



NAACP

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Dear NAACP Freedom Fighter,

This serves as a public notice to all members of the Cleveland Branch NAACP interested in seeking office for the upcoming 2019-2020 term. In order to serve in an elected position, you must be a member of the Cleveland NAACP as of April 1, 2018.

If you are interested in applying for the Cleveland Branch NAACP Executive Committee or one of the Officer positions (President, 1st, 2nd & 3rd Vice President, Secretary, Assistant Secretary and Treasurer), please complete the following two steps:

- 1) Fill out the NAACP Candidates Consent Form completely with at least three valid signatures. Return the form and include your contact information. Please be advised the deadline to submit Candidates Content Forms to the Cleveland Branch Nominating Committee will be Sunday, September 23, 2018 at 5:00 p.m. Forms can be emailed to clevelandnaacp@yahoo.com with a copy to Vanessa Whiting at vwhiting@vlwhitinglaw.com, the Nominating Committee Chair or mail it to the Cleveland Branch NAACP, 16400 Miles Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio 44128 or give your Candidates Consent Form to one of the following Nominating Committee members (Renee Richard, DeAndrea Evans, Tiwana Williams, Dylan Sellers, Frances Blount, Michael Nelson).
- 2) Nomination Committee interviews will take place between 6:00-8:00 p.m. on Tuesday, September 25, 2018 and Wednesday, September 26, 2018 at the Cleveland Heights Library, 2345 Lee Road, Cleveland, Ohio 44118. Please allow 10-15 minutes for your interview time. Interviewees will be first come, first served.

The nominating committee will present the official slate at the October 2, 2018 General Body Membership meeting. **Please note, NAACP members also have the ability to be nominated from the floor at this meeting if not selected by the Nominating Committee.**

If you have any questions or need additional information, contact the Nominating Committee Secretary, Renee Richards, 216-231-6260 or via Renee.Richard91@gmail.com.

The Candidate Consent Form is included. *Please read the form carefully.*

Thank you for your interest and support of the Cleveland NAACP!

The Nominating Committee
Vanessa Whiting, Chair

NAACP CANDIDATES CONSENT FORM

I, _____ consent to serve as a candidate for
(Please print)
office of _____ or at-large Executive
Committee member of the _____ Branch. If elected, I agree
to serve and abide by the policies, principles and procedures of the NAACP. I
agree to complete mandatory training by May 31, 2019, if so directed by the
National Board of Directors, pursuant to Article X, Section 2(d) of the NAACP
Constitution.

For the purpose of serving as a candidate for an elected office I affirm that I have
been a bona fide member of the Branch as of April 1st prior to the date
nominations are made, as well as live and/or work within the jurisdiction of the
Branch.

Signature

NAACP Petition for Nomination

We, the undersigned wish to nominate _____ for the office of
_____, or as an at-large member of the Executive Committee.
(A valid petition must contain at least 3 signatures).

Name/Date

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____

***For purposes of signing this petition, one must be a current member in
good standing 30 days prior to the meeting.***