

Asmara Williams
Columbus, Ohio

Community Leader & Public Service Professional

Dedicated public service professional with nearly a decade of community residency and a lifelong commitment to civic engagement. Proven experience in community leadership, nonprofit involvement, and public-sector service, with a strong background in outreach, advocacy, and organizational support.

Professional Experience

Survivor Benefits Specialist
Ohio Public Employees Retirement System (OPERS)
Columbus, OH
Current

- Provide specialized support and guidance related to survivor benefits
- Serve constituents with accuracy, empathy, and professionalism
- Ensure compliance with state policies and benefit regulations

Community & Leadership Experience

President
American Addition Civic Association

- Lead civic engagement initiatives and neighborhood advocacy efforts
- Coordinate meetings, community priorities, and resident communication
- Serve as a liaison between residents and local stakeholders

Event & Community Engagement Coordinator
Sigsbee Avenue Church of God

- Plan and coordinate community events and outreach initiatives
- Foster community partnerships and increase neighborhood engagement

Board Member
Amercrest Improvement Group

- Support neighborhood improvement and revitalization efforts
- Participate in strategic planning and community-focused decision-making

Civic Involvement

Area Commissioner
North Central Area Commission

- Resident of the North Central community for 9 years
- Committed to community service, neighborhood involvement, and resident advocacy
- Motivated by a family legacy of service and a belief in active community participation

Education

Bachelor of Arts
Marketing & Management
Minor: Philosophy
Notre Dame College of Ohio