

Veterans For Diversity, Inc.
Public Policy
(Approved by the Board of Directors – January 16, 2012)

Each year Veterans For Diversity, Inc., the Vets For Diversity Public Policy Committee will survey the membership of the organization to develop a list of suggested public policy priorities for the upcoming year. Based on this input and input from the Veterans For Diversity, Inc.'s Board of Directors, the Public Policy Committee decides priority issues, and ranks such issues in order of importance. The priority issues serve to establish the public policy framework. The public policy framework must be approved by the board of directors.

All advocacy activities for a calendar year should fall under the current priority issues.

In circumstances where immediate public policy attention is required, the chair of the public policy committee and the Executive Committee may make decisions on behalf of the entire Public Policy Committee for the Veterans For Diversity, Inc. on specific bills and issues.

Only the board president, the executive director, and the chair of the public policy or government relations committee may speak on behalf of the Veterans For Diversity, Inc. or take action on local, state, or federal public policy issues.

Veterans For Diversity, Inc. is a nonprofit organization. As such, the Veterans For Diversity, Inc. does not support or oppose candidates for public office or political parties and only acts on issues related to the organization's mission and its current public policy framework.