National Listening Tour

The National NAACP is conducting a Listening Tour in conjunction with the California Hawai’i NAACP State Convention.

**9:00 AM – 10:30 AM**
**NATIONAL NAACP STAKEHOLDERS MEETING**
Atlanta - By invitation to supporters and community leaders

**CO-MODERATORS**

**Gwen Moore**
Member, NAACP National Board of Directors

**Ron Hasson**
Member, NAACP National Board of Directors

**Leon Russell**
Chairman, NAACP National Board of Directors

**Derrick Johnson**
President, NAACP National Board of Directors

**10:30 AM – 12:30 PM**
**NAACP LEADERSHIP ROUNDTABLE**
Atlanta - By invitation to CA HI NAACP leaders

**MODERATOR**

**Alice A. Huffman**
Member, NAACP National Board of Directors and CA HI NAACP President

**Leon Russell**
Chairman, NAACP National Board of Directors

**Derrick Johnson**
President, NAACP National Board of Directors

**5:00 PM – 7:00 PM**
**NATIONAL TOWNHALL MEETING – Open to the Public**
Boston

**MODERATOR**

**Rev. Amos Brown**
Member, NAACP National Board of Directors

**Leon Russell**
Chairman, NAACP National Board of Directors

**Derrick Johnson**
President, NAACP National Board of Directors
7:00 AM – 8:00 PM  Saddlebrook
DAILY REGISTRATION

8:30 AM – 9:00 AM  Scottsdale
OFFICERS BRIEFING BREAKFAST

8:00 AM – 8:00 PM  DAILY OFFICE HOURS

1:30 PM – 2:00 PM  New York
DISASTER AND MEMBERSHIP LAYDOWN

1:30 PM – 2:00 PM  Miami
RESOLUTION & ELECTION ISSUES

4:00 PM-5:00 PM  Salon 1
OPENING SESSION

PRESIDING
Rick Callender
CA HI NAACP 3rd Vice President

GREETINGS & REMARKS
Hon. Mike Davis
Public Works Commissioner
Los Angeles, Ca.

PRESIDENT’S REPORT
Alice A. Huffman, CA HI NAACP President

SECRETARY’S REPORT
Ida Johnson, CA HI NAACP Secretary

TREASURER’S REPORT
Carolyn Veal Hunter, CA HI NAACP Treasurer

ELECTION OF THE ELECTION SUPERVISORY COMMITTEE  Salon 3

7:00 PM – 7:40 PM  Century Pavilion
ANNUAL PRESIDENT’S DINNER RECEPTION

Sponsored by:

7:15 PM – 10:00 PM  Salons A & B
ANNUAL PRESIDENT’S DINNER
“California Leaders - Are You Up for the Struggle?”

PRESIDING
Hon. Gwen Moore
CA HI NAACP 1st Vice President & Member, NAACP National Board of Directors
GREETINGS
Natasha Fooman
Vice President, Advance America

INVOCATION
Pastor Jethro Moore
San Jose NAACP President

GREETINGS FROM NATIONAL
Leon Russell
Chairman, NAACP National Board of Directors

Derrick Johnson
President, NAACP National Board of Directors

SPEAKER
Rev. Nelson B. Rivers III
Charity Missionary Baptist Church
Charleston, S.C.

Music by: RAW Sugar

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ADULT & YOUTH Program

THURSDAY OCT. 26th

7:00 AM – 8:00 PM Satellite
REGISTRATION

8:00 AM – 10:00 AM Century Pavillon
ANNUAL HEALTH BREAKFAST
“The Facts on Single Payer”

PRESIDING
Sedrick Spencer
CA HI NAACP Health Chair

SPONSORS GREETINGS AND REMARKS
Asher Lisec, State Policy Senior Director, PhRMA

MODERATOR
Dr. Richard Allen Williams
President of the Minority Health Institute

MESSAGE
Hon. Holly Mitchell
California State Senator

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FRIDAY OCT. 27th

“Moving Forward in Times of Uncertainty”
10:00 AM - 11:30 AM Salon 1 & 2
EDUCATION FORUM
“Quality Education for All Regardless of the Structure”

PRESIDING
Hon. Mike Davis
Public Works Commissioner
Los Angeles, Ca.

Alice A. Huffman, Chair
Quality Education National Task Force

Hon. Tony Thurmond
Assembly Member

Dr. George McKenna, L. A. School Board Member

Seth Bramble, C. T. A. Legislative Advocate

Chris Unger, Past President CSBA

Aubry Stone, President
California Black Chamber of Commerce

12:00 PM - 2:00 PM Salons 4, 5 & 6
ANNUAL LABOR LUNCHEON
“We Are Stronger Together”

PRESIDING
Alice A. Huffman
CA HI NAACP President

REMARKS
Hon. Edmund G. Brown, Jr.
State of California Governor

SPONSOR’S GREETINGS
Regina Whitney
SEIU 1000

Hon. Alex Padilla
California Secretary of State

Hon. Gavin Newsom
State of California Lt. Governor

GREETINGS FROM NATIONAL
Derrick Johnson
President, NAACP National Board of Directors

AWARDS PRESENTATION
The Dr. H. Claude Hudson Award - Santa Maria/Lompoc Branch
The Ruby McKnight Williams Award
Small - Modesto
Medium - Oakland
Large - Sacramento

