

*Fleming, W. H. Severin
Washington D.C.*

Application for Membership

Jan 26, 19*23*

To the Secretary of the American Institute of Architects,
The Octagon House, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby apply for Membership in the American Institute of Architects.

I hereby certify that the following statements are correct:

Name *W. H. Severin Fleming*

Address *1504 H St. N.W. Washington D.C.*
[Number and Street.] [City.] [State.]

Place and date of birth *Alexandria Va.*

Graduate in architecture *Bach. of Architecture Cornell University*
[If required in your case, give name of institutions and year.—Attach evidence of Diploma or Certificate of graduation]

Holder of Scholarship in architecture _____
[If required in your case, attach evidence.]

Passed the qualifying examinations of the Royal Institute of British Architects, or the examinations for the first class of the Ecole des Beaux Arts. _____
[If required in your case, state which, and attach evidence of Certificate.]

If an Associate of a Chapter of the Institute, give name of chapter _____

If practicing architect, firm name *W. H. Severin Fleming*

Have been in practice *Two years* years.

If draughtsman, employed by _____
[State number of years.]

Collegiate and office training _____

I have carefully examined the Constitution and By-Laws of the Institute and the "Circular of Advice Relative to Principles of Professional Practice and Canons of Ethics," and I agree, if elected, honorably to maintain them.

I further agree, if elected to membership in the American Institute of Architects, that if at any time my membership shall cease, either by my own resignation or by any action taken by the Institute, I will then, by that fact, relinquish all rights of any character that I may have acquired by reason of such membership in the property, real or personal, of the American Institute of Architects, and of the Chapter of the Institute of which I am then a member.

W. H. Severin Fleming
[Signature of Applicant.]

I hereby certify that the signer of this application was duly elected an Associate of the _____
[For use when the applicant is an Associate.]

Chapter, A. I. A., on the following date _____
[Insert date of election to chapter.]

Secretary.

Chapter, A. I. A.

We, the undersigned members of the American Institute of Architects, have carefully examined the foregoing statement and believe it to be correct. We know the applicant personally, and consider that his work and practice warrant his admission to Membership.

- (1) *Delos H. Smith*
- (2) _____
- (3) _____

[The signatures of three Institute members are here required unless the applicant has the unanimous endorsement of his Chapter, in which case certification to that effect should be made above by the Secretary. Unanimous endorsement is that endorsement in which each Institute member of the Chapter had an opportunity to express himself by letter ballot either for or against the member proposed. No other form of unanimous endorsement will be accepted.]

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THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.

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January 27, 1923.

My dear Mr. Fleming:-

The Institute is gratified to receive your application for Membership from Mr. Delos H. Smith, President of the Washington Chapter.

The old initiation fee of \$25.00 has been abolished, but the preliminary fee of \$5.00, required in connection with the handling of applications, should be sent at your convenience.

As you are a graduate of Cornell University no exhibits of executed work are required.

We hope to advise you of your election shortly after the first of March.

Very truly yours,

Executive Secretary.

Mr. W. H. Irwin Fleming,
1504 H. Street, N. W.,
Washington, D. C.

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March 2, 1923.

My dear Mr. Fleming:

Acting for the Secretary, I am pleased to advise you of your election to membership in the American Institute of Architects, effective on February 27, 1923.

You have been assigned to the Washington Chapter as an Institute member in good standing therein, and the Secretary of the Chapter has been so advised.

Enclosed herewith is statement covering dues for the last three quarters of the current year.

May I take this opportunity to say that the office of the Secretary at the Octagon is for the service of every Institute member. Should the occasion arise, we shall be glad to give you our best cooperation.

Very truly yours,

Executive Secretary.

Mr. W. H. Irwin Fleming,
1504 H St., Northwest,
Washington, D. C.

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THE AMERICAN
INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

W. H. IRWIN FLEMING, ARCHITECT
1228 CONNECTICUT AVENUE
WASHINGTON, D. C.

1942 JAN 27 AM 10:13

WASHINGTON, D. C.

January 26 1942

Mr. Edward C. Kemper
1741 New York Avenue,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Kemper:

Enclosed please find my check for twenty five dollars, as charged on your bill for the year 1941, which seems to be the only bill I owe to the Institute to January 1st. 1942. If there is any other bill I owe to that date please let me know about it.

During the past eighteen years, in which I have been a member of the Institute, I have strictly adhered to all the old ethics of the profession and have paid in dues something like four hundred and fifty dollars. As I am not a politician and have not entered into the Institute activities and seldom attend the chapter meetings and enter into their activities it seems that the sole purpose of my belonging to the Institute is to help financially in the promotion of the profession, and what prestige is obtained by being a member of the Institute.

