

WEEKEND EDITION

VOL. XXXVI NO.17 JUNE 29, 2018 50 CENTS

BULK RATE U.S. POSTAGE MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN PERMIT 4668

IN THE BLACK

NEWS & VIEWS ON: BUSINESS
TRENDS, PERSONAL FINANCE,
TECHNOLOGY (TECH NOIR!)

“WHAT DID YOU SAY!”

27 THINGS WHITE PEOPLE SHOULD

NEVER, EVER
SAY TO THEIR
BLACK
CO-WORKERS

by Samara Lynn
(Courtesy of Black
Enterprise.com)

We are living in
tempestuous
times. Tem-
pers are flaring
over issues re-
lated to politics, race,
and gender almost
hourly across social
media.

While most agree these issues aren't appropriate to discuss at work, they inevitably do come up. However, in order to keep the peace with their co-workers of color, it's probably a good idea if our white colleagues tread lightly on matters that are really emotional and of consequence to the black community.

Or, at the very least use the common sense they were born with and not speak on black issues or use offensive language altogether in the office.

We asked our audience to post across Black Enterprise's social media accounts things white people should never say to their black co-workers.

We were flooded with some great suggestions. The below list contains the most repeated offenses our audience cited and our favorites.

If you are white and reading this; be advised, any it-

eration of the below phrases will give you at the least, the side-eye from your black colleague.

Here are 27 things white people should never say to their black colleagues (posted verbatim from our social media streams):

1. You look like the girl, or you remind me of the girl, or I was thinking about you when I watched the girl on [blank] television last night. #reallytho#wealldonot-lookalike
2. If so and so can do it (another black person) then I know you can.
3. You mean you don't wash your hair every day???
4. "I'm scared to get pulled over too."
5. Years ago, I told my boss I went to a non-denominational church she goes "you're not BAPTIST!? I thought black people were Baptist!?"
6. I went to the beach the entire weekend and look, I'm almost as dark as you!
7. You're different, not like them, the other ones...
8. "You all"
9. You go, girl
10. I love NWA
11. Anything that ends with the term "girlfriend" when you're not referencing a woman you're dating.
12. "All Lives Matter – not just black people."
13. Any phrase starting with, "So, do black people..."
14. "So do you take those out at night?" "Like how do you wash your hair?"
15. OMG, I'm taking a trip to Africa!" has never engaged in convo before but feels the need to share
16. We're all discriminated against.
17. I don't understand why you need to go to a legal

conference for black women.

If we had a legal conference for white men there would be an issue

18. I have a white co-worker that dates black men. Her and her boyfriend at the time we're having issues. So, she was venting to me about him and called him a nigger.

Nigger this. Nigger that. After regaining my composure, I asked, her why does she think it's OK to say nigger in my presence, she replied that she should get a pass because she acts black, dates black, and considers herself black.

19. Telling you that you're best friends with the only other black person that just started on the job when you've never met them a day in your life.

20. This happened to my co-worker who is black: Male Co-worker: I want you to be nice today... not sassy

21. When they say something negative about black people and then say, "Not you but..."

22. "You have to understand Trump"

23. NFL players shouldn't take a knee

24. You're the prettiest black girl I've ever seen," says the intern

25. Yo," "Word," and "Whattup" as a greeting whenever greeting their black co-workers as Ron down the hall does every time he sees me. I'm not reciprocating that foolishness.

26. You should join our company basketball team. (They[ve] never seen you play.)

27. Are you real black?" The idiot meant are both of my parents black. *Editor's Note: This article originally published November 2017*

**FREE MONEY? THE TOP 10 GRANTS AVAILABLE TO
BLACK, MINORITY BUSINESS OWNERS! (Page 8)**

Business Briefs

Local, National and International News about Business and Finance

High-tech small businesses: Apply for SBIR Advance matching grant to earn up to \$75,000



MADISON — UW-Extension’s Center for Technology Commercialization (CTC) is offering a matching grant of up to \$75,000 to provide additional assistance to companies in the process of completing a project in the federal Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) or Small Business Technology Transfer (STTR) programs.

This is the 12th round of SBIR Advance funding dedicated by the Wisconsin Economic Development Corporation (WEDC) since SBIR Advance began in 2014. “SBIR Advance allows business owners to take their companies and ideas to the next level, ultimately benefiting the Wisconsin economy,” said Dr. Todd Strother, CTC Senior Technology Consultant and SBIR Advance Program Manager.

Deadlines are quickly approaching:

- Noon Aug. 2, 2018: Brief Intent to Apply due, link found at <http://wisconsinsbir.org/sbir-advance>
- Noon Aug. 16, 2018: Full application due, link found at <http://wisconsinsbir.org/sbir-advance>

To be eligible, companies must

have an SBIR/STTR project in either Phase I or Phase II of funding. All companies must be located in Wisconsin to be considered for the grant.

Funds can be used for business and market development, customer validation, intellectual property work or other areas needed to speed product commercialization.

Applicants should also note these important dates:

- Aug. 31, 2018: Companies chosen for funding will be notified by this time.
- Sept. 3, 2018: Phase I Match awardees must be prepared to start the Lean Startup Program.

The course runs through Dec. 13 and is administered by the CTC. It teaches companies how to incorporate their technologies into a validated business model and defines the best possible target markets.

For more details on the SBIR Advance program, contact Strother at todd.strother@uwex.edu.

SBIR Advance is part of a Start-Seed-Scale (S3) initiative WEDC is pursuing with the help of the UW System and other business leaders throughout the state to re-

move barriers to high-tech commercialization.

Under the S3 umbrella, WEDC and its economic development partners are implementing financial and operational assistance

programs designed specifically to address Wisconsin’s business startup and seed-funding challenges.

One such initiative — also a collaborative effort between WEDC and the UW System — is the Ileadvance Seed Fund, also managed by UW-Extension’s CTC. Selected SBIR Advance participants undergo Ileadvance Lean Startup training that is modified to assist with their SBIR Phase II applications.

About The Center for Technology Commercialization

The Center for Technology Commercialization is a unit in the University of Wisconsin- Extension’s Division for Business and Entrepreneurship.

CTC provides one-on-one expert consulting to early-stage emerging technology businesses throughout Wisconsin.

CTC has collaborated in acquiring more than \$100 million in federal and other funding for clients. Learn more at www.wisconsinsbir.org; follow @WisconsinCTC on Twitter.

About The Wisconsin Economic Development Corporation

The Wisconsin Economic Development Corporation (WEDC) leads economic development efforts for the state by advancing and maximizing opportunities in Wisconsin for businesses, communities and people to thrive in a globally competitive environment. Working with more than 600 regional and local partners, WEDC develops and delivers solutions representative of a highly responsive and coordinated economic development network.

Learn more at <http://inwisconsin.com>; follow @InWisconsin on Twitter.



