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### FIRST PERSON

**Ferne Caulker**  
Founder/Interim Executive Director of Ko-Thi Dance Company

**LIKE THE AFRICAN DRUM I FOUND, WE MUST RECLAIM AND GUARD OUR CULTURE AND HISTORY FROM THOSE WHO WANT TO ERASE IT...AND US!**

**DJEMBE (Gather/Peace) DRUM:** Circa 1200 AD Prelude to the Conga drum. Originates from the Mandinka people found in Mali, Guinea and Cote d'Ivoire, Senegal, Sierra Leone, West Africa. Traditionally a hallowed out, goblet shaped drum, tuned by an ancient roping system. Average weight 20 - 30 lbs.

It was a soft sunlit fall day, orange colors abounding. I was having one of those internal dialogues, doubting how much longer I could keep this 57-year-old dance company not only alive but sustaining itself.

Given the onslaught of efforts to erase the history, legacy, and culture of African and African Americans throughout the Diaspora, I was feeling exhausted and overwhelmed.

The Gospel song, "I don't Feel No Ways Tired" by James Cleveland, wafted through my car. I had just stopped at a sign when something made me look at the other side of the road where garbage had been placed on the curb. There, was a Djembe drum, lying on its side and decorated with the most beautiful, intricate carvings.

Without thinking I put the car into park, ran across the street, with cars going in the opposite direction, picked up the drum, placed it gently and reverently into my trunk and drove off.

My heart went through a series of mixed emotions: sadness, anger, confusion, speculation and then, (through a rush of tears), immense gratitude. I said "Thank you" to the universe for answering my doubts, calming my fears,



Ferne Caulker

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### Monte Mabra and family announce new anti-gun violence initiative in honor of slain brother

December 15, 2025, began like any other winter morning in Milwaukee, but by nightfall the world of family and friends connected to Latroy V. Harris had been permanently altered.

News tore through the community with the same violence that ended his life: Harris had been shot 15 times, his body discovered before anyone had time to brace for the truth.

Surveillance cameras later captured the image of the man authorities say pulled the trigger—Antonio Brown—and prosecutors quickly filed a slate of charges, including homicide.

In the weeks that followed, grief swept through the Harris family like a storm that refused to pass.

On January 4, 2025, mourners filled the memorial service, reading an obituary that refused to close the book on Latroy's life.

Instead of a death date, it declared: "April 19, 1977 – Infinity." Infinity, his brother Monte Mabra insisted, it was not the death date.

It was a vow. Latroy would not be allowed to die—not in memory, not on purpose, not in the fight against the violence that claimed him.

From that vow rose the Latroy Harris Initiative, anchored by the declaration: "I will not die to gun violence."

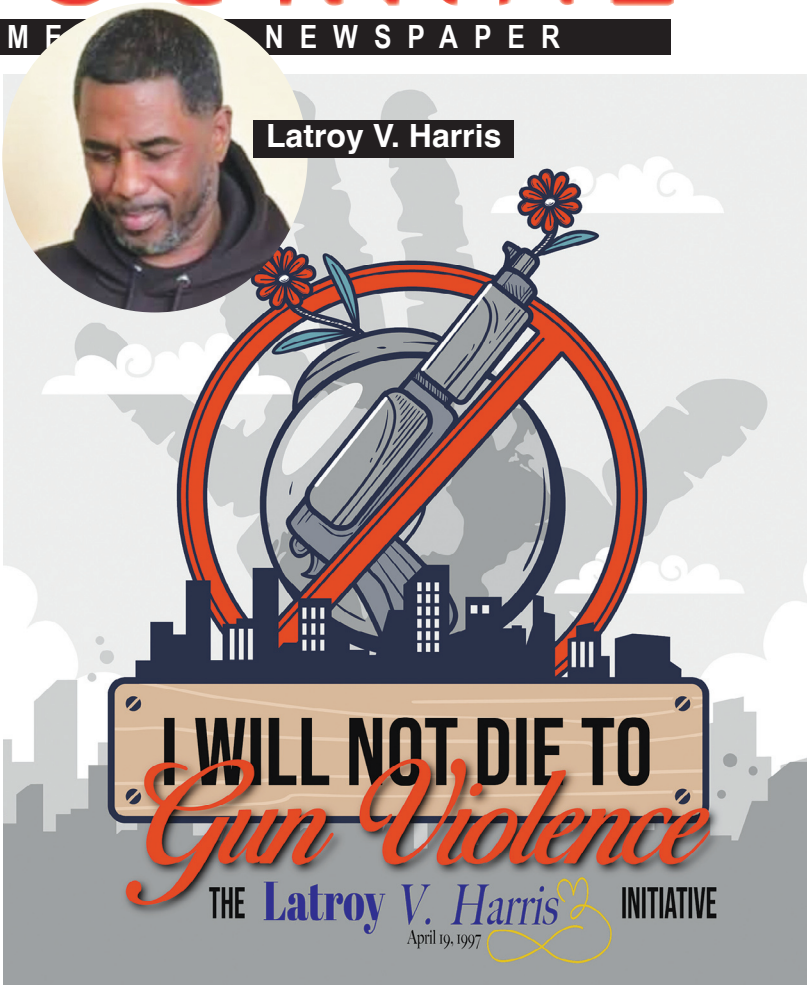
What began as a brother's refusal to surrender to revenge evolved into the first program of its kind—a 10week, 20session curriculum designed to interrupt the cycle of retaliation before it begins.

