

Lisa Hodges is an attorney with over 15 years of diverse experience in affordable and public housing, large scale urban redevelopment and neighborhood revitalization. She has served as the Director of Real Estate for the Boston Housing Authority and as Development Advisor to the District of Columbia Housing Authority (DCHA). In these capacities, she managed a portfolio of over \$100 million in large-scale redevelopment projects and represented DCHA in District-wide and national housing policy committees, including the DC Mayor's Green Building Advisory Council.



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Prior to working with DCHA, Lisa was Special Assistant for Housing Policy to the Deputy Mayor for Planning and Economic Development for the District of Columbia (ODMPED). As Special Assistant for Housing Policy, Lisa managed the Comprehensive Housing Strategy Task Force, a 28 member body charged with developing a 10 year District of Columbia-wide strategy to increase the amount of mixed-income, culturally diverse neighborhoods, the amount of affordable housing, the production of housing overall and minimize displacement of current residents. She also produced the Housing Pipeline Report which outlines District investment in affordable housing on a per project basis, including depth of affordability, source of funds, and number of units produced. Her responsibilities also included disposition of property, coordination of interagency housing policy initiatives, and development of new housing policy.

In addition to her work at DCHA and the District's office of the Deputy Mayor, Lisa was a Development Officer for the Baltimore Development Corporation (BDC), a quasi-public agency charged with municipal economic development matters. While at BDC, Ms. Hodges authored urban renewal plans, disposed of public property, created tax increment finance districts and funding for redevelopment projects.

Lisa now serves as Adjunct Assistant Professor at the Howard University School of Architecture and Design, teaching an Urban Housing Seminar focused on affordable housing development. She previously served as Adjunct Faculty and Staff Attorney at the Georgetown Law Center's Harrison Institute representing tenant groups in acquisition and development matters and studying the tenant purchase process. Lisa has also managed her own law practice in real estate, business and non-profit redevelopment, and continues to be a member of the Maryland State Bar.

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