SHOP CENTER STREET

SATURDAY, JUNE 30, 2018

(9am – 5pm)

#SHOPCENTERSTREETMKE

SHOP ALL DAY AND LET’S MEET AT 12 NOON IN THE LOT ON 47TH AND CENTER” FOR FOOD AND TO STAND UP FOR SMALL BUSINESS

From 32nd – 60th and Center Street

Did you know that there are over 75 businesses in operation on Center Street (between 32nd and 60th Street)? We invite you to take part in Shop Center Street Day. This day is dedicated to shopping small and learning about the businesses located in the heart of our city - **Center Street**. We will have our doors open so that you can stop in and check out the types of business that we offer in our commercial corridor. Say hello to a business owner. Take a business card or flyer and consider shopping on Center Street. **“Meet me on Center Street” – 2018**

- **Restaurants**
- **Convenience stores**
- **Auto body shops**
- **Family Services**
- **Community Center**
- **Post office**
- **Resale shops**
- **Appliance stores**
- **Places of Worship**
- **Barber shops**
- **Beauty Salons**
- **Nail Salons**
- **Insurance agency**
- **Child Care facilities**
- **Laundromat**
- **Airbrush shop**
- **Cell Phone Store**

MILWAUKEE COMMUNITY JOURNAL

WEEKEND EDITION

Phone: 414-265-5300 (Advertising and Administration) • 414-265-6647 (Editorial) • Website: communityjournal.net • Email: Editorial@communityjournal.net • Advertising@communityjournal.net

Patricia O’Flynn -Pattillo
Founder, Publisher
Robert J. Thomas, Co-Founder
Assoc. Publisher
Todd Thomas, Vice President
Mikel Holt, Founding Editor,
Associate Publisher
Thomas E. Mitchell, Jr.,
Editor
Teretha Martin, Terri’s Innovative
Computers: Billing Clerk, Pro-

duction assistance, tech-support
Colleen Newsom,
Classified Advertising Sales
Leader
Jimmy V. Johnson, Advertising
Sales
Mike Mullis, Advertising
Coordination
Yvonne Kemp, Photographer
Kim Robinson, Photographer
Bill Tennessen, Photographer

Opinion and comments expressed on the Perspectives page do not necessarily reflect the views of the publisher or management of the MCJ. Letters and “other perspectives” are accepted but may be edited for content and length.

5 BOOKS EVERY MILLENNIAL ENTREPRENEUR MUST READ

Make no mistake about what the best entrepreneurs read; entrepreneurial success requires continuous investment into your own education.

This is especially true for 51% of the 80 million millennials in the U.S. that currently own a business or say they want to be entrepreneurs.

So, here are five books that BlackEnterprise.com considers to be must-reads for all aspiring millennial entrepreneurs.

1.THE HARD THING ABOUT HARD THINGS: BUILDING A BUSINESS WHEN THERE ARE NO EASY ANSWERS

By: Ben Horowitz
A venture capitalist and one of

Silicon Valley's most respected entrepreneurs, Horowitz offers essential advice on building and running a startup.

He shows how to cultivate a CEO mentality, and shares the insights he's gained developing, managing, selling, buying, investing in, and supervising tech companies.

A lifelong rap fan, he amplifies business lessons with lyrics from his favorite songs and is candid about everything, from firing friends to poaching competitors.

2.MISS JESSIE'S: CREATING A SUCCESSFUL BUSINESS FROM SCRATCH, NATURALLY

By: Miko Branch
Hair stylists and curly hair experts, Miko Branch and late sister Titi, became pioneers of the natural hair movement by creating their own product line. Branch offers practical truth-telling, in addition to providing helpful business tips.

This is an invaluable book of instruction for aspiring entrepreneurs. When it comes to building a multimillion-dollar business from scratch with little money at the start, Miss Jessie's: Creating a Business From Scratch, NaturallyÂ not

only showsÂ that it can be done, but also discloses what it takes to get it done.

3.THE POWER OF BROKE:HOW EMPTY POCKETS, A TIGHT BUDGET, AND A HUNGER FOR SUCCESS CAN BECOME YOUR GREATEST COMPETITIVE ADVANTAGE

By: Daymond John
This book teaches aspiring entrepreneurs how to take their biggest weaknesses and turn them into their greatest strengths. The Shark Tank investor and FUBU streetwear founder believes that starting a business from broke forces entrepreneurs to think more creatively, use resources more efficiently, connect with customers more authentically, and market ideas more imaginatively.

John shows how starting a business with limited resources forces you to be true to yourself and stay laser-focused on your goals.

4.THE ENTREPRENEUR MIND: 100 ESSENTIAL BELIEFS, CHARACTERISTICS, AND HABITS OF ELITE ENTREPRENEURS

By: Kevin D. Johnson
Johnson identifies key les-

sons entrepreneurs must learn in seven areas: strategy, education, people, finance, marketing and sales, leadership, and motivation.

For each of the 100 lessons, he walks through the thinking of successful entrepreneurs, using examples from his own experience.

The Entrepreneur Mind suggests thinking differently, so those possessing this mindset willÂ look at major setbacks as opportunities; lessons to be learned on the way to ultimate success.

5.REWORK

Boss Baby

(continued from page 3)

with my employees about my work style and why it is essential for us to understand our expectations of each other. Here are the highlights from that conversation:

I Won't Apologize For Having A Short Attention Span

I am here to support and guide you, but I won't listen to boring ideas. More than ever, sales leaders have to be creative and innovative, so forgive me if I don't listen when you tell me about planning the same event that every other competitor is planning.

Embrace Technology (And Change)

Technology gets a bad reputation sometimes, but when used appropriately it can make sales leaders more efficient. However, don't get used to that same old customer relationship management (CRM) software. I will change technology at the drop of a hat if it helps us achieve better results.



A)CHILDREN WHO LEARN TO READ AND LOVE BOOKS ARE QUICK LEARNERS.

B) CHILDREN WHO ARE READ TO BY THEIR PARENTS GROW UP LOVING BOOKS.

C) BOOKS OPEN DOORS TO ADVENTURE AND TRAVEL AND COMPASSION AND KNOWLEDGE.

SUMMER IS HERE! A PERFECT TIME TO READ COME GET A FREE BOOK.

TO READ TO YOUR CHILD OR LET YOUR CHILD READ TO YOU.

READING IS FUN, READING IS FUNDAMENTAL,

EARLY READERS DO BETTER IN PRE-K

COME GET YOUR FREE BOOK."

ONE BOOK PER CHILD...ONE BOOK, PER CHILD, PER PARENT. YOU MUST SIGN IN, AND YOU MUST PLEDGE TO READ THE BOOK.

*A special family gave 300 books to children who want to read this summer. The 300 books are for parents or children who want to read, this summer. Only one book per child! That book becomes yours to read, read again and then share with a friend.

ONCE YOU CAN READ THE BOOK TO US, WE WILL GIVE ANOTHER BOOK. READ, READ, AND READ AGAIN.

Drop by the MCJ Office...3612 N. King Dr. Sign in: Name, address and age of the child.. Sign the thank you board...so we can thank our family for their kindness. Most of the books are early childhood education books but there are also books for older ages. SO READ, READ, READ...