The curriculum does more than teach conflict resolution; it challenges the emotional reflexes that fuel gun violence, urging participants to confront anger, trauma, and the lure of retaliation.

As word spread, the initiative drew the attention of newsrooms, radio hosts, podcasters, and community leaders.

Interview after interview, Mabra repeated a sobering truth: every gun death drains Wisconsin of \$1.2 million, and every nonfatal shooting

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Monte Mabra, founder and executive director of 'Voice of The Fatherless Child,' recently held a news conference to announce his new endeavor, 'I Will Not Die To Gun Violence: The Latroy V. Harris initiative.' The initiative is named after his late brother Latroy V. Harris, who was fatally shot in December of last year. Mabra is seen announcing the initiative in front of a casket supplied by Golden Gate Funeral Home. The casket reportedly represents the finality of death and its impact on the loved ones left behind to grieve. The two men flanking Mabra are also family members of Harris. —Photos by Yvonne Kemp

## How Black-Led Boycotts Actually Win!

Article courtesy of PushBlack.com

Black Americans hold \$2 trillion in collective buying power. Our dollars have the potential to be the most powerful economic force in the country.



The boycott is the mechanism that flexes our buying muscle — and we have proof it works.

As you well know, Target lost a CEO and \$12 billion in stock market value due to a national boycott led by Black organizers and consumers.

This may be attributed to estimates from organizers stating that Black consumers spend upwards of \$12 million a day at the retailer.

But there's a difference between a boycott that makes noise and a boycott that forces change, and

that difference isn't passion or turnout. It's architecture. Here's what to know about building it.

### What Is the Architecture of a Boycott?

The economic boycott is a precise strategy, not a protest, not a mood. It works by withdrawing collective economic participation until a target changes its behavior.

But pressure alone doesn't produce wins. Architecture does, and that architecture has three pillars.

The first is a clear demand that doesn't move. A de-

mand that is specific, public, and non-negotiable.

This demand should be determined before the boycott begins. The second is a coordinating body that holds authority over that demand and protects it from being co-opted or declared finished by anyone who didn't start the boycott. The bigger and more coordinated the boycott is, the better.

Lastly, the boycott continues until the demand is met, because the moment the clock starts, the corporation simply tries to run it out. When all three pillars are present, the boycott becomes something a corporation cannot withstand.

### What Does History Teach Us?

The boycott has deep roots in Black resistance and, under the right conditions, an impressive track record.

The Montgomery Bus Boycott lasted 381 days and ended only when the Supreme Court ruled segregated busing unconstitutional.

It had all three pillars of boycott architecture. It had a demand that didn't move: desegregating the buses.

It had a coordinating body that held authority: the Montgomery Improvement Association led by Dr. King, backed by the full organizational infrastructure of the Black church.

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# WE MUST RECLAIM AND GUARD OUR HISTORY/CULTURE

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and waking me up to the immense tasks at hand.

I had so many questions about why the Djembe was in the garbage.

1) How did the Djembe arrive at that home? Obviously, someone played this drum. Because the djembe represents community there had to be some form of a group that this person belonged to.

2) Who played it? What happened to them? Did they die?

3) Why didn't someone think about donating it to people in the community who play these drums?

My immediate sadness and anger came through as a rush of comprehension for what is occurring today in our country.

Amidst devastating governmental moves to eradicate all references to African American history and culture through DEI erasures, the reality became exemplified by the symbolic disposal of such an historic icon.

The reality of enslaved Africans not allowed to speak their languages, (tongues cut out), to the banning of drums on plantations, (hands cut off), became front and center.

Yes! The world must know what our creative ancestors have suffered to preserve our culture. The world must know what our people have culturally built and contribute to the world.

