

Howard University Community:

It is my great pleasure to congratulate Chairman A. Barry Rand on being selected as the new chief executive officer of the American Association Retired Persons (AARP).

AARP could not have selected a better person who has the sensitivity, concern and drive to help them realize and achieve its aspirations. This appointment is not only a testament of Chairman Rand's leadership ability but it speaks to the man whose personal commitment is one of inclusion and service. I personally look forward to our continued work together for Howard University. Again, I extend heartfelt congratulations on this wonderful and very important appointment.