GOVERNMENT LEADERSHIP ADVISORY COUNCIL CALL TO ACTION: 
PUBLIC SERVICE LEADERSHIP MODEL

As members of the Partnership for Public Service's Government Leadership Advisory Council, we express our gratitude to all public servants for their steady leadership in service to the American people. In an increasingly complex and divided world, federal leaders must rise to the challenge for our government to remain the nation's primary vehicle for collective action. Our country must have skilled federal leadership that endures beyond appointment terms, administrations and the headlines of the day. Now is the time for public servants across the federal government to renew and strengthen their commitment to effective leadership practices.

In response to this urgent need, we worked with the Partnership to develop the Public Service Leadership Model, a guide for federal employees to reach their leadership potential. With a foundation in core public service values that derive from the Constitution, and indispensable competencies, the model offers a vision for how best to serve our country in today's society. Career employees and political appointees can use it to guide their actions, steer their growth and uphold the constitutional principles they swore to support and defend.

We joined the Partnership's cause because we believe in public service and wanted to offer our cross-sector experience to strengthen the federal workforce. We recommend that all public servants embrace the tenets of this model as they rise in their careers, using it to improve our government's effectiveness and the lives of the American people.

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