



# *Council of the District of Columbia*

## *Resolution*

COUNCILMEMBER BRAZIL

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COUNCILMEMBER MENDELSON  
COUNCILMEMBER SCHWARTZ

*DR. ARTHUR A. FLETCHER RECOGNITION RESOLUTION OF 2002*

*WHEREAS, DR. ARTHUR A. FLETCHER WAS BORN IN PHOENIX, ARIZONA, ON DECEMBER 22, 1924;*

*WHEREAS, DR. ARTHUR A. FLETCHER GRADUATED FROM JUNCTION CITY HIGH SCHOOL IN JUNCTION CITY, KANSAS, IN 1943;*

*WHEREAS, DR. ARTHUR A. FLETCHER SERVED IN THE UNITED STATES ARMY DURING WORLD WAR II AND SUSTAINED WOUNDS FROM COMBAT IN THE EUROPEAN THEATER;*

*WHEREAS, DR. ARTHUR A. FLETCHER GRADUATED FROM WASHBURN UNIVERSITY IN TOPEKA, KANSAS, IN 1950;*

*WHEREAS, IN 1969, DR. ARTHUR A. FLETCHER WAS APPOINTED BY THE PRESIDENT TO SERVE AS AN ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT LABOR;*

*WHEREAS, IN HIS CAPACITY AS ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR LABOR, DR. ARTHUR A. FLETCHER SUPERVISED THE FEDERAL CONTRACTS COMPLIANCE OFFICE AND WORKED IN HIS POSITION TO PROMOTE AFFIRMATIVE ACTION PROGRAMS AND TO ENFORCE TITLE VI OF THE 1964 CIVIL RIGHTS ACT;*

*WHEREAS, DR. ARTHUR A. FLETCHER SERVED AS DEPUTY URBAN AFFAIRS ADVISOR TO PRESIDENT FORD, FROM WHOM HE ADVISED ON ISSUES FACING THE AFRICAN AMERICAN COMMUNITY;*

*WHEREAS, IN 1972 AND 1973 DR. ARTHUR A. FLETCHER SERVED AS EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE UNITED NEGRO COLLEGE FUND;*

*WHEREAS, DR. ARTHUR A. FLETCHER FORMED HIS OWN BUSINESS, FLETCHER AND ASSOCIATES, WHICH PROVIDED CONSULTING SERVICES AND OTHER VARIOUS SERVICES DURING THE 1970S AND 1980S;*

WHEREAS FLETCHER AND ASSOCIATES PROVIDED AFFIRMATIVE ACTION TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE SERVICES FOR PRIVATE BUSINESSES;

WHEREAS FLETCHER AND ASSOCIATES WAS THE FOOD SERVICES CONTRACTOR FOR FORT BELLEVILLE FROM 1983 UNTIL 1988;

WHEREAS, IN 1983 PRESIDENT REAGAN APPOINTED DR. ARTHUR A. FLETCHER AS VICE CHAIRMAN OF PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION, A POSITION HE HELD UNTIL 1988;

WHEREAS, DR. ARTHUR A. FLETCHER RECEIVED HONORARY DOCTORATE DEGREES FROM ALLEGHENY COLLEGE, FROM MALCOLM X COLLEGE, FROM WASHBURN UNIVERSITY, FROM VIRGINIA UNION COLLEGE AND FROM DENVER UNIVERSITY; AND

WHEREAS, DR. ARTHUR A. FLETCHER RESIDES IN WASHINGTON, D.C.

RESOLVED, BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, THAT THIS RESOLUTION MAY BE CITED AS THE "DR. ARTHUR A. FLETCHER RECOGNITION RESOLUTION OF 2002".

SEC. 2. THE COUNCIL RECOGNIZES AND HONORS DR. ARTHUR A. FLETCHER.