SUMMER READ

a Project of

2018 THE YEAR OF THE CHILD.

Empowering our children through reading, counting, identifying shapes, coloring, and sharing with parents, siblings, and friends. Thank you Milwaukee. We shall have over 1300 books available over the summer. If your church or club would like to have books, write us, sign up and we shall make every effort to distribute the books so they benefit the children!

"2018: THE YEAR OF THE CHILD: A GAME CHANGER"



SUNDAY, AUGUST 5, 2018

ITALIAN COMMUNITY CENTER 631 E. CHICAGO STREET MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN

Featuring:



MISTRESS OF CEREMONIES
Shannon Sims
ANCHOR AT TODAY'S TMJ4

"THE OCCASION" SPEAKER:
Tonya Evans

MOTIVATOR, FACILITATOR, FIRST LADY OF THE
GREATER MOUNT EAGLE BAPTIST CHURCH, RACINE, WI



Special Awards: Reuben & Mildred Harpole, Joanne Williams and Congresswoman Gwen Moore

Partners: Betty Brinn Museum, Hippy USA-Milwaukee,
Milwaukee Health Services, Inc., The Pattillo Family and L. Waters & Associates
POWER PACKED AFTERNOON WITH MUSIC BY CHRISTOPHER'S PROJECT

TICKETS: \$90 EACH

Tables of Eight (8) Reserved Tables by Request
payable to Milwaukee Community Journal, Inc.

3612 NORTH DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING DRIVE MILWAUKEE, WI 53212 414-263-5325

www.milwaukeecommunityjournal.com

www.drntscholarship.org

PROCEEDS BENEFIT THE DR. TERENCE N. THOMAS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND, INC.

Honorees

TOSHIBA ADAMS
DR. NAJWA BEIT SHAWISH, MD
DALVERY BLACKWELL
TONNIE BOSTON
DANAE DAVIS
OLIVIA EL-AMIN
REV. JOY L. GALLMON
TIM GROVE
BABETTE HONORE
TONYA JOHNSON

PAULA KIELY
SIS. EDNA LONERGAN
MONTE MABRA
CAMILLE MAYS
BELINDA PITTMAN MCGEE
DR. SHENELL MILLER-BURNS, MD
SYNOVIA MOSS
WANDA MONTGOMERY
GARY MUELLER
DR. JANICE PUGH

KISHA SHANKS
DR. TONDELENIA SHAW
ANGELA SMITH
ANTHONY D. SMITH
DR. ANNETTE STOKES, MD
MOTHER ERMA TODD
JENNIFER WASHINGTON-MCMURRAY
DOROTHY WALKER
CARRIE WALL
ANGIE WILKS-TATE

SPONSORED BY:



PARTNERS:



READ ANYWHERE

The Legals

& The Classifieds

**SUMMONS
(PUBLICATION)
STATE OF WISCONSIN
CIRCUIT COURT
MILWAUKEE COUNTY
NOTICE AND ORDER FOR
NAME CHANGE HEARING
Case No. 18CV005455**

In the matter of the name change of:
BRANTLEY JORDAN AMSLER
By (Petitioner) JILLIAN R. AMSLER
and By (Co-Petitioner) TROY L. DE-
BOIS

NOTICE IS GIVEN:
A petition was filed asking to change
the name of the person listed above:
From BRANTLEY JORDAN AMSLER
To: BRANTLEY JORDAN DEBOIS
Birth Certificate: BRANTLEY JOR-
DAN AMSLER
IT IS ORDERED:

This petition will be heard in the Circuit
Court of Milwaukee County, State of
Wisconsin.
Judge's Name: HON. ELLEN
BROSTROM
ROOM 413 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street,
Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE:
AUGUST 8, 2018 TIME: 3:00 PM

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:
Notice of this hearing shall be given by
publication as a Class 3 notice for
three (3) weeks in a row prior to the
date of the hearing in the Milwaukee
Community Journal, a newspaper
published in Milwaukee County, State
of Wisconsin.
Dated: 6-28-18
BY THE COURT:
HON. ELLEN BROSTROM
Circuit Court Judge
018-169/6-29/7-6-13-2018

**STATE OF WISCONSIN
CIRCUIT COURT
MILWAUKEE COUNTY
PROPOSED
MARITAL SETTLEMENT
WITHOUT MINOR CHILDREN
LEGAL SEPARATION-40201
Case No. 17FA5382**

In Re: The Marriage of
PETITIONER/JOINT PETITIONER A
DENISE INEZ THOMPSON
and
RESPONDENT/JOINT PETITIONER
B
ROLONDO LARON THOMPSON

I REQUEST THAT THE COURT
GRANT THE FOLLOWING:
A. MARITAL RELATIONSHIP
2. Legal Separation. This marriage is
broken. I am requesting a legal sepa-
ration and not a divorce.
1. Petitioner/Joint Petitioner A
a. gives up right to receive main-
tenance and understands that by giving
up maintenance at this time, may
never ask for maintenance.
2. Respondent/Joint Petitioner B
a. give up right to receive and under-
stands that by giving up maintenance
at this time, may never ask for main-
tenance.
3. a. no payments are ordered.
C. PERSONAL PROPERTY DIVI-
SION
1. Division. I propose the final per-
sonal property division as indicated

below:
List the property and check who will
have permanent use of the property
once the divorce/legal separation is
final.
Who will have possession?
A = Petitioner/Joint Petitioner A
B = Petitioner/Joint Petitioner B

Petitioner A agrees to give Petitioner
B all his clothing. All other personal
property is awarded to Petitioner A
HOUSEHOLD ITEMS
Bags of Party B's clothing in Party A's
attic: B
All other items in Party A's possession
will stay in her possession: A
All other items in Party B's possession
will stay in his possession: B

All PENSION, BANK ACCOUNTS
(Checking and Savings), STOCKS,
BONDS stay with Petitioner A

Other personal property

Exchange. The following items still
need to be exchanged between the
parties:
B. List of Items: Party B's Clothing.

The exchange of personal property
shall be made by July 15, 2018 ac-
cording to the following arrangements:
D. DIVISION OF REAL ESTATE
2. One or both parties own real estate
at this time.
a. Primary Residence: The parties
own a property residence
b. City: Milwaukee, State: WI
Attached is a legal description of this
property.
1) This primary residence shall be
awarded to the
A. Petitioner/Joint Petitioner A
E. DEBTS AND LIABILITIES
The following is a listing of ALL the
debts and liabilities that are owed
(both individually and as a couple) and
who I propose shall be responsible for
the payment of each debt.
Payment for: Mortgage
Payment to (Creditor)
Paid by: Petitioner/Joint Petitioner A

Payment for: Car 1
Payment to (Creditor)
Paid by: Petitioner/Joint Petitioner A

Payment for: Credit Card 1
Payment to (Creditor)

Payment for: Credit Card 2
Payment to (Creditor)

The parties understand:
• Each party assigned a debt shall be
fully responsible for that obligation and
shall not make any demands upon the
other party concerning that debt.
• Any debt not listed shall be the re-
sponsibility of the party who incurred
the debt.
• Creditors are NOT bound by this pro-
posal and both parties remain liable to
creditors for all marital debts.
• Any party who suffers a loss because
of a failure of the other party to pay an
assigned debt may enforce that obli-
gation by a motion or an order to show
cause for contempt of court.
F. EQUALIZATION OF MARITAL
PROPERTY DIVISION

