

Board Profile: Janice Bryant Howroyd



Janice Bryant Howroyd (JBH) is a trailblazing entrepreneur and the founder and CEO of The ActOne Group, the largest privately held, minority-woman-owned workforce management company founded in the United States. As the first African American woman to build and own a multi billion -dollar (USD) company, JBH's journey from her North Carolina hometown with just \$1500 to founding a global workforce management company is a testament to her entrepreneurial spirit and commitment to excellence.

With a firm dedication to preserving humanity in Human Resources and promoting Strategic, Inclusive Procurement, Mrs. Howroyd has transformed ActOne Group into a global powerhouse. Today, ActOne Group is celebrated as much for a commitment to diversity as for the ability to deliver tech supported corporate HR solutions to local and global markets.

JBH, who has held Presidential appointments, credits her upbringing in a closely supportive childhood home, along with her academic journey at North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University, as helping her lay the groundwork for her future success as a visionary leader and entrepreneur. Mrs. Howroyd's leadership, both in business and philanthropy, continue to impact lives across the globe.