

My name is Fitzgerald L. Graves Sr. and I am interested to be a part of BCSGA for 3 specific reasons.

1. To be the voice for a demographic that rarely gets a voice at the table.
2. To gain a better understanding of the process of government offices as to relay that information to younger individuals in the communities so they can be better prepared to represent themselves.
3. The final reason that I have chosen to apply for the senate position is to bring different perspective as well as gain a new perspective.

I'm excited for the opportunity to join the BCSGA and use some of the skills I learned while volunteering for the Amanda Renteria campaign to the task. I have been a part of at least 4 grassroots movement for change, as well as two years of AmeriCorps. I have been a strong community service volunteer for the Police Activity League for 9 years, and a coach for the after-school program at Panama Buena Vista Union School District for 5 years. I'm passionate about giving back and this is another way to do so.

Thank you for your time and consideration in this matter.

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