within EPA and EPA Chapters across the Agency and in the communities that we serve through outreach programs and potential sponsorships.
4. Retain, Recruit, and Engage. To retain the existing membership and to reclaim loss membership, recruit and engage members, through discussions, program activities (i.e., membership drives, programmatic and community outreach). Members whose ideas and talents are in alignment with the mission of both Blacks in Government (BIG) and EPA will create a win/win situation for both the individual, the membership and the agency as whole.

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President