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NABWIC CHAIR MESSAGE

Focus on Washington's Positive Impact



The more you go the more you grow.
The more you grow the more you know.
The more you know the more you are known for what you know.

The strategic vision of the National Association of Black Women in Construction (NABWIC) is to build lasting strategic partnerships with first-rate organizations and individuals that will provide ground-breaking and innovative solutions for black women in construction and their respective communities. Your power is in the application of what you know. Eventually you become responsible to share to support the growth of others with what you know. This is why NABWIC's focus is on Washington.

The focus of our NABWIC News this month is our recent trip to Washington, DC, where we participated in the Congressional Black Caucus Foundation's 48th Annual Legislative Conference, which was held at the Walter E. Washington Convention Center.

Each year we travel to the Nation's capital to focus firstly, on NABWIC's National Annual Midyear meeting. Secondly, strategically we network with our individual Congressional Representatives, and participate in their various Black Caucus sessions. Third, we host the NABWIC reception with our clients, sponsors, members, legislators, government strategic procurement officers, lobbyists, family, friends, and others. This year we had over 600 to register for the reception. During the reception, we honored NABWIC Outstanding Member for 2018, Nicole Allen of our National Capital Region Chapter. Fourth, visit a major federal department for procurement opportunities. This year we visited the US Department of Transportation. Lastly, we had an emotional visit to the National

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Museum of African American History and Culture to review and remember the past.

We were also fortunate to experience what is possible in our future as we watched the panel, entitled "THE POLITICS OF THE NEW SOUTH: HISTORY IN THE MAKING". The Town Hall Policy Discussion was with three Black Gubernatorial Candidates: Andrew Gillum, Mayor the City of Tallahassee, FL; Stacey Abrams, Former Minority Leader, The Georgia House of Representatives; and Ben Jealous, Former President and CEO NAACP.

The positive impact in Washington is in learning that the more we go, the more we grow. As the voice of Black Women in Construction, we are sharing what we know as a member benefit with events such as these and a greater commitment to be more involved in what's happening politically on a local, state and national level.

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NABWIC COMMITTEE MEETINGS AND EVENTS

MONDAYS

- Operations/ By Law s Committee 1st Monday of every month @ 8:30 a.m.
- Finance Committee the 2nd Monday @ 9:00 a.m.
- Membership, 1st & 3rd Mondays @ 11.30 .a.m. via Uber
- Michigan Area meeting, Monday, 9:00 p.m.
- Texas Area meeting, Monday, 10:00 p.m.

TUESDAYS

- Education, Grants, and Training Committee weekly @ 7:00 a.m.
- Sub-Committee CBC weekly @ 9:00 a.m.
- Membership and Chapter Development Committee 1st & 3rd Tuesday of the month @ 2:00 p.m.
- NCR Weekly Membership Call Tuesday 6:00pm
- Membership and Chapter Development Committee 2nd & 4th Tuesday of the month @ 6:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAYS

- Blog Talk Radio Airs Live @ 8:30 every Wednesday
- South Florida's monthly networking luncheon every 2nd Wednesday from 11.30 a.m. -1:00 p.m
- Texas weekly membership meeting @ 6:30 p.m. eastern / 5:30 p.m central

THURSDAYS

- NW Florida's weekly membership meeting @ 7:00 a.m.
- NW Florida's Social Mixer every 4th Thursday from 6:00 p.m - 8:00 p.m.
- NE Florida's Monthly Membership Meeting, 4th Thursday, 12.30 p.m.
- Marketing and Communications Committee weekly @ 5:30 p.m.

FRIDAYS



CBC Reception Photos



African American Museum Photos

UPCOMING EVENTS



JANUARY 23-25, 2019
ANNUAL MEETING
FT. LAUDERDALE, FL

SAVE THE DATE:

NABWIC'S Annual Meeting will be held at the Embassy Suites in beautiful Ft. Lauderdale, Florida.



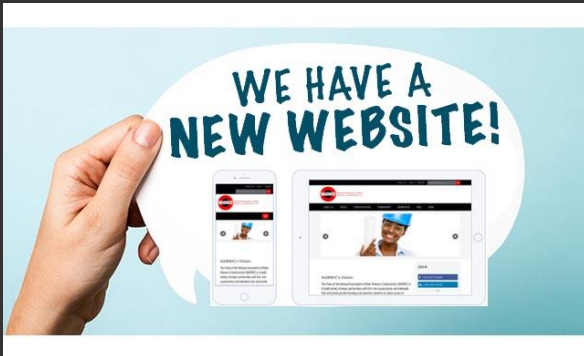
Visit our website at www.nabwic.org for more information or join our mailing list to stay up to date with current news, itinerary and events.

- Think and Grow Rich call weekly @ 7:00 a.m.
- Executive Board Meeting weekly @ 8:00 a.m.
- Detroit's networking meeting every 1st Friday from 4:00 p.m - 6:00 p.m.

SATURDAYS

- Legislative Committee @9:00 a.m.
- Blog Talk Radio, NABWIC Politically Speaking
Airs Live @ 10:30 every Saturday

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BLOG TALK RADIO NABWIC Talks



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to continue the conversation and learn more about NABWIC from interviews with our members, associates and friends on NABWIC Blog Talk Radio, every Wednesday, 8:30am est, and every Saturday at 10:30am, est. Just dial 714-459-3918 to join us live.

JOIN NABWIC ON BLOG TALK RADIO FOR NABWIC POLITICALLY SPEAKING ON SATURDAYS AND ALSO JOIN US FOR SUMMER WEDNESDAYS FOR OUR MEMBERSHIP SHOWCASE --A multi-part series showcasing new members!