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## ***Dayton Branch NAACP Town Hall “From Prison to Prosperity!”***

**DAYTON, OHIO – March 18, 2026** – The Dayton Branch of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) will host a town hall titled, ***“From Prison to Prosperity!”*** The event will take place on Monday, March 23, 2026 at 6:45 pm at Grace United Methodist Church located at 1001 Harvard Blvd. The distinguished panelists will be Quinna Howard, Re-entry Program Manager, Montgomery County Office of Re-entry; Shareka Gibson, Founder & CEO, HYMS &HYLS Mentoring & Tutoring; Anthony E. Barwick, II, CEO, Privileged Paws Pet Services; Gregory West, CEO, Felons With a Future; and the Honorable Gerald Parker, Judge, Montgomery County Court of Common Pleas. The moderator will be Scott E. Barwick, Chair of the Dayton Branch NAACP Prison Branch Committee.



Founded in 1915, the Dayton Branch of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) is the city’s oldest and largest nonpartisan civil rights organization. Its members throughout the Dayton Region and Montgomery County are the premier advocates for civil rights in their communities. Their core goals are to ***Inform, Educate and Empower*** the Citizenry as they pursue justice and equality for all Americans.

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