Words like 'value' and 'legacy' float in my head. What happens to human society that does not have deep cultural roots, anchored into their vision of self-pride and community legacy?

We celebrate and bring to life our beauty and contributions to the world of art, history, and culture through our creatives.

Through our poets, writers, actors, dancers, musicians, singers, choreographers, composers, architects, costume, and lighting designers, we stimulate our historic memories, reaffirm self-care, and reinforce group identity, holding our cultural truths as embodiment of our identity.

The saddest comment I recently heard came from a 5th grader after one of Ko-Thi Dance Company's school presentations who said, "... I have never seen a drum like that!" I responded, "...baby that is exactly why we are here today!" Ko-Thi Dance Company has performed to over 1 million chil-

dren in its 57 years.

African American history and culture did not start when we landed in the Americas. Although many of us have lost our physical ties to the African continent, our blood stories and blood memories are deep in our DNA.

Today, however, there is no excuse to run from that connective tissue. For as we celebrate our American story of trials, tribulation, and vast contributions, we must not forget that every month (not just 28 days of the year) we wear our African attire, talk about Black American history, and ignore our ties to the African continent.

Black history and identity are year-round, celebrated as in the seven principles of Kwanza, and should be projected into our daily lives and told to our children, 365 days of the year! Like Rev. Al Sharpton recently said at the funeral of Rev. Jessie Jackson, we suffer sometimes from "Negro Amnesia."

Each attempt to erase, insult, throwaway, smirk, omit, disregard, is like being tortured by 1,000 cuts. We must counter with our cultural knowledge and appreciation. As the KTDC board chair, Attorney Sheila Smith states, "... culture is the antidote to erasure."

I am a cultural anthropologist and archivist. My job is to preserve, educate and reinvent. I only ask that we build a community of support to continue that work and that we find methods to re-group and sustain our cultural institutions. That we re-gather what is already there, seek to reconnect. That we pick up particles of deliberate disembowelment of our history and culture, and amidst the disarray of intentional destruction, pick it all back up and start again. If not for us, then for our babies. Don't they deserve to have pride in who they are?

Food for thought:

"Not everything that is faced can be changed; but nothing can be changed until it is faced." James Baldwin/African American author

"What is the worth of human life, unless it is woven into the life of our ancestors by the records of history." Marcus Tilius Cicero/ Roman Statesman and lawyer 106-43 BC

To my ancestors ... 'Thank You' for sending and reaffirming for me a clear message. Ashe!

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## Community Health Alert

Milwaukee Branch NAACP wants you to know the truth about how menthol cigarettes affect smokers.

The smooth, cooling sensation from menthol cigarettes is deceiving.

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For generations, tobacco companies have heavily marketed menthol brands to Black communities.

More than 80% of African American adults who smoke choose menthol — driving higher rates of lung cancer, heart disease, stroke, and early death in our families and communities.

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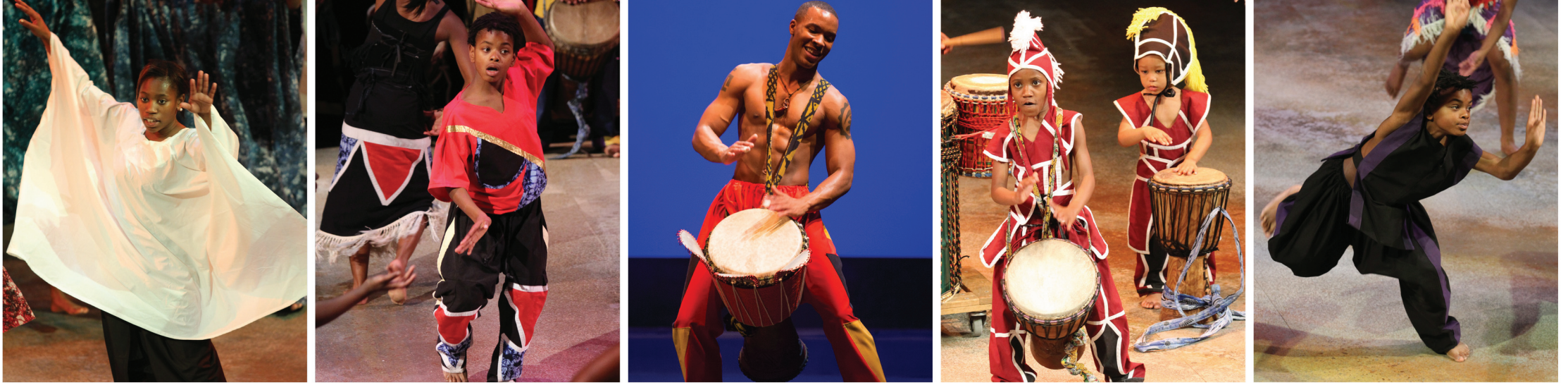


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# WHO, WHAT WHERE, WHEN

COMING AND PAST HAPPENINGS IN AND OUTSIDE OF YOUR COMMUNITY!



## Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority holds 2026 86th Central Regional Conference in MKE!

The Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority Inc held its 86th Central Regional Conference in Milwaukee at the Baird center recently. The conference theme and motto was: "Elevated, Empowered, Engaged-Captivating the Greater in Central. A \$25,000 donation was presented to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, with an additional matching commitment from Honorary Chair Karin Sarratt. —Photos by Kim A. Robinson

## Know Your Worth & Negotiate at Work

Build confidence. Advocate for yourself. Earn what you deserve.

**Date:** Thursday, April 9, 2026  
**Time:** 12PM - 12:45PM via Zoom  
**No cost to attend this virtual session!**  
**Register for the Zoom link**

Wisconsin Women in Government (WWIG) is partnering with Summit Credit Union, the Wisconsin Women's Council, and Wisconsin Women's Network to offer a free virtual session: Know Your Worth & Negotiate at Work. Do you feel confident advocating for yourself when a review, promotion, or new job comes up? You will after this session with Amy Crowe, Financial Education Specialist at Summit Credit Union! Participants will learn how to understand their value, present their accomplishments confidently, and approach negotiations with clarity, strength, and strategy — so they can secure the pay they deserve (without apologizing for it!). Questions? Contact Jeanne.Duffy1@wisconsin.gov.

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## In-Person Absentee Voting has begun for April 7 Spring Election

The Milwaukee Election Commission (MEC) announced the start of In-Person Absentee Voting (IPAV), commonly known as early voting, for the April 7, 2026 Spring Election. Early voting will be available at seven locations across the City of Milwaukee from Tuesday, March 24 through Sunday, April 5. Voters may visit any early voting site to cast their ballot. Locations and hours are available at [city.milwaukee.gov/earlyvoting](http://city.milwaukee.gov/earlyvoting). This election also marks the debut of the first of four new early voting stickers, part of MEC and Milwaukee Public Schools' inaugural "I Voted Early" Sticker Contest. "We are so excited to share the creativity and enthusiasm of our artists with early voters across Milwaukee," said Paulina Gutiérrez, Executive Director of MEC. "Voters who participate in early voting can pick up their 'Early Bird' sticker, designed by a fourth-grade student at Elm Creative Arts School." Milwaukee's busiest early voting site, Midtown, has relocated to 4170 N. 56th Street in the Midtown Shopping Center, just north of W. Capitol Drive. Voters who previously visited Midtown site at 60th & Capitol should note this new location. In addition to early voting, MEC's secure ballot drop boxes are open and available throughout the city. Milwaukee voters who have received an absentee ballot in the mail may return their completed, signed, witnessed, and sealed ballot to any official drop box. A full list of locations and hours is available at [city.milwaukee.gov/election](http://city.milwaukee.gov/election). Voters are also reminded that some polling locations have changed for the April election. To ensure a smooth voting experience, residents can confirm their Election Day polling place in advance by visiting [MyVote.wi.gov](http://MyVote.wi.gov) and clicking 'Find My Polling Place.' For more information on early voting, drop box locations, or polling place changes, visit [city.milwaukee.gov/election](http://city.milwaukee.gov/election) or contact the Milwaukee Election Commission at 414-286-VOTE (8683) or [voterinfo@milwaukee.gov](mailto:voterinfo@milwaukee.gov).



On Wednesday, Mayor Cavalier Johnson (above) voted early in the upcoming election. He cast his in-person absentee ballot at the early voting site at 4170 North 56th Street in the Midtown neighborhood. "Early voting is convenient and it assures your vote will count even if something unexpected were to arise for you on Election Day," Mayor Johnson said. "We have multiple locations where you can cast an in-person absentee ballot." For more information about early voting, go to [city.milwaukee.gov/earlyvoting](http://city.milwaukee.gov/earlyvoting).