1. No payment is required to be made
to equalize the marital property divi-
sion because
a. the property and debt division are
equalized to the satisfaction of the
parties.
G. TAXES
1. Year of Legal Separation.
• The parties shall file their income tax
returns for the year of the divorce/legal
separation consistent with the rules of
the IRS, Wisconsin Department of
Revenue, and Wisconsin's Marital
Property law.
• The parties understand that their
marital status on the last day of the
year determines their filing status for
that year, whether married or single.
• The parties acknowledge that each
are responsible for seeking tax advice
from a tax professional with regard to
issues of this divorce/legal separation.
• Maintenance is deductible by the
payer and taxable to the payee.
2. Years Before Divorce/Legal Sepa-
ration
a. Tax returns for all previous years
were filed.
H. LEGAL NAME RESTORATION
I propose that
1. neither party have the right to use a
former legal surname.
Note: If this is an action of legal sepa-
ration, the court cannot allow either
party to resume a former legal sur-
name unless and until the judgment is
converted to a divorce.
I. OTHER PROPOSALS
I understand that any oral agreements
are not enforceable by the court.
1. have no other proposals, written or
oral, concerning this marriage.
J. UNDERSTANDINGS
I understand:
• I could get an attorney to review this
proposal.
• This form was provided as a conven-
ience and may NOT cover all issues.
• This proposal may have tax conse-
quences and that seeking tax advice
is suggested.
• I have fully disclosed my income,
debts, assets and liabilities to each
other.
• Any court order regarding the divi-
sion of property is final as the date of
the final hearing and can never be
changed.
• There are certain legal presumptions
under Wisconsin law, such a marital
property should be divided 50/50.
K. VOLUNTARY EXECUTION/NA-
TURE OF PROPOSAL
I assume responsibility that there may
be substantial legal and tax implica-
tions with regard to this proposal. I un-
derstand that lack of knowledge of the
law may not be sufficient to convince
the court that relief from these provi-
sions is required. I acknowledge that I
have the right to seek the advice of my
own personal attorney.
L. GENERAL RELEASE
The parties are released from any
claim of any nature that may exist.
Neither party may, at any time, sue the
other, personal representatives, and
assigns, for the purpose of enforcing
any nor all of the rights relinquished
and/or waived under this proposal. In
the event any suit shall be com-
menced, this release, when pleaded,
shall constitute a complete defense to

any such claim or suit so instituted by
the other party. I understand that this
general release shall not become ef-
fective until this Proposed Marital Set-
tlement is approved by the court.
M. FULL DISCLOSURE AND RE-
LIANCE
I warrant that I have provided an ac-
curate, complete, and current disclo-
sure of all income, assets, debts, and
liabilities. I understand that deliberate
failure to provide complete disclosure
constitutes perjury under §767.127,
Wis. Stats., and a fraud upon the
court. The property referred to in this
proposal represents all the property in
which either party has any interest.
This proposal is based on my financial
disclosure statement.
N. RESTRAINING ORDER
Neither party may interfere with the
personal liberty of the other, or to go
on the premises occupied by the other
as a residence except with permission
of that party.
O. EXECUTION OF DOCUMENTS
Now, or in the future, on demand, the
parties shall execute and deliver any
and all documents that may be neces-
sary to carry out the terms and condi-
tions of this proposal.
P. DIVESTING OF PROPERTY
RIGHTS
The parties give up all rights to the
property awarded to the other, except
as otherwise provided for in this pro-
posal.
Q. SURVIVAL OF PROPOSAL
AFTER JUDGMENT
The provisions of this proposal shall
survive any subsequent judgment of
divorce and shall have independent
legal significance. This proposal is a
legally binding contract, entered into
for good and valuable consideration.
It is contemplated that in the future ei-
ther party may enforce this proposal in
this or any other court of competent ju-
risdiction.
R. JURISDICTION
This county shall have jurisdiction for
all disputes unless otherwise agreed
to in writing or as provided under Wis-
consin Statutes.
S. APPROVAL OF COURT RE-
QUIRED
I submit this proposal to the court for
approval and request the court to in-
corporate its terms in the final judg-
ment. Once approved by the court, I
understand that either of us may en-
force this proposal in this or any other
court of competent jurisdiction.
T. WAIVER OF APPEARANCE
The court may proceed with the final
hearing without further notice, and
consent to judgment being entered on
the petition, pursuant to the terms of
this Proposed Marital Settlement even
if the respondent or one of the joint pe-
titioners does not appear.
DENISE THOMPSON
Petitioner/Joint Petitioner A
Date: 2-12-18
018-168/6-22-29/7-6-2018

**SUMMONS
(PUBLICATION)
STATE OF WISCONSIN
CIRCUIT COURT
MILWAUKEE COUNTY
NOTICE AND ORDER FOR
NAME CHANGE HEARING**

Case No. 18CV005209

In the matter of the name change of:
JESNIEL SAMUEL ACEVEDO CA-
MACHO
By (Petitioner) JESSIVETT CAMA-
CHO and By (Co-Petitioner)
MICHAEL PEREZ
NOTICE IS GIVEN:
A petition was filed asking to change
the name of the person listed above:
From JESNIEL SAMUEL ACEVEDO
CAMACHO To: JESNIEL SAMUEL
PEREZ CAMACHO
Birth Certificate: JESNIEL SAMUEL
ACEVEDO CAMACHO
IT IS ORDERED:
This petition will be heard in the Circuit
Court of Milwaukee County, State of
Wisconsin.
Judge's Name: HON. ELLEN
BROSTROM
ROOM 413 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street,
Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE:
JULY 24, 2018 TIME: 9:00 AM

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:
Notice of this hearing shall be given by
publication as a Class 3 notice for
three (3) weeks in a row prior to the
date of the hearing in the Milwaukee
Community Journal, a newspaper
published in Milwaukee County, State
of Wisconsin.
Dated: 6-20-18
BY THE COURT:
HON. ELLEN BROSTROM
Circuit Court Judge
018-167/6-29/7-6-13-2018

**SUMMONS
(PUBLICATION)
STATE OF WISCONSIN
CIRCUIT COURT
MILWAUKEE COUNTY
NOTICE AND ORDER FOR
NAME CHANGE HEARING
Case No. 18CV005329**

In the matter of the name change of:
CODY LEE HAPKA
By (Petitioner) CODY LEE HAPKA
NOTICE IS GIVEN:
A petition was filed asking to change
the name of the person listed above:
From CODY LEE HAPKA To: CODY
LEE HAPSON
Birth Certificate: CODY LEE HAPKA
IT IS ORDERED:
This petition will be heard in the Circuit
Court of Milwaukee County, State of
Wisconsin.
Judge's Name: HON. TIMOTHY
WITKOWIAK
ROOM 415 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street,
Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE:
AUGUST 6, 2018 TIME: 9:30 AM

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:
Notice of this hearing shall be given by
publication as a Class 3 notice for
three (3) weeks in a row prior to the
date of the hearing in the Milwaukee
Community Journal, a newspaper
published in Milwaukee County, State
of Wisconsin.
Dated: 6-25-18
BY THE COURT:
HON. TIMOTHY WITKOWIAK
Circuit Court Judge
018-166/6-29/7-6-13-2018

**SUMMONS
(PUBLICATION)
STATE OF WISCONSIN
CIRCUIT COURT
MILWAUKEE COUNTY
DIVORCE-40101
Case No. 18FA002931**

In Re: The marriage of Petitioner: NICOLE ANNMARIE ALSWAGER and Respondent: RICHARD LLOYD ALSWAGER

THE STATE OF WISCONSIN, TO THE PERSON NAMED ABOVE AS RESPONDENT:

You are notified that the petitioner named above has filed a Petition for divorce or legal separation against you.

