



# VIRGIN ISLANDS WATER AND POWER AUTHORITY

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**Kyle D Fleming, Chairman  
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## **VIWAPA Governing Board Announces Resignation of CEO Andrew Smith**

The Virgin Islands Water and Power Authority Chief Executive Officer and Executive Director Mr. Andrew Smith has submitted his letter of resignation to the Board of Directors, per the terms of his contract Director Smith's last day of service to The Authority will be June 30th, 2024.

Director Smith was recruited to the Authority to develop a strategic plan to improve the Authority's financial and operational performance. The Governing Board recognizes and thanks CEO Smith for the changes and improvements he brought to the Authority. Under CEO Smith's leadership and vision, the Authority embarked on an industry-standard approach to commercial decision-making that is data and analysis-driven. Director Smith's efforts have resulted in the acquisition of the Propane Supply Infrastructure from Vitol nearing receipt of grant funding and successful negotiations with Wartsila to remobilize and complete the installation of new generation and Battery Energy Storage at the Randolph Harley Power Plant.

At this time, the Board is ensuring a smooth, sustainable leadership transition that continues the successful execution of the Authority's strategic plan.

The Governing Board of Directors, Virgin Islands Water and Power Authority,

Sincerely,

Kyle Fleming  
Chairman, VIWAPA Governing Board