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- Protected access to healthcare as the former legal and public policy director for Planned Parenthood of Wisconsin
- Represented Wisconsinites in the state legislature protecting victims of domestic violence and keeping our communities safe
- Current Court of Appeals Judge

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**ELECTION DAY IS APRIL 7TH**  
POLLS ARE OPEN FROM 7AM TO 8PM

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# Moore, Baldwin, and Merkley Introduce Legislation to Address Maternal Health Crisis, Expand Access to Care

WASHINGTON, D.C. – Congresswoman Gwen Moore (D-WI-04) along with U.S. Senators Tammy Baldwin (D-WI) and Jeff Merkley (D-OR) recently introduced the Perinatal Workforce Act, legislation to address the urgent maternal health care crisis in the United States.

Specifically, the bill will help grow the perinatal workforce by creating grant programs to increase the number of maternity care providers and workers who provide care during and after pregnancy.

“More than 80 percent of maternal deaths are preventable, so we must make critical interventions to save lives. Our Perinatal Workforce Act helps build the maternal workforce that we need to keep mothers and their babies healthy while meeting their cultural needs and addressing the shortage of perinatal workers.

Congress must pass the Perinatal Workforce Act as well as the other bills in the Omnibus, as they are critical first steps in addressing the maternal health crisis,” said Congresswoman Moore.

“No mother should have to worry about whether she can find quality care during one of the most important moments of her life. Sadly, the reality is that too many women — especially women of color — face dangerous gaps in maternity care that put their and their babies’ lives at risk,” said Senator Baldwin.

“That’s why I am proud to work with my colleagues to help address disparities and ensure that every mother has access to the care and support that she not only needs, but deserves.”

“It is disturbing and unacceptable that Black, American Indian, and Alaska Native women are two to three times more likely to die from pregnancy-related causes than white women—a glaring sign that the inequities in our health care system are costing lives and hitting communities of color the hardest,” said Senator Merkley.

“We must do everything we can—including supporting more diversity and representation within our perinatal workforce—to fix this and ensure that every person in America receives high-quality maternity care.”

The U.S. has the worst maternal health outcomes and maternal health disparities of any high-income country and it’s rapidly getting worse.

One driving force of the U.S. maternal health crisis is a lack of access to maternity care, and to culturally congruent maternity care and support specifically.

More than 1,100 American counties are “maternity care de-



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—Lisa M. Peyton, CEO & President of The Foundation for Black Women's Wellness.

serts,” with no hospitals offering obstetric care and zero obstetric providers, and more than 2.3 million women of childbearing age live in maternity care deserts.

Women in maternity care deserts are more likely to have asthma and hypertension than women in counties with full access to maternity care, putting them at greater risk for pregnancy complications and pregnancy-related death.

Research shows a wide range of community-based approaches could improve maternal health outcomes and patients’ experiences, including efforts to ensure that providers are better trained to address racism and work to build a more diverse health care workforce.

The Perinatal Workforce Act will:

Require the Secretary of Health and Human Services to (1) provide guidance to states on the promotion of racially, ethnically, and professionally diverse maternity care teams and (2) to study how culturally congruent maternity care promotes better outcomes for moms, especially in communities of color.

Provide funding to establish and scale programs that will grow and diversify the maternal health clinical and non-clinical workforce, increasing the number of nurses, midwives, physician assistants, doulas, and other perinatal health workers who moms can trust throughout their pregnancies, labor and delivery, and the postpartum period.

Study the barriers that prevent women — particularly from underserved communities — from entering maternity care professions and receiving equitable compensation.

The Perinatal Workforce Act is supported by a number of Wisconsin organizations, including Planned Parenthood Wisconsin, Wisconsin Family Planning and Reproductive Health Associa-

tion, United Way of Dane County, Children’s Wisconsin, Kids Forward, The Foundation for Black Women’s Wellness, African American Breastfeeding Network, Black Child Development Institute, Black Leaders Organizing for Communities (BLOC), Wisconsin Doulas of Color Collective Inc., State Senator Dora Drake, State Rep. Robyn Vining, and Wisconsin DHS Secretary Kirsten Johnson.

“As a mom and fierce advocate for maternal healthcare access in Wisconsin, I am proud to again support the Perinatal Workforce Act!

Every pregnant person deserves affordable, accessible healthcare, and through legislation like the Perinatal Workforce Act, we can take critical steps to address maternal health, and the racial disparities in maternal healthcare. I want to extend my gratitude to Senator Baldwin and Congresswoman Moore for their work on this legislation,” said Wisconsin State Representative Robyn Vining.

“The Foundation for Black Women’s Wellness proudly supports the reintroduction of the Perinatal Workforce Act. At a time when maternal health providers are declining in many parts of the country and maternity care deserts continue to expand, investing in a diverse perinatal workforce has never been more urgent.