You must respond with a written demand for a copy of the Petition within 40 days from the day after the first date of publication.

The demand must be sent or delivered to the court at:

Clerk of Court, Milwaukee County Courthouse, 901 N. 9th St., Room 104, Milwaukee WI 53233 and to NICOLE ALSWAGER 3716 S 86TH ST MILWAUKEE, WI 53228

It is recommended, but not required, that you have an attorney help or represent you.

If you do not demand a copy of the Petition within 40 days, the court may grant judgment against you for the award of money or other legal action requested in the Petition, and you may lose your right to object to anything that is or may be incorrect in the Petition.

A judgment may be enforced as provided by law. A judgment awarding money may become a lien against any real estate you own now or in the future, and may also be enforced by garnishment or seizure of property.

You are further notified that if the parties to this action have minor children, violation of §948.31, Wis. Stats., (Interference with custody by parent or others) is punishable by fines and/or imprisonment:

If you and the petitioner have minor children, documents setting forth the percentage standard for child support established by the department under §49.22(9), Wis. Stats., and the factors that a court may consider for modification of that standard under §767.511(1m), Wis. Stats., are available upon your request from the Clerk of Court.

You are notified of the availability of information from the Circuit Court Commissioner as set forth in §767.105, Wis. Stats.

§767.105, Information from Circuit Court Commissioner.

(2) Upon the request of a party to an action affecting the family, including a revision of judgment or order under sec. 767.59 or 767.451:

(a) The Circuit Court Commissioner shall, with or without charge, provide the party with written information on the following, as appropriate to the action commenced:

1. The procedure for obtaining a judgment or order in the action.
2. The major issues usually addressed in such an action.
3. Community resources and family court counseling services available to assist the parties.
4. The procedure for setting, modifying, and enforcing child support awards, or modifying and enforcing legal custody or physical placement judgments or orders.

(b) The Circuit Court Commissioner shall provide a party, for inspection or purchase, with a copy of the statutory provisions in this chapter generally pertinent to the action.

If you require reasonable accommodations due to a disability to participate in the court process, please call at least 10 working days prior to the scheduled court date. Please note that the court does not provide transportation.

DATE: 6-26-2018
By: NICOLE ALSWAGER
018-165/6-29/7-6-13-2018

**SUMMONS
(PUBLICATION)
STATE OF WISCONSIN
CIRCUIT COURT
MILWAUKEE COUNTY
NOTICE AND ORDER FOR
NAME CHANGE HEARING
Case No. 18CV005282**

In the matter of the name change of: NICKOLAS ANDREW HOREJS
By (Petitioner) NICKOLAS ANDREW HOREJS

NOTICE IS GIVEN:
A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above:
From NICKOLAS ANDREW HOREJS To: NICKOLAS ANDREW HOREJS FIELD
Birth Certificate: NICKOLAS ANDREW HOREJS
IT IS ORDERED:

This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.
Judge's Name: HON. MARY E. TRIGGIANO
ROOM 413 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE: JULY 24, 2018 TIME: 1:30 PM

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:
Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.
Dated: 6-22-18
BY THE COURT:
HON. MARY E. TRIGGIANO
Circuit Court Judge
018-164/6-29/7-6-13-2018

**SUMMONS
(PUBLICATION)
STATE OF WISCONSIN
CIRCUIT COURT
MILWAUKEE COUNTY
DIVORCE-40101
Case No. 18FA000954**

In Re: The marriage of Petitioner: BRITTNEY DAWNYETTA EVANS-JONES and Respondent: TAVARES JONES

THE STATE OF WISCONSIN, TO THE PERSON NAMED ABOVE AS RESPONDENT:

You are notified that the petitioner named above has filed a Petition for divorce or legal separation against you.

You must respond with a written demand for a copy of the Petition within 40 days from the day after the first date of publication.

The demand must be sent or delivered to the court at:

Clerk of Court, Milwaukee County Courthouse, 901 N. 9th St., Room 104, Milwaukee WI 53233 and to BRITTNEY EVANS JONES 5141 N 27TH APT 3 MILWAUKEE, WI 53209

It is recommended, but not required, that you have an attorney help or represent you.

If you do not demand a copy of the Petition within 40 days, the court may grant judgment against you for the award of money or other legal action requested in the Petition, and you may lose your right to object to anything that is or may be incorrect in the Petition.

A judgment may be enforced as provided by law. A judgment awarding money may become a lien against any real estate you own now or in the future, and may also be enforced by garnishment or seizure of property.

You are further notified that if the parties to this action have minor children, violation of §948.31, Wis. Stats., (Interference with custody by parent or others) is punishable by fines and/or imprisonment:

If you and the petitioner have minor children, documents setting forth the percentage standard for child support established by the department under §49.22(9), Wis. Stats., and the factors that a court may consider for modification of that standard under §767.511(1m), Wis. Stats., are available upon your request from the Clerk of Court.
You are notified of the availability of information from the Circuit Court Commissioner as set forth in §767.105, Wis. Stats.

§767.105, Information from Circuit Court Commissioner.

- (2) Upon the request of a party to an action affecting the family, including a revision of judgment or order under sec. 767.59 or 767.451:
- (a) The Circuit Court Commissioner shall, with or without charge, provide the party with written information on the following, as appropriate to the action commenced:
1. The procedure for obtaining a judgment or order in the action.
 2. The major issues usually addressed in such an action.
 3. Community resources and family court counseling services available to assist the parties.
 4. The procedure for setting, modifying, and enforcing child support awards, or modifying and enforcing legal custody or physical placement judgments or orders.
- (b) The Circuit Court Commissioner shall provide a party, for inspection or purchase, with a copy of the statutory provisions in this chapter generally pertinent to the action.

If you require reasonable accommodations due to a disability to participate in the court process, please call 278-5362 at least 10 working days prior to the scheduled court date. Please note that the court does not provide transportation.