2:15 PM - 4:00 PM
UTILITY FORUM
“The Cost and Advantages of New Technologies and Services”
Salons 1 & 2

PANELIST:
Carla Peterman
California Public Utilities Commissioner

Hon. Chris Holden
California State Assembly

Hon. Steven Bradford
California State Senate

Donovan Green
AT&T Regional Director

Emma Maxey, Supplier Diversity Manager
Golden State Water Company

Robert Kenney
Regulatory Affairs Vice President, PG&E

Bruce Drew
SCE Principal Manager

Jesus Torres
Community & Marketing Engagement Director
Frontier Communications

4:00 PM - 6:00 PM
“IN SEARCH OF OUR NEXT GOVERNOR”

PRESIDING
Alice A. Huffman
CA HI NAACP President

MODERATOR
Hon. Mike Gipson
Member of the California Legislature

GREETINGS
Dave Cunningham
Retired L. A. City Council Member

Aubry Stone
President, California Black Chamber of Commerce

“Moving Forward in Times of Uncertainty”
There has recently been an extreme amount of controversy surrounding celebrities, specifically NFL players, taking a knee during the National Anthem in response to a series of the president’s tweets. However, as the NAACP Youth and College Division looks deeper into the "hype", we are finding that the initial message being conveyed for players, such as Colin Kaepernick, taking a knee has been lost. It is our duty as youth leaders to bring the real message back to the forefront. Colin Kaepernick, along with our youth across the nation, are protesting against the racial inequalities in the criminal justice system and against the unnerving terror of police brutality. This dinner aims to get our youth recharged and refocused on the issues that matter!

PRESIDING
Alyssa Smith
NAACP Youth and College Division President & Member, National NAACP Board of Directors

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ADULT & YOUTH Program

**Joseph Farrow**, Chief of Police
University of California, Davis

**Matthew Johnson**, Commissioner
Los Angeles Police Department

**Hon. Chris Holden**, Chair
California Legislative Black Caucus

**REMARKS**
**Xavier Becerra**
California Attorney General

Sponsored by:

10:00 AM – 12:00 PM
WORKSHOPS – SESSION I
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11:30 AM – 4:00 PM Board Room
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE ELECTIONS

12:30 PM – 2:30 PM Salon 4, 5, 6
ANNUAL POLITICAL LUNCHEON
“Are the Regulators Including Us?”

**PRESIDING**
**Elihu Harris**, Former Mayor of Oakland, Ca.

**Hon. Reginald Jones Sawyer**
Member, California State Legislature

**Lori Ajax**, Chief
Cannabis Regulations Bureau

**Donnie Anderson**, Founder
Founder California Minority Alliance and CA-HI Cannabis Task Force Chair

**Cat Packer**, Executive Director
Los Angeles Department of Cannabis Regulation

**REMARKS**
**Darren Parker**, Chair
African American Caucus, CDP

**AWARDS PRESENTATION**
**The Pauline Jones Award**
**Cassie Cook**, San Francisco Branch

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ADULT & YOUTH Program

SATURDAY OCT. 28th

The Lulann Sapp McGriff Award
Bobby Bivens, Stockon Branch

The Doretha Revell Award
Shunnon Thomas, Antelope Branch

Sponsored by:

Dignity Health

2:00 PM – 3:45 PM
WORKSHOPS - SESSION II
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6:00 PM – 7:00 PM
Century Pavilion
AWARDS DINNER RECEPTION

Sponsored by:

Charter Spectrum
California Hospital Association

7:00 PM – 11:00 PM
AWARDS DINNER Salons 4, 5, 6
“How to Hold On to Our Gains”

PRESIDING
Karen Bass
Member, United States Congress

TRIBUTES TO FORMER SPEAKER WILLIE L. BROWN JR.

Robert Pullen Miles, Mayor
Lawndale, Ca.

Tasha Cerda, Mayor
Gardena, Ca.

Hon. Kevin De Leon
California Senate Pro Tem

REMARKS
Herb Wesson, President
Los Angeles City Council

SPEAKER
Willie L. Brown, Former Speaker
California State Assembly

AWARDS PRESENTATION
Corporate Honor Roll Award – AT&T
President’s Award - LaJuana Bivens

SWEARING IN OF OFFICERS
ADULT & YOUTH Program

Music by: RAW Sugar / Featured Vocalist: Freda Payne

Sponsored by: Rethink Possible

10:00 PM – 11:30 PM Salon 1
AFTER DINNER FILM
“Marshall”

7:30 AM – 9:30 AM Salon 4,5,6
SACRED BREAKFAST
“Holding the Community in Our Hearts During These Uncertain Times”

SPONSORS GREETINGS
Rick Callender
Santa Clara Valley Water District

OFFICIATING
Rev. Jethro Moore

MUSICAL SELECTION
RAW Sugar

INTRODUCTION OF SPEAKER
Ron Hasson
Member, National NAACP Board of Directors

SPEAKER
Reverend Ronea Crockett Williams
First African Methodist Episcopal Church

Sponsored by:

9:45 AM – 12:00 PM Salon 3
CLOSING SESSION - ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING

12:30 PM – 3:00 PM
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE ORGANIZING MEETING

“Moving Forward in Times of Uncertainty”