With the apparant difficult times ahead, and not knowing what I might have to do that would not be compatible with the ethics of the Institute, it will be necessary to conserve on expenditures, and let down somewhat on non-essentials. After eighteen years it seems time that the young can take over in promotion help.

Will you kindly let me know what, according to the by-laws, it is necessary for me to pay in order to resign from the Institute in good standing.

Very truly yours

W. H. Irwin Fleming

PAID
\$25.00 for 1941 dues
1-27-42

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January 29, 1942

Dear Mr. Fleming:

We are sorry to learn from your letter of January 26 that you are contemplating resigning from The Institute.

At this time, more than ever before, The Institute needs the active support of every member and hopes that you will see fit to reconsider.

According to Institute records your dues for 1941 are paid in full and your resignation could be accepted, effective December 31, 1941 provided you are in good standing in the Washington, D. C. Chapter with respect to dues.

Sincerely yours,

Executive Secretary

Mr. W. H. Irwin Fleming, A.I.A.
1228 Connecticut Avenue
Washington, D. C.

PHW:ER



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Dated 19 .
Received 19 .
Granted 19 .

Nº M

(Do not fill in above dates)

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THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP EMERITUS

TO BOARD OF DIRECTORS,
THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS:

*Strike out the
inappropriate
reason, a or b,
as the case
may be.*

I wish to apply for Membership Emeritus in The Institute for the following reasons:

a. I am more than 70 years of age.

~~b. I am unable to engage in any gainful vocation.~~

Date of Birth 8-8-83

*Write in
name of
chapter.*

I have been in good standing in The Institute and the *Washington Metropolitan* chapter
for 15 successive years or more immediately preceding the date of this application.

Respectfully,

Date

April 6 19 54

A. D. Min Fleming
Signature 1923

The applicant may supplement the above reasons in writing below or on sheets which he shall attach to this application. Under exceptional conditions and circumstances, The Board of Directors may lessen the period of good standing but neither of requirements a or b.

April 8, 1954

Mrs. Dorothy P. MacHatton, Executive Secretary
Washington-Metropolitan Chapter, A.I.A.
1612 Eye Street, N.W.
Washington 6, D. C.

Dear Mrs. MacHatton:

At its meeting on April 6th, Mr. F. W. Cole, A.I.A., a member of
The Board of Examiners presented the application of Mr. W. H. Irwin
Fleming, A.I.A., for election as a Member Emeritus of The Institute.

Mr. Fleming was elected in 1923 and is over 70 years of age; there-
fore he is eligible for this change in status.

Final action on this request can be taken as of April 15th if you
can let us know, by that date, whether Mr. Fleming is in good stand-
ing in the Washington-Metropolitan Chapter.

Many thanks for your cooperation,

Sincerely yours,

(Miss) Florence H. Gervais
Secretary to The Board of Examiners

Copy to the Director,
Middle Atlantic District, A.I.A.

**WASHINGTON - METROPOLITAN CHAPTER
THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS**

1612 I Street N.W., Washington 6, D. C.

April 9, 1954

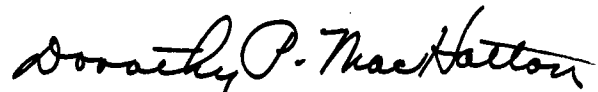
Miss Florence Gervais, Secretary
The Board of Examiners, A.I.A.
1735 New York Avenue
Washington 6, D. C.

Dear Miss Gervais:

Replying to your letter regarding Mr. W. H. Irwin
Fleming.

Mr. Fleming is in good standing in this Chapter
and I am sure our members will be pleased to know that he has
been honored by becoming a Member Emeritus of The Institute.

Sincerely yours,



Dorothy P. MacHatton
Executive Secretary

Member
Fleming, W. H. Irwin
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THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS
THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.

NOTICE OF ELECTION—MEMBER EMERITUS

TO Mr. W. H. Irwin Fleming, A.I.A.
1228 Connecticut Avenue
Washington 6, D. C.

It is my privilege to advise you that The Board of Directors has conferred upon you
the title

MEMBER EMERITUS

of The American Institute of Architects and of its component organizations of which you are
a member, exempting you from the payment of annual dues to The Institute and such
organizations, effective January 1, 1954 .

Date April 15, 1954 .

George Brian Cunningham
Secretary

Wash. Metro Chapter