DATE: 6-6-2018
By: BRITTNEY D. EVANS JONES
018-163/6-22-29/7-6-2018

**SUMMONS
(PUBLICATION)
STATE OF WISCONSIN
CIRCUIT COURT
MILWAUKEE COUNTY
NOTICE AND ORDER FOR
NAME CHANGE HEARING
Case No. 18CV005097**

In the matter of the name change of: FELICIA ANNETTE PAGE

By (Petitioner) FELICIA ANNETTE PAGE

NOTICE IS GIVEN:
A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above:
From FELICIA ANNETTE PAGE To: HADARAH BETHEL ISRAEL
Birth Certificate: FELICIA ANNETTE PAGE
IT IS ORDERED:

This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Judge's Name: HON. STEPHANIE G. ROTHSTEIN
ROOM 404 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE: JULY 20, 2018 TIME: 10:00 AM

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:
Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.
Dated: 6-15-18
BY THE COURT:
HON. STEPHANIE G. ROTHSTEIN
Circuit Court Judge
018-162/6-15-22-29-2018

**SUMMONS
(PUBLICATION)
STATE OF WISCONSIN
CIRCUIT COURT
MILWAUKEE COUNTY
NOTICE AND ORDER FOR
NAME CHANGE HEARING
Case No. 18CV004843**

In the matter of the name change of: ZANE PAXTON HARRIS

By (Petitioner) ZANE PAXTON HARRIS
NOTICE IS GIVEN:
A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above:
From: ZANE PAXTON HARRIS To: IRENE DROSELA CARDINAL
Birth Certificate: ZANE PAXTON HARRIS
IT IS ORDERED:
This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.
Judge's Name: HON. TIMOTHY WITKOWIAK
ROOM 415 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE: JULY 25, 2018 TIME: 8:45 AM

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:
Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.
Dated: 6-7-18
BY THE COURT:
HON. TIMOTHY WITKOWIAK
Circuit Court Judge
018-161/6-15-22-29-2018

**SUMMONS
(PUBLICATION)
STATE OF WISCONSIN
CIRCUIT COURT
MILWAUKEE COUNTY
NOTICE AND ORDER FOR
NAME CHANGE HEARING
Case No. 18CV005070**

In the matter of the name change of: KIARA ANA NUNEZ

By (Petitioner) KIARA ANA NUNEZ

NOTICE IS GIVEN:
A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above:
From: KIARA ANA NUNEZ To: KIARA ANA AVILA
Birth Certificate: KIARA ANA NUNEZ
IT IS ORDERED:

This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Judge's Name: HON. ELLEN BROSTROM
ROOM 413 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE: JULY 19, 2018 TIME: 2:30 PM

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:
Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.
Dated: 6-14-18
BY THE COURT:
HON. ELLEN BROSTROM
Circuit Court Judge
018-160/6-15-22-29-2018

**SUMMONS
(PUBLICATION)
STATE OF WISCONSIN
CIRCUIT COURT
MILWAUKEE COUNTY
NOTICE AND ORDER FOR
NAME CHANGE HEARING
Case No. 18CV005047**

In the matter of the name change of: MATRINNA SHERRELL WOODS

By (Petitioner) MATRINNA SHERRELL WOODS

NOTICE IS GIVEN:
A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above:
From MATRINA SHERRELL WOOD To: MATRINNA SHERRELL WOODS
Birth Certificate: MATRINA SHERRELL WOOD
IT IS ORDERED:

This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Judge's Name: HON. CLARE L. FIORENZA
ROOM 500 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE: AUGUST 17, 2018 TIME: 8:30 AM

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:
Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.
Dated: 6-7-18
BY THE COURT:
HON. CLARE L. FIORENZA
Circuit Court Judge
018-159/6-15-22-29-2018

**SUMMONS
(PUBLICATION)
STATE OF WISCONSIN
CIRCUIT COURT
MILWAUKEE COUNTY
NOTICE AND ORDER FOR
NAME CHANGE HEARING
Case No. 18CV004949**

In the matter of the name change of: KEYAIRA RUSHAY BUFORD MERCHANT

By (Petitioner) KEYARIA RUSHAY BUFORD MERCHANT

NOTICE IS GIVEN:
A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above:
From: KEYAIRA RUSHAY BUFORD MERCHANT To: KEYAIRA RUSHAY McCRANEY
Birth Certificate: KEYAIRA RUSHAY BUFORD MERCHANT
IT IS ORDERED:

This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.
Judge's Name: HON. TIMOTHY WITKOWIAK
ROOM 415 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE: JULY 23, 2018 TIME: 10:45 AM

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:
Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.
Dated: 6-7-18
BY THE COURT:
HON. TIMOTHY WITKOWIAK
Circuit Court Judge
018-158/6-15-22-29-2018

**SUMMONS
(PUBLICATION)
STATE OF WISCONSIN
CIRCUIT COURT
MILWAUKEE COUNTY
NOTICE AND ORDER FOR
NAME CHANGE HEARING
Case No. 18CV004850**

In the matter of the name change of: JASMINE MARIE RIVERA

By (Petitioner) ROSE MARIE TAPIA and By (Co-Petitioner) JASMINE MARIE RIVERA


NOTICE IS GIVEN:
A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above:
From: JASMINE MARIE RIVERA To: JAYSON PRINCE RIVERA
Birth Certificate: JASMINE MARIE RIVERA
IT IS ORDERED:

This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.


Judge's Name: HON. DAVID L. BOROWSKI
ROOM 206 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE: JULY 11, 2018 TIME: 2:30 PM

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:
Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Dated: 6-7-18
BY THE COURT:
HON. DAVID L. BOROWSKI
Circuit Court Judge
018-157/6-15-22-29-2018

**Classifieds**

The Legals/Classifieds/Public Notices

**Public Notice**

Visit our website
MCJHealthy
start.com

TO PLACE
A
CLASSIFIED
AD
CALL
414-265-5300

Visit our website at
www.milwaukee
community
journal.com
for all the latest news

NOTICE

Milwaukee Public Schools is requesting quotations for Pool Chemicals Materials and Delivery, Only. Material specifications, quotation requirements and guidelines may be obtained 7:30 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. Monday through Friday from A/E Graphics, Inc.; 4075 North 124th Street, Brookfield, WI 53005; phone (262) 781-7744; fax (262) 781-4250. Call A/E Graphics, Inc. for availability of proposal documents. Documents may also be viewed online at A/E Graphics, Inc. @ www.aegraphics.com.

The HUB and Coin requirements for this contract are 0%

The minimum Student Participation requirements for this contract are:

Paid Employment: 100 Hours

Educational Activities: 10 Hours

All questions should be submitted in writing to the facilities and Maintenance Services DFMSPProcurement@mjlwaukeeek12.wi.us or fax number (414) 283-4682. No questions will be answered verbally. No verbal information from any source is to be relied upon by any respondent in the development of their response to the request for quotation. Only questions submitted in writing prior to 4:00 PM on Thursday, July 05, 2018 will be answered. No questions will be answered after that date and time. These responses will be documented by way of addenda, which will be forwarded to all bidders.

Submit all quotations no later than 1:30 PM on Thursday, July 12, 2018 to Mr. Mark Bethel, Project Specialist of Design and Construction, Facilities and Maintenance Services, 1124 North 11th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53233.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids or to waive informalities.