Expanding support for midwives, nurses, physicians, doulas, and community health workers who provide culturally congruent care will help ensure that mothers and babies receive the care and advocacy they deserve throughout pregnancy, birth, and the postpartum period.

For Black families, who continue to experience the most severe maternal and infant health disparities in the nation, these investments are not optional—they are lifesaving. The Perinatal Workforce Act represents a smart, evidence-based pathway to strengthen care teams, improve birth outcomes, and move our nation closer to true maternal health equity,” said Lisa M. Peyton, CEO & President of The Foundation for Black Women's Wellness.

“The Perinatal Workforce Act represents a vital step toward ensuring that every family has the support they need from pregnancy through postpartum.

“By expanding and diversifying the perinatal care workforce, we are not only addressing the maternal health crisis but also building a foundation for healthier communities. This legislation recognizes that culturally competent care saves lives and strengthens families, and I join Senator Baldwin and Congresswoman Moore in urging Congress to pass this critical bill without delay,” said Wisconsin State Senator Dora Drake, Chair of the Wisconsin Legislative Black Caucus.

“Making sure all moms receive respectful and culturally congruent care leads to healthy pregnancies, positive birth experiences, and a strong start for their babies. I commend Senator Baldwin and Representative Moore for introducing the Perinatal Workforce Act to grow and diversify this vital workforce and to improve maternal health outcomes in Wisconsin and across the country,” said Wisconsin DHS Secretary Kirsten Johnson.

# BOYCOTT

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And it had staying power: the insistence that the boycott would continue until the ruling came and not a minute sooner.

When the demand was met, only then did the boycott end. It’s a pattern that would repeat decades later in the international campaign to dismantle apartheid South Africa.

## Where Does Leverage Come From?

A boycott creates leverage by depriving a company of revenue. For large public companies, even a small drop in revenue can wipe out billions in stock market value.

When Black consumers withdraw collectively and stay out, corporations feel the pain immediately. Foot traffic drops.

Earnings miss. Stock falls. That is direct, measurable pressure on the people with actual authority to change policy.

The boycott works because it makes it more expensive to keep things the same than to change them.

That leverage belongs to the community, but it only works when the

pressure is sustained long enough to force a decision.

## Who Absorbs the Cost?

Both sides absorb costs. Corporations lose revenue, growth expectations, and shareholder confidence.

Communities lose convenience, access, and in some cases short-term financial stability.

But one side absorbs more cost than the other. Corporations can distribute losses across shareholders, draw on credit lines, and manage the narrative while they wait.

Boycotters bear their losses personally, without institutional cushion, and with constant pressure to return to business as usual.

A boycott is a war over time. The corporation’s advantage is capital — it can buy time.

The community’s advantage is collective action — it can earn time by holding together longer than the corporation expects. A boycott that doesn’t break is a boycott that wins.

## Who Controls the Finish Line?

Corporate America controls the language used to describe the outcome. It repackages existing commitments as new ones, renames programs instead of reinstating them, and elevates spokespeople willing to pretend that symbolic gestures are structural wins.

Black Americans consistently mobilize economic power in response to injustice and consistently absorb the cost without receiving structural change in return — and that gap is not accidental.

When the definition of winning gets rewritten, the community loses

twice — once when the corporation refuses to change, and again when the sacrifice is declared sufficient by someone who didn’t make it.

But this is not inevitable. When the demand is specific, the coordinating body holds authority, and the community controls its own definition of winning, the playbook fails. The architecture is the protection.

**“The economic boycott is a precise strategy, not a protest, not a mood. It works by withdrawing collective economic participation until a target changes its behavior. But pressure alone doesn’t produce wins. Architecture does, and that architecture has three pillars. The first is a clear demand that doesn’t move. A demand that is specific, public, and non-negotiable.”**

# New anti-gun violence initiative unveiled

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costs \$644,000.

These figures—drawn from analyses by Ted R. Miller and colleagues using CC fatal injury data and HCUP nonfatal injury data—are the same numbers used by EveryStat/Everytown Research to calculate the state’s gun violence burden.

But for Mabra, the cost is not measured in dollars. It is measured in empty chairs at family tables, in children who grow up without fathers, in communities conditioned to brace for sirens.

The initiative’s preventative model offers a different kind of math.

Ten candidates, ten weeks, \$15,000—a fraction of the cost of a single shooting, and a lifeline for individuals standing at the edge of dangerous choices.

Courts, attorneys, agencies, and community members have embraced the program, recognizing its potential to save both lives and futures.

