

**GATEWAY DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION
BOARD MEETING**

December 12, 2024

Public Comments for December 12, 2024, Board Meeting

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*The public was encouraged to submit public comments via the comment form on
www.GatewayProgram.org.*

Name	Ivan Thornton
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Comment Topic	Fiduciary Oversight
<p>Much has been written and discussed regarding GDC's commitment to assure that underserved communities and businesses participate in this historic project. History has shown that these types of projects often fall short of reaching their stated goals in both contracting opportunities and specifically engaging impacted communities. Will the board consider putting in place an oversight effort - beyond that of the internal function and traditional oversight firms - to make certain these stated goals are reached? Specifically, engage firms that have substantive experience in executing on behalf of GDC?</p>	