

THE UNITED STATES VIRGIN ISLANDS OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR GOVERNMENT HOUSE Charlotte Amalie, V.I. 00802 340-774-0001

January 31, 2023

VIA HAND DELIVERY

Honorable Novelle E. Francis Senate President Thirty-Fifth Legislature of the Virgin Islands Capitol Building St. Thomas, Virgin Islands 00802

Re: Re-nomination of Willard John - Virgin Islands Port Authority Governing Board

Dear Mr. President:

In accordance with the provisions of Title 29 § 541 of the Virgin Islands Code, I hereby re-nominate Mr. Willard John to the Virgin Islands Port Authority Governing Board for the District of St. Croix. The term of appointment is three (3) years.

Accordingly, it is my pleasure to ask the advice and consent of the Thirty-Fifth Legislature on this nomination. A copy of Mr. John's resume is enclosed for your review.

Your prompt and favorable confirmation will enhance the Board's ability to meet its robust agenda and serve the people of the U.S. Virgin Islands.

Sincerely,

Albert Bryan Jr.

Governor

Enclosure

Cc: Senator Diane T. Capehart

Chair, Committee on Rules and Judiciary

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Education

High School Diploma, Sts. Peter and Paul High School, St. Thomas V.I.

B.A. Psychology, Lincoln University, Pa.

M.A. Education, Administration and Supervision, University of the Virgin Islands

Experience

- V. I. Dept. Education, Principal St. Croix Educational Complex and St. Croix Career and Technical Education Center
- V. I. Dept. Education, Principal St. Croix Career and Technical Education Center
- V. I. Dept. Education, Principal, Elena Christian Jr. High
- V. I. Dept. Education, Assistant Principal, St. Croix Career and Technical Education Center
- V. I. Dept. Education, Assistant Principal, Elena Christian Jr. High
- V. I. Dept. Education, Vocational Education, Coordinator St. Croix Skill Center
- V. I. Dept. Education, Division of Cultural Education, Cultural Education Specialist
- V. I. Dept. Education, Adult Education, Coordinator Day Adult Education Center
- V. I. Dept. Education, St. Croix Skill Center, Counselor
- · V. I. Dept. Education, Raphael Wheatley Skill Center, Counselor
 - V. I. Manpower Planning Secretariat, Researcher

Affiliations

- Past President of Rotary Mid-Isle, member since 1988
- Member Board of Directors, Frederiksted Federal Credit Union, member since 2013
- Founding member of Crucian Heritage And Nature Tourism, CHANT
- Founder and Artistic Director of Guardians of Culture Moko Jumbies (stilt dancers) since 1990
- Twice Past President of Rotary Mid-Isle

- Vice Chair of BOD of Frederiksted Federal Credit Union
- Chairman of BOD of St. Croix Community Foundation for Community Development
- Chairman of Board of Governors of Virgin Islands Port Authority
- Owner of Jumbie Productions Inc., provider of Film Location Management, Production Services, Event Management, Entertainment Booking and Consulting
- Owner of Dispute Resolution Services LLC, provider of Mediation/Dispute Resolution, Organizational and Workplace Mediation Training.
- Culture Bearer of VI as Moko Jumbie: traveled to Africa, South America, Europe, 20 US States and much of the Caribbean a cultural Ambassador of the US Virgin Islands for the past 30 years
- Founder and artistic Director of The Guardians of Culture Moko Jumbies
- Researched wrote and directed; a. Mokolution: The Evolution of the Moko Jumbie, b. The Development of Quelbe Music in the Virgin Islands and 3. Crucian Fruits all productions chronicling the development of culture in the VI