Keith P. Posley, Ed.D.
Interim Superintendent of Schools

11574566/6-22-28/7-5

PUBLISHER'S STATEMENT

**THE MILWAUKEE COMMUNITY JOURNAL TO PUBLISH
LEGAL NOTICES IN MILWAUKEE COUNTY**

The Milwaukee Community Journal, Inc. has expanded its services to the greater Milwaukee community with the publishing of legal notices in the Weekend Edition. As a qualified provider of the publication of legal notices, MCJ will serve city, county and state offices for publishing community notifications. Such notifications include:

- Public Hearings
- Public meetings
- Election notices
- Divorce proceedings
- Name changes
- Publication of Summons when personal services cannot be made to defendants
- Notice of auction of unclaimed storage or property
- Probate Notices
- Foreclosure Sheriff's sale notice of creditor listing of property for sale
- Other general legal and public notices

About Milwaukee Community Journal (MCJ) WEEKEND EDITION

The Milwaukee Community Journal Weekend Edition is published weekly. Each week, MCJ Weekend focuses on different subjects, HEALTH, PERSONAL, FINANCE, FAMILY, MEN AND WOMEN. Our Weekend Edition now includes the publishing of records designated by the Milwaukee County Circuit Court for publication of legal notices, with added value in the Wednesday edition. The Weekend Edition is a public newspaper of general circulation that complies with the laws of Wisconsin relating to publication of legal notices. MCJ Weekend Edition has published weekly over ten years, in the state of Wisconsin and Milwaukee County. We have a paid circulation of approximately 89% of our circulation, weekly. And our actual paid subscribers is over the 1000 required by State Statute.

About the Milwaukee Community Journal (MCJ)

The Milwaukee Community Journal (MCJ) is a quality news organization published throughout Milwaukee and the surrounding suburbs. Established in 1976, the Milwaukee Community Journal has advanced the plight, struggles and victories of minorities in Wisconsin, with a passion for building community. The MCJ accentuates the positive, analyzes the negatives and advocates to seed success. The Milwaukee Community Journal's stockholders are Patricia O'Flynn Pattillo (95%) and Mikel Holt (5%) respectively; and is current in filing by the State of Wisconsin, effective 9/2016.

OPEN LETTER TO OUR READERS

Milwaukee Community Journal is an actual brick and mortar building, not just an online entity. I was downstairs reviewing our equipment in the storage office and it's like visiting a museum. Old relics, equipment, computers, software and past editions illuminate 41 years journaling the history of change.

Since our origin in 76, we've moved with our audience. Today our readers are predominantly millennials, 18-40 years of age, shakers and movers, the buyers! They are buying homes, cars, raising families. They are eating “fresh,” active in politics, exercising and partying.

Our readers find us in print, with our twice-weekly editions in tenured retail outlets, churches and selective distribution spots. But they also read us online at milwaukeecommunityjournal.com We, re in this to win this! We're dynamic....crisp clear....interactive...and to be honest - exploding with information that you want to read!

We're perfect for new and established advertisers! We want more local interaction and community written articles. We want to offer more millennial access to a proven community source.

This is who we are, but one thing is still deep on our hearts, and that is you've got to join our team.

You're the community part of the Milwaukee community journal. Let's build together!-- Speech Thomas, The Milwaukee Community Journal, Wisconsin's Largest African-American Newspaper.

INSIDE: Is it time for a changing of the guard in Congress?

VOL. XLI Number 35 March 21, 2018 www.milwaukeecommunityjournal.com 25 Cents

BLACK RATE
U.S. POSTAGE PAID
MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN
PERMIT NO. 668



MILWAUKEE

COMMUNITY JOURNAL

WISCONSIN'S LARGEST AFRICAN AMERICAN NEWSPAPER

PULSE OF THE COMMUNITY

Photos and question by Yvonne Kemp

QUESTION OF THE WEEK:

"How important are Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCU's) to Black education?"

"HBCU's serve as a direct connection for education and serves as a conduit for the Black community."

"HBCU's equal the bedrock of the Black professional class in the U.S."

"HBCU's are important for (the sake of) tradition. I haven an HBCU grand-daughter enrolled in Louisiana. (It's about) pride and exposure."

"On a scale of 1 to 10, they rank a 10 in importance. Being in that environment, on the campuses, and understanding the impact of history is paramount to our future."



WILLIAM J. MCINTOSH III



BILL BECKETT



LAZONNIE BELTON



TAMMY BELTON-DAVIS



"Havin' a Ball!"

Diane Davis (pictured above, center), executive director of Milwaukee Succeeds was this year's honoree at the United Negro College Fund (UNCF) Mayor's Masked Ball, held recently at the Milwaukee Arts Museum. With her are (from left to right): Mayor Tom Barrett, his wife, Kris Barrett; Julietta Henry, UNCF Wisconsin campaign coordinator; Matthew Sell, the husband of WISN news anchor/reporter Melinda Davenport (second from right); and Michael Cox, area development director for UNCF. The ball is an annual fund raiser for the UNCF, and is one of the city's signature fundraising galas, which attracts celebrities, dignitaries, civic leaders, volunteers, public officials, alumni and others who support UNCF's mission of investing in America's future by getting students of color to and through college. (Look for more photos in this week's Weekend Edition)—Photos by Yvonne Kemp



Pete's Market and The Haywood Group win big at the MANDI's

Pete's Fruit Market and The Haywood Group, LLC won the "State Farm Building Blocks Award" recognizes a real estate project that advances the community.

The Milwaukee Awards for Neighborhood Development Innovation (known as the MANDI's) celebrated the "good news" of successful efforts to revitalize neighborhoods and strengthen the community during its annual awards ceremony at the Potawatomi Hotel & Casino recently. The event was emceed by Shannon Sims, Anchor and Reporter for Today's TMJ4. Welcoming remarks were made by City of Milwaukee Mayor Tom Barrett, presenting sponsor Suzanne Zwaska, Vice President, US Bank; Susan Hatch, Hatch Staffing Solutions and Chair of the LISC Milwaukee Advisory Board; and Chuck Vliek, Program Vice President for national LISC. —Photos by Yvonne Kemp



Kalan Haywood, Sr., Real Estate Developer, The Haywood Group, LLC won the MANDI's "Northern Trust Navigator Award" recognizes an individual for leadership and collaboration.

Eric Christopherson, vice president strategic philanthropy/community relations and president of the Northwestern Mutual Foundation with Donsia Strong Hill, executive director LISC Milwaukee.

Black America's "GREEN POWER"!

African American community has the 16th largest GNP in the world!

By Mikel Holt

America's "colored community" has become one of the country's most influential consumer purchasing blocks, sustaining many product lines, and "colorizing" advertising campaigns, several independent reports reveal.

The Black community now represents a \$1.3 trillion consumer market, which makes it the 16th largest (GNP) in the world, ranking higher than Spain.

According to one source, minority consumers purchased a majority of all dry vegetables and grains, and over 40% of all baby food and personal bath products sold in America last year.

