# **COMMITTEES**

### JOIN A COMMITTEE. CHANGE THE COMMUNITY.

### **ACT-SO**

An enrichment program encouraging high academic and cultural achievement among African-American high school students

### ECONOMIC EMPOWERMENT

To accelerate economic growth in our communities and eliminate existing racial and ethnic economic disparities

### **EDUCATION**

To ensure that students have access equal and high-quality public education

### HEALTH

To develop health education initiatives, expand community outreach, and collaborative with health organizations

### **INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS**

To raise awareness of the global affairs effecting their livelihood

### **LEGAL REDRESS**

To eliminate disparate treatment of blacks in all aspects of law enforcement and criminal justice systems

### **POLITICAL ACTION**

To ensure voter empowerment through providing voter training, registration, education, and election protection

### **RELIGIOUS AFFAIRS**

Promote relations with faith-based organizations and plan educational activities

### **VETERAN AFFAIRS**

Ensure fair services are available to Veteran members of the minority community

### **YOUNG ADULTS**

Implement programs and initiatives to educate, stimulate and mobilize young adult professionals in the fight for social justice



# **ARE YOU READY FOR CHANGE?**

### THEN JOIN THE MOVEMENT WITH THE NAACP DC BRANCH.

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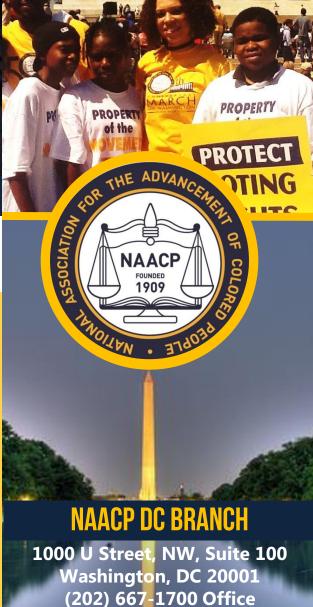
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# 1000+ FREEDOM FIGHTERS



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# FREEDOM IS YOUR RIGHT

### **JUSTICE IS OUR FIGHT!**

### **MISSION**

To ensure the political, educational, social, and economic equality of rights of all persons and to eliminate racial hatred and racial discrimination.

### **OBJECTIVES**

- •To ensure the political, educational, social, and economic equality of all citizens
- •To achieve equality of rights and eliminate race prejudice among the citizens of the United States
- •To remove all barriers of racial discrimination through democratic processes
- •To seek enactment and enforcement of federal, state, and local laws securing civil rights
- •To inform the public of the adverse effects of racial discrimination and to seek its elimination
- •To educate persons as to their constitutional rights and to take all lawful action to secure their rights

### **VISION**

The vision of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) is to ensure a society in which all individuals have equal rights and there is no racial hatred or racial discrimination.



# NAACP A CENTURY IN THE FIGHT FOR FREEDOM

The NAACP is the nation's oldest and largest civil rights organization. Founded on February 12, 1909, the NAACP has been in existence for over a century securing victories in the struggle for justice and equality in America. The NAACP continues to be at the forefront of issues paramount to our communities.

Our efforts have lead to launching new initiatives aimed at eliminating disparities in economic development, healthcare, education, and technology. The NAACP DC Branch has identified strategic priorities for 2011 and 2012.

### **STRATEGIC PRIORITIES**

### **CRIMINAL JUSTICE**

Educate and advocate to end the War on Drugs which disproportionately targets African-American through mass incarceration and the prison industrial complex

### **ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT**

Advocate for economic empowerment within our communities through promoting entrepreneurship and financial literacy

#### **EDUCATION**

Promote high quality education in DC Public School and Charter School systems through engaging parents and administrators

### DC VOTING RIGHTS

Advocate for Voting Rights and Budget Autonomy in the District of Columbia

### **HEALTH & WELLNESS**

Promote health and wellness to fight obesity and diet-related illnesses disproportionately affecting our communities

# **MEET OUR DC LEADERSHIP**



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