President Rolando makes HQ appointments

NALC President Fredric Rolando announced the appointment of four letter carriers to new positions working at Headquarters in Washington, DC.

President Rolando appointed Eddie Davidson to serve as an assistant to the president for administrative affairs. Davidson has served as president of Durham, NC Branch 382 and the North Carolina State Association and as vice president of the state’s AFL-CIO chapter. He has served his fellow carriers in many other ways, including steward, on-the-job instructor, local business agent and arbitration advocate, and he advocated on behalf of letter carriers on route adjustment and safety and health issues.

Davidson’s previous position at Headquarters was as a legislative and political organizer (LPO) for the southeastern area of the country. An Army veteran, Davidson graduated from the NALC Leadership Academy in 2007.

Rutland, VT Branch 495 letter carrier Christopher Henwood also was named an assistant to the president for administrative affairs. Henwood has served his branch as a steward, Formal Step A representative and vice president. He also served as director of education, secretary and president of the Vermont State Association and as an arbitration advocate. Most recently, Henwood has worked at Headquarters as a regional workers’ compensation assistant (RWCA). A 2015 graduate of the Leadership Academy, Henwood has a bachelor’s degree in electrical engineering from the University of Vermont.

Rolando appointed Tim McKay of Charleston, WV Branch 531 as special executive assistant to the president. An Army veteran, McKay started his postal career as a clerk and switched to the letter carrier craft in 2003. He served as Formal A representative for his branch before he was elected branch president, as West Virginia State Association director of education and then as vice president, and also served as an arbitration advocate and district lead team member for four joint alternate route adjustment processes. At Headquarters, McKay served as an assistant to the president for city delivery before his current appointment.

McKay is a 2006 graduate of the Leadership Academy and has a bachelor’s degree in economics from West Virginia State University.

Michelle McQuality was named assistant to the president for city delivery. A member of Dayton, OH Branch 182 since 2007, McQuality has served her branch as a trustee, steward, Formal A representative and route adjustment team member. On the regional level, McQuality has had roles as an arbitration advocate, Step B representative, local business agent and chair of the Employee Assistance Program (EAP) district advisory committee, and also as state food drive coordinator.

McQuality graduated from the Leadership Academy in 2011.