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***Dayton Unit NAACP to Host Historic
Televised 69th Annual Freedom Fund Banquet on WHIO-TV
"Living for Justice, Peace and Love!"***

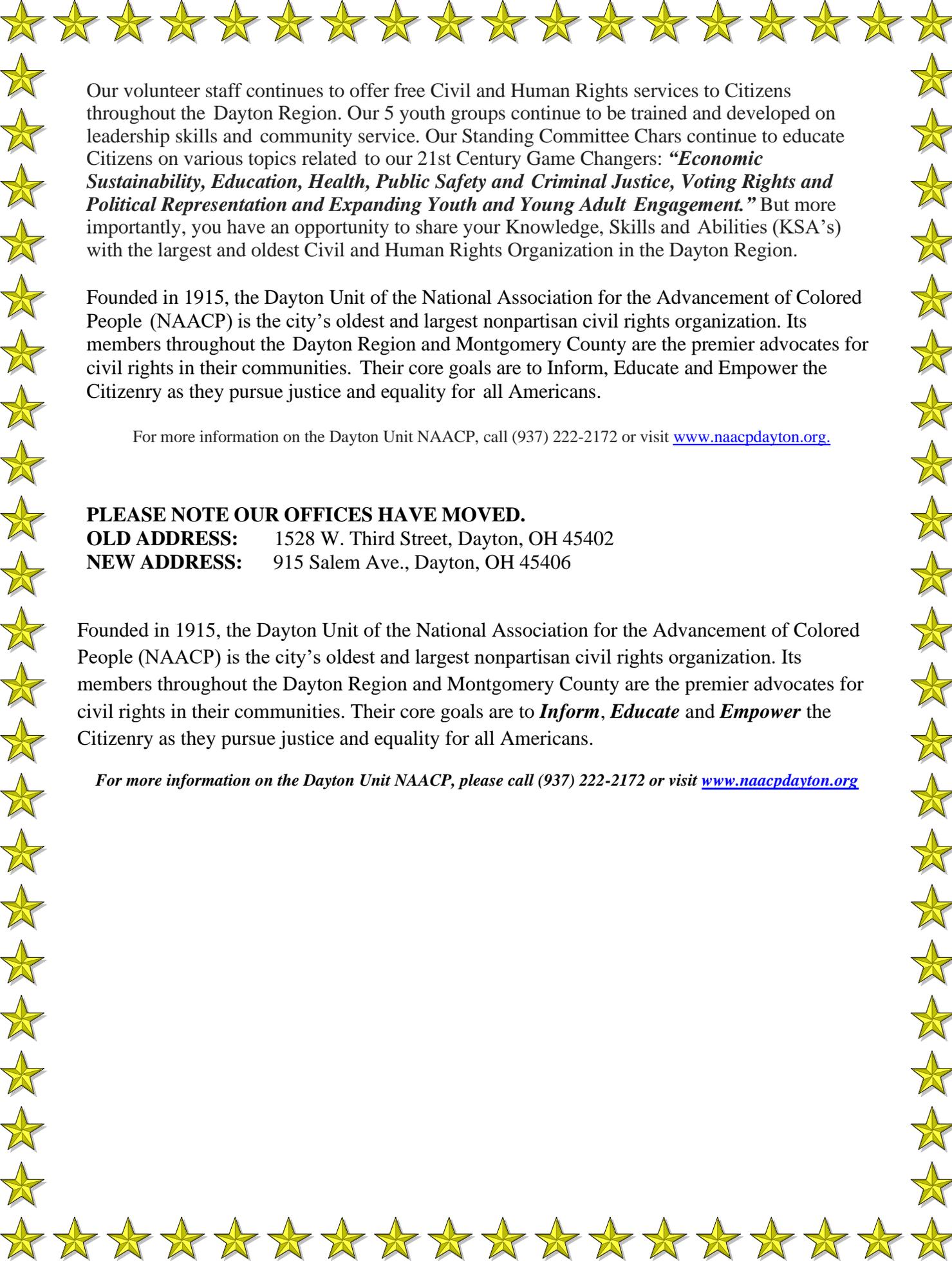
DAYTON, OHIO – OCTOBER 20, 2020 - The Dayton Unit of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) is hosting a historic televised Freedom Fund Banquet event on WHIO-TV Channel 7 on Saturday, October 24, 2020. This year's theme is entitled, ***"Living for Justice, Peace and Love!"*** We are privileged to have the Honorable Roslyn M. Brock, Chairman Emeritus of the NAACP National Board of Directors, as the Keynote Speaker.

Segments of this program will be aired from the Montgomery County Old Court House, the Dayton Art Institute and the CMG Innovation Center.

Each year we are thrilled to have more than 1,200 Americans from various diverse backgrounds attend our banquet and are humbled the Citizens throughout the Dayton Region have chosen to make our event the largest sit-down dinner in Montgomery County, Ohio. Due to the Coronavirus COVID-19 Pandemic, we are unable to fellowship with you in-person this year, however we still need your continued financial support. We hope that you consider supporting at the same sponsorship level as you have done so faithfully in the past.

Our Freedom Fund Banquet is the primary source of raising funds for our Unit, which allows us to provide Civil and Human Rights Services to Citizens in need. May the Lord richly bless you in advance!

We look forward to your generous support as sponsors will be recognized during the program. Please visit the Dayton Unit NAACP Website (naacpdayton.org) for additional information. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact our office at (937) 222-2172.



Our volunteer staff continues to offer free Civil and Human Rights services to Citizens throughout the Dayton Region. Our 5 youth groups continue to be trained and developed on leadership skills and community service. Our Standing Committee Chars continue to educate Citizens on various topics related to our 21st Century Game Changers: ***“Economic Sustainability, Education, Health, Public Safety and Criminal Justice, Voting Rights and Political Representation and Expanding Youth and Young Adult Engagement.”*** But more importantly, you have an opportunity to share your Knowledge, Skills and Abilities (KSA’s) with the largest and oldest Civil and Human Rights Organization in the Dayton Region.

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For more information on the Dayton Unit NAACP, call (937) 222-2172 or visit www.naacpdayton.org.

PLEASE NOTE OUR OFFICES HAVE MOVED.

OLD ADDRESS: 1528 W. Third Street, Dayton, OH 45402

NEW ADDRESS: 915 Salem Ave., Dayton, OH 45406

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