Support began to gather around the initiative. Attorney Michael Hupy, of the Hupy & Abraham law firm and president of Crime Stoppers in Milwaukee, posted a \$25,000 reward for information leading to Brown’s arrest. He also contributed a private amount to launch the first 10week session for data collection.

Reid’s New Golden Gates Funeral Home stepped forward as well, covering part of the memorial service and contributing to the initiative’s data collection efforts.

The City of Milwaukee’s Community, Wellness, and Safety division added resources and support, signaling institutional belief in the program’s mission.

But the heart of the initiative remains Mabra’s conviction that forgiveness is the first step toward healing—a deliberate act of self-healing that interrupts the cycle of violence.

He created the curriculum not only to honor his brother, but to restrain his own instinct for retaliation—a personal act of resistance against generational patterns of harm.

The initiative is accepting referrals through

- Youth ages 12–17, male and female
- Adults ages 18–45, male and female, who have a gun case, are awaiting sentencing, or whose families fear they may be pulled toward violence

The program stands as both memorial and movement—an effort to ensure that Latroy Harris’s story does not end with the sound of gunfire but continues through the lives it saves.

- Week one of the curriculum focuses on identity survival and safety.
- Week two experience lost and emotions.
- Week three family and influence
- Week four exposure and trauma
- Week five consequence and accountability
- Week six visit from officers
- Week seven visit from first responders
- Week eight from emergency and trauma unit
- Week nine meeting with funeral home and staff
- Week ten mock trial before a real judge

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**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV001954**

In the matter of the name change of: BERTHA MARY SISK  
By (Petitioner) BERTHA MARY SISK

NOTICE IS GIVEN:  
A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above:  
From: BERTHA MARY SISK to: BERT M SISK  
Birth Certificate: BERTHA MARY SISK

IT IS ORDERED  
This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
Judge's Name: HON. GLENN H YAMAHIRO RM 412 PLACE 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233  
DATE APRIL 17, 2026, TIME 9:00 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:  
Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Dated: 3-4-2026  
BY THE COURT:  
HON. GLENN Y YAMAHIRO  
Circuit Court Judge  
082/3-11-18-25-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV001853**

In the matter of the name change of: CANDIDA SHEREE CAMPBELL  
By (Petitioner) CANDIDA SHEREE CAMPBELL

NOTICE IS GIVEN:  
A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above:  
FROM: CANDIDA SHEREE CAMPBELL to: CANDIDA SHEREE CARTER  
Birth Certificate: CANDIDA SHEREE CAMPBELL

IT IS ORDERED  
This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
Judge's Name: HON. REYNA MORALES ROOM 402 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233  
DATE: APRIL 14, 2026, TIME 9:30 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:  
Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Dated: 3-2-2026  
BY THE COURT:  
HON. REYNA MORALES  
Circuit Court Judge  
084/3-11-18-25-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV002115**

In the matter of the name change of: MARK ANTHONY LOVE  
By (Petitioner) MARK ANTHONY LOVE

NOTICE IS GIVEN:  
A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above:  
From: MARK ANTHONY LOVE to: MARTEZ PIERRE LOVE  
Birth Certificate: MARK ANTHONY LOVE

IT IS ORDERED  
This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
Judge's Name: HON. GLENN H YAMAHIRO RM 412 PLACE 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233  
DATE APRIL 20, 2026, TIME 9:45 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:  
Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Dated: 3-10-2025  
BY THE COURT:  
HON. GLENN Y YAMAHIRO  
Circuit Court Judge  
086/3-11-18-25-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY**

**NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV002001**

In the matter of the name change of: TRINETTE CHANTEL LEONARD-SAFFORD

NOTICE IS GIVEN:  
A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above:  
FROM: TRINETTE CHANTEL LEONARD-SAFFORD TO: TRINETTE CHANTEL LEONARD  
Birth Certificate: TRINETTE CHANTEL LEONARD

IT IS ORDERED  
This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
Judge's Name: HON. PAUL VAN GRUNSVEN 901 N. 9th Street, CH206 Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233  
DATE: APRIL 9, 2026, TIME 10:15 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:  
Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Dated: 3-5-2026  
BY THE COURT:  
HON. PAUL VAN GRUNSVEN  
Circuit Court Judge  
087/3-11-18-25-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV002044**

IN THE MATTER OF THE NAME CHANGE OF: ANIKA P KHAN  
By (Petitioner) ANIKA P KHAN

NOTICE IS GIVEN:  
A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above:  
FROM: ANIKA KHAN PATLAN TO: ANIKA PATLAN KHAN  
Birth Certificate: ANIKA KHAN PATLAN

