

# NBRPC STATE CONFERENCE/CONVENTION PROCESS:

A series of online meetings will be convened involving the organization and selection of state delegations and voting delegates. These meetings are only for people of African descent (i.e., Black people).

The meetings will be regional, according to the **six (6) regions** listed below:

- **New England:** Connecticut, Massachusetts, Maine, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Vermont
- **Mid-Atlantic:** Delaware, Maryland, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, District of Columbia
- **South:** Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, Virginia, West Virginia, Virgin Islands, Puerto Rico
- **Mid-West:** Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, Ohio, South Dakota, Wisconsin
- **South-West:** Arizona, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Texas
- **West:** Alaska, Colorado, California, Hawaii, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, Oregon, Utah, Washington, Wyoming

The meetings are initially open to all people of African descent who are interested in the National Black Radical Political Convention (NBRPC).

Those who are interested in becoming members of a state delegation must agree to and abide by the Delegate Criteria and the ground rules for all NBRPC Delegations and Voting Delegates.

## Delegate Criteria:

1. Must be of African descent.
2. Must agree to the Core Principles of the NBRPC.
3. Must agree to actively participate in achieving at least one (1) goal of the NBRPC.
4. Organizational members of the **NBRPC Organizing Committee** will automatically be entitled to **one (1) delegate** per state in which they have an active presence, to be determined by the group itself.

Desired Outcomes:

1. Attendees will develop a state delegation.
2. Each state delegation will select co-chairs.
3. Each state delegation will select a maximum of five (5) Voting Delegates.
4. Each state delegation will begin the process of identifying issues and drafting resolutions for presentation at the NBRPC.
5. With the exception of outcome #4, this process should be completed as soon as possible before the convention.