

Black Leaders for Change

Political Action Committee

California possesses immense wealth, yet simultaneously bears **substantial poverty**. There is a clear imbalance in our system. Our system is broken.

MISSION

We need elected representatives who reflect the diversity of our population. We must level the playing field to support candidates with a myriad of experiences to bring the best solutions to our State Capitol.

The Black Leaders for Change PAC supports and stands behind Democratic Progressive candidates dedicated to **improving all communities** across California.

GOALS

- 1. Representation and Leadership Development: Supporting Black Progressive candidates running for political office and providing resources and training to help develop the next generation of diverse leaders.
- 2. Voter Mobilization: Increasing voter registration and turnout among Black Democratic voters to ensure their voices are heard in elections at all levels of government.
- 3. Community Empowerment: Supporting initiatives that empower Black communities, including efforts to increase affordable housing and improve neighborhood infrastructure.
- 4. Economic Empowerment: Working to close the racial wealth gap by promoting economic development initiatives, supporting minorityowned businesses, and advocating for policies that create economic opportunities for Blacks.
- "Our history is an accumulating force. It is the force of men who are aware of their historic role, aware of the judgment of history, who are bound by their historic task and who are determined to carry it out to the end." W.E.B. Du Bois

- 5. Health Equity: Addressing health disparities and promoting access to quality healthcare for Black Californians, including initiatives focused on addressing underlying social determinants of health.
- 6. Advocating for Civil Rights and Reparations: Supporting policies and legislation that promote civil rights, combat systemic racism, and address issues such as police reform, criminal justice reform, and voting rights, restorative justice and repairing the systemic harm done to descendants of slavery.
- 7. Preservation and Celebration of History and Culture: Promoting the celebration and preservation of Black culture, history, and heritage through events, programs, and initiatives.
- 8. Campaign Support: Financially supporting Black Progressive candidates and actively engaging in voter communications in support of Black Democratic candidates through direct voter engagement including but not limited to direct mail, digital advertising, phone banking, and door-to-door canvassing.

"The real criminals in this society are not all of the people who populate the prisons across the state, but those who have stolen the wealth of the world from the people." - Angela Davis