



Eric J. Adams, Sr.
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Mr. Eric Adams, Sr. is a native of New Orleans, Louisiana. He is the youngest of six siblings born to Leary and Margaret Adams. He spent his early years attending school at St. Charles Borromeo Catholic School and transitioned to Destrehan High School where he graduated in his junior year. He then attended Southeastern University and University of New Orleans where he studied accounting and marketing. Mr. Adams earned his Bachelors of Science in Business Administration with an emphasis in Marketing from the University of Nevada, Las Vegas and a Masters of Business Administration from Capella University at Minneapolis, Minnesota. Eric J. Adams, Sr. has been a successful entrepreneur for over thirty years with business ventures in government security contracts and home healthcare.

In order to further his commitment to giving back to his community, Mr. Adams joined Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc., Kappa Xi Chapter in 1999. In 2007, he became a charter member of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc., Beta Mu Mu Chapter, Las Vegas, NV. Mr. Adams has been an active member of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc. for over 24 years. He is also a life-time member. In 2017, Mr. Adams moved to Albany, NY and transferred to Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc., Nu Tau Chapter in Albany, NY where he has been a progressive, positive and active member.

Mr. Adams has worked in partnership with Albany High School (2018-2023) and the My Brother's Keeper Program (MBK) to promote membership among young men of color and coordinate mentors from the Nu Tau Chapter in order to provide workshops, seminars, assistance and guidance for the MBK participants on a weekly basis in the areas of: academics, financial aid for college, job opportunities, leadership, social justice, advocacy, financial literacy, STEM projects, tutoring younger students and exposing the young men to prominent men of color in the Capital Region (Albany) and throughout the United States. He has also arranged an array of guest speakers and legislative opportunities where the students were able to meet and have face-to-face conversations with:

- the first African-American Mayor of Bowie Maryland, the Honorable Timothy J. Adams, Sr.,

- the Guinness World Record holder Barrington Irving, who is noted as the first African-American to fly solo around the world in a plane that he built, and
- the NYS House speaker Carl Heastie, Assemblyman John McDonald, III and Assemblywoman Pat Fahy.

Mr. Adams was named Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc., Nu Tau Chapter's 2020 Man of the Year.