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The reappointment for Ms. Necole E. Parker to the Revenue Authority Board was transmitted to the Clerk of the Council on August 25, 2023. Ms. Parker will serve as Chair of the Revenue Authority, term expiring on July 28, 2025. The Revenue Authority exercises its powers for projects within the County's boundary lines devoted wholly or partially to public uses, goods, or general welfare and to stimulate employment and economic growth in the County.

Ms. Miriam Brewer, the Appointment Liaison, introduced Ms. Parker, providing insights into her background and experience. Ms. Parker discussed her professional background and expressed her willingness to serve on the Revenue Authority Board.

Ms. Necole M. Parker, a resident of Bowie, is the Principal/CEO and Founder of The ELOCEN Group, a workflow process leader in providing innovative client solutions.

Before starting her own business, Ms. Parker served in leadership roles at major companies such as Capitol CREAG (Commercial Real Estate Advisory Group), McKissack and McKissack of DC, and Gilbane Building Company.

Ms. Parker received her undergraduate degree in Business Administration from Virginia Union University. In 2022, she received the U.S. Small Business Administration 8(a) Graduate Firm of the Year Award. She has received certifications from the International Facility Management Association (IFMA), Center for Minority Business Development, RSMEANS, and Prince George's Community College.

Contingent upon the Committee's vote, the Public Hearing for Ms. Parker's confirmation is scheduled for October 17, 2023.

After discussion, the Government Operations and Fiscal Policy reported favorably the Revenue Authority Board nomination, 5-0.