# DEMOCRATIC BLACK CAUCUS OF FLORIDA

### **Our History**

Black Delegates attending the 1981 Florida Statewide Democratic Party Convention in in Hollywood, Florida were alerted to the need for increasing the power and influence of Black Democrats within the party.

A decision was made at the Convention to unite Black Democrats throughout the State. That resulted in the organization of the Democratic Black Caucus of Florida.

History was made on September 24, 1983, when the Florida Democratic Party (FDP) recognized the Democratic Black Caucus of Florida (DBCF) as an official organization.

DBCF Chapters were established statewide per county availability. Today we have 23 active chapters. To become an ACTIVE voting member and enjoy the privileges of full participation in programming and decision - making, an annual assessment is required to be paid each year. If there is no chapter in a county, at large membership is available (info on reverse side).

The Black Caucus is not exclusionary by means of race, ethnicity, gender, preference nor religion. All registered Democrats who subscribe to Caucus objectives are welcome to join.

## "There is NO TIME for Complacency in the Lives of the Members of this Caucus who are Dedicated as I am to the Continuing Fight for Equal Rights"

- Morris W. Milton, Founder & First President of the Democratic Black Caucus of Florida



# The Soul of the Party

# DEMOCRATIC BLACK CAUCUS OF FLORIDA

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Trevor Mallory, President

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# FLAGLER COUNTY DEMOCRATIC BLACK CAUCUS PO BOX 353368 PALM COAST, FL 32135

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#### **MISSION**

Here to raise overall social, economic and political awareness, support elected and appointed Democratic officials in FL, and offer advocacy & outreach to all demographics and classifications of Blacks across the State of Florida.

Meeting the Mission, Our Objectives are to:

- Sustain, Maintain, Gain Black Power: Economical, Political, Social, & Educational
- STAND UP for the voiceless and bring their concerns to the forefront
- Educate and mobilize voters in the Black Community at large
- Get Black issues addressed to the Florida Democratic Party
- Establish LOYALTY amongst active Democrats
- Get Non-Party Affiliated (NPA) voters converted to Democratic Party
- Get more Blacks active and vocal with local Democratic Executive Committee (D.E.C.)
- Groom potential future leaders and influencers work on succession plans
- Use latest technology to spread messages and bolster activism

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#### 5 Reasons to Join

- 1. To be part of a forum to discuss and act on common issues affecting Blacks and Black communities
- 2. To merge ideas, resources, skills and notions to advance Blacks socially, economically and politically
- 3. To help develop a UNIFIED agenda for Blacks in Florida
- 4. To learn more about the political process, and be a part of sharing knowledge with others; especially those who seek growth in the process
- 5. To network and build relationships with persons of similar interest in upward mobility

## FAQ: What Will Caucus do for me? ANS: Membership Has Its Privileges

- Caucus Connects Us and is Your Avenue to Reach People You wouldn't ordinarily be close to
- Caucus Supports ALL Members
- Caucus is **Covering** for candidates & elected officials, and **Fights for You**
- Caucus Educates You and Learns from You
- Caucus **Highlights You**, your efforts and causes
- Caucus utilizes Innovative Ways and Means to Support You

#### **COME JOIN US TODAY!!**



## **Membership Type:**

| Adult \$50 Senior \$25 Student \$25 |
|-------------------------------------|
| Name:                               |
| Address:                            |
| City: County:                       |
| Congressional District:             |
| FL House Dist:FL Senate Dist:       |
| E-mail:                             |
| Phone Number:                       |
| Occupation/Skill:                   |
| New Member                          |
| Renew                               |
| Signature                           |
| <br>Date                            |

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