

# BRENDA GOSS ANDREWS

REAL ESTATE PROFESSIONAL

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Brenda Goss Andrews retired from the Detroit Police Department as a Deputy Chief with over 25 years of dedicated public service being promoted through the ranks from police officer to Deputy Chief becoming the **first** female in the Department's history to administer and control the police departments \$400 million-dollar budget and \$30 million dollars in state and federal grants. She was the project and budget director for a new construction 62,000 square foot, \$18-million-dollar Southwest Public Safety Center, which is shared by police and the fire department. With this project she worked with architects, engineers, builders and a technology team. After retirement, this project led to her love of real estate.

Retired Deputy Chief Goss Andrews received a Bachelor of Business Administration degree from Howard University in Washington, D.C. and a Master's of Science from Michigan State University. She is a graduate of the prestigious FBI Academy in Quantico, Virginia and the Northwestern School of Staff and Command. She is also currently the President and Co-Founder of the *Retired Detroit Police Members Association*. She has been featured in newspaper articles and been a part of several forums, and radio shows in Detroit and Washington, DC as it pertained to Detroit's bankruptcy and its' potential devastating effects on over 10,000 police retirees.

Brenda currently serves as a Commissioner on the City of Detroit's City Planning Commission which reviews and votes on various development projects and zoning and text amendments. Brenda is a licensed real estate professional in the state of Michigan and a member of the Michigan Association of Realtors (MAR) and the National Association of Realtors (NAR).

She has attended the Land Institute Academy and attained several real estate certifications such as the *“Seller Representative Specialist”* and the *“Accredited Buyer's Representative Designation”* through the National Association of Realtors.