The latest U.S. Census Bureau data shows America's brown community will become the majority in America by mid-century and already purchases a disproportionate amount of most major essential products —

(continued on page 9)

Funeral services set for former Milwaukee County Board Chairman and County Executive Lee Holloway

Compiled by MCJ Editorial Staff

A memorial service will be held Friday, March 23 for former Milwaukee County Supervisor Lee Holloway, the first African American chairman in the history of the Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors and county executive. He died recently at age 71.

The service will be held at Wisconsin Memorial Chapel, 13215 W. Capitol Dr. Viewing is scheduled from 9 until 11 a.m. Service will begin at 11 a.m.

A self-described "product of blue-collar, working-class people," the Milwaukee native was first elected to the board in 1992, representing the county's 5th district on the city's northside for 18 years.

He served as board chair from 2004 to 2012. Holloway assumed the county executive position in 2010, after then Milwaukee County Executive Scott Walker was elected governor. One month later, Holloway appointed former Milwaukee Common Council President and interim Mayor Marvin Pratt as interim county executive.

Holloway was instrumental in the creation of a county general assistance medical program—a health safety net—that subsequently was expanded statewide as Badger Care.

A friend of Holloway, Robbie Fulton, believes the former board chair was instrumental in preventing Walker from being able to "suppress and oppress

(continued on page 8)



Lee Holloway



SIGNIFYIN'

By Mikel Kwaku Oshi Holt

Coming full circle: The saga of North Division High

ity and dysfunctionality. It also adds credence to the last line of my favorite poem, "in the end, you'll arrive at the beginning and know it for the first time." From my perspective, the first time

begin after I dropped out of the former North Division High School ill prepared for the world, believing there were only 48 states (we were given pass-me-down history books so old they didn't even mention Hawaii and Alaska as the 49th and 50th states of the union).

I recall a North Division where we shared class rooms with Mickey Mouse and his illegitimate children. I don't recall chemistry labs or pre-college courses, but I do recall teachers who did their best considering the circumstances.

They were our heroes, members of our segregated extended family who taught us how to overcome in spite of it.

But North, like Lincoln (the two "Black high schools") was on an island, which is where the racist school board wanted us.

I say racist without hesitation because the board members had no fear in proclaiming we were second class citizens. Or as the president of the board said, "we were savages," who would urinate in the water fountains if we were allowed to attend "white schools."

Her comments were used in the school desegregation lawsuit, which revealed there was an orchestrated effort to keep North Division a sub-par institution, while denying its students the opportunity to compete.

Thus, as the North facility was falling down around us, MPS was building new schools where Black students would not be able to attend. Professionally, North Division showed up as a blip on my radar again after Federal Judge John Reynolds ruled the school board had maintained a system of "educational apartheid."

(continued on page 5)

FREE MONEY? THE TOP 10 GRANTS AVAILABLE TO BLACK, MINORITY BUSINESS OWNERS

By Carolyn M. Brown, courtesy
of Black Enterprise Magazine

1. The FedEx Small Business Grant Contest is a nationwide competition that will award \$50,000 in total to six deserving U.S.-based entrepreneurs and business owners. Go to

www.businessgrants.org/opportunities/fedex_small_business_grant_contest.html

2. The National Association for the Self Employed (NASE) Growth Grants Program allows business owners to apply for financing a particular small business need. Past recipients used funds to purchase computers, hire part-time help, and create marketing materials. Visit www.businessgrants.org/opportunities/national_association_self_employed_nase_business_grants.html

3. The Dare to Dream Grant Program encourages students to move through the business creation process by offering business development seminars and up to

\$10,000 in funding. Learn more at www.businessgrants.org/opportunities/dare_to_dream_grant_program.html

4. The Miller Lite Tap the Future Business Plan Competition (formerly known as the MillerCoors Urban Entrepreneur Series) is an annual competition for minority business owners sponsored by Miller Lite. Designed to economically empower minority businesses, the program continues to invest in entrepreneurial dreams to empower urban communities. Learn more at MLTaptheFuture.com

RELATED: MBDA Announces Grant to Launch Business Centers

5. The Small Business Administration (SBA) administers several competitive business grant programs, ensuring that the nation's small, high-tech, innovative businesses are a significant part of the federal govern-

ment's research and development efforts. Check out www.businessgrants.org/opportunities/sbir_small_business_research_innovation_grants.html

6. The Minority Business Development Agency (MBDA) organizes various angel investors with the primary objective of supporting minority businesses with mezzanine and second round financing. Learn more at www.businessgrants.org/opportunities/minority_business_development_agency_mbda_business_grants.html

7. The Rural Business Enterprise Grants (RBE) Program provides grants to finance the development of small and emerging businesses in rural areas. The funds can be used for land acquisition, construction, renovation, technical assistance, project planning, and more. Visit www.businessgrants.org/opportunities/rural_business_enterprise_grants_rbeg_program.html

8. The Huggies MomInspired Grant Program awards grants and business resources to moms to further the development of original product ideas and startup businesses. Learn more at www.businessgrants.org/opportunities/huggies_mom_inspired_grant_program.html

9. The DOT Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) program is intended to ensure nondiscrimination in the award and administration of DOT-assisted contracts in the Department's highway, transit, airport, and highway safety financial assistance programs. Learn more at www.businessgrants.org/opportunities/dot_disadvantaged_business_enterprise_program.html

10. The Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) program provides grant funding to small businesses to engage in biomedical or behavioral research/development that leads to a potential for commercialization. Go to www.businessgrants.org/opportunities/sbir_small_business_research_innovation_grants.html

To learn about more 2014 business grant programs, visit www.BusinessGrants.org.

Milwaukee Walk raises over \$250,000 to help provide students with a path to success.

UNCF MILWAUKEE 2018

WALK FOR EDUCATION
WALK / RUN

Save the Date **July 14, 2018**

Veterans Park on the lakefront
7 a.m., Registration • 8:30 a.m., Walk/Certified 5K Run
10:30 a.m., Awards Ceremony

REGISTER ONLINE NOW
UNCF.org/MilwaukeeWalk

@UNCF #LaceUp4UNCF UNCF.ORG

HONORARY CHAIRPERSON
The Honorable Tom Barrett
Mayor, City of Milwaukee

GRAND MARSHALS
Ernest Nicolas
Vice President, Strategic Sourcing and Supply Management, Rockwell Automation

Sheldon Cuffie
Vice President and Chief Information Security Officer, Northwestern Mutual

For more information, call UNCF at 414.372.6700

For questions regarding noise variance, contact the City of Milwaukee at 414.286.3286.

**Buy Now
& Save 30%**

\$9 Adult Admission

MC Lyte • Tony! Toni! Toné! • Bobby Rush

Don't stand in line at the gate! Buy Adult (12 and over) Admission tickets for **ONLY \$9**. Advanced tickets are ONLY available online at **BlackArtsFestmke.com**. Youth and Senior tickets are also available.

Online ticket holders receive FREE admission to Discovery World in August. Visit **BlackArtsFestmke.com** and click on "Tickets" for requirements.

Save Big, Save Now, Buy Tickets Online at BlackArtsFestmke.com!

Saturday, August 4

Henry Maier Festival Park (Summerfest grounds)

Tickets must be purchased on or before Friday, August 3.