IT IS ORDERED  
This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
Judge's Name: HON. WILLIAM POCAN RM #401 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233  
DATE: APRIL 21, 2026, TIME 9:30 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:  
Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Dated: 3-6-2026  
BY THE COURT:  
HON. WILLIAM POCAN  
Circuit Court Judge  
088/3-11-18-25-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV001909**

In the matter of the name change of: LAKEINA MARIE FRANKLIN  
By (Petitioner) LAKEINA MARIE FRANKLIN

NOTICE IS GIVEN:  
A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above:  
FROM: LAKEINA MARIE FRANKLIN to: LAKEINA MARIE PATTON  
Birth Certificate: LAKEINA MARIE FRANKLIN

IT IS ORDERED  
This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
Judge's Name: HON. JEAN M KIES RM 413 PLACE 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233  
DATE: APRIL 23, 2026, TIME 10:00 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:  
Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Dated: 3-3-2026  
BY THE COURT:  
HON. JEAN M KIES  
Circuit Court Judge  
089/3-11-18-25-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV002041**

In the matter of the name change of: KAYSON MAKEL BROWN

By (Petitioner) KAYLA MARIE BAUMANN

NOTICE IS GIVEN:  
A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above:  
FROM: KAYSON MAKEL BROWN to: KAYSON MAKEL BAUMANN  
Birth Certificate: KAYSON MAKEL BROWN

IT IS ORDERED  
This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
Judge's Name: HON. JEAN M KIES RM 413 PLACE 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233  
DATE: APRIL 23, 2026, TIME 10:30 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:  
Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Dated: 3-6-2026  
BY THE COURT:  
HON. JEAN M KIES  
Circuit Court Judge  
083/3-11-18-25-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV002044**

In the matter of the name change of: ARABELLA MIA SEIDER ARTEAGA  
By (Petitioner) MERCEDES NOEMI ARTEAGA

By (Co-Petitioner) CARLOS PERCY SEIDER AMES

NOTICE IS GIVEN:  
A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above:  
FROM: ARABELLA MIA SEIDER ARTEAGA TO: ARABELLA MIA ARTEAGA  
Birth Certificate: ARABELLA MIA SEIDER ARTEAGA

IT IS ORDERED  
This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
Judge's Name: HON. J.D. WATTS BR 15 ROOM 414 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233  
DATE: MAY 5 2026, TIME 10:00 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:  
Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Dated: 3-5-2026  
BY THE COURT:  
HON. J.D. WATTS  
Circuit Court Judge  
090/3-11-18-25-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV002203**

In the matter of the name change of: AZARIA FELIZA WILDER

NOTICE IS GIVEN:  
A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above:  
From: AZARIA FELIZA WILDER to: ARIANA FELIZA WILDER  
Birth Certificate: AZARIA FELIZA WILDER

IT IS ORDERED  
This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
Judge's Name: HON. GLENN H YAMAHIRO RM 412 PLACE 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233  
DATE APRIL 22, 2026, TIME 130 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:  
Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Dated: 3-11-2026  
BY THE COURT:  
HON. GLENN Y YAMAHIRO  
Circuit Court Judge  
091/3-11-18-25-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV002213**

IN THE MATTER OF THE NAME CHANGE OF: JULIANA ROSE PICIONE

By (Petitioner) JULIANA ROSE PICIONE

NOTICE IS GIVEN:  
A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above:  
FROM: JULIANA ROSE PICIONE

TO: JUNE PARKER PICIONE  
Birth Certificate: JULIANA ROSE PICIONE

IT IS ORDERED  
This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
Judge's Name: HON. WILLIAM POCAN RM #401 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233  
DATE: APRIL 22, 2026, TIME 9:30 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:  
Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Dated: 3-11-2026  
BY THE COURT:  
HON. WILLIAM POCAN  
Circuit Court Judge  
091/3-11-18-25-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV002044**

IN THE MATTER OF THE NAME CHANGE OF: ANIKA P KHAN  
By (Petitioner) ANIKA P KHAN

NOTICE IS GIVEN:  
A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above:  
FROM: ANIKA KHAN PATHAN TO: ANIKA PATHAN KHAN  
Birth Certificate: ANIKA KHAN PATHAN

IT IS ORDERED  
This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
Judge's Name: HON. WILLIAM POCAN RM #401 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233  
DATE: APRIL 21, 2026, TIME 9:30 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:  
Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Dated: 3-6-2026  
BY THE COURT:  
HON. WILLIAM POCAN  
Circuit Court Judge  
088/3-11-18-25-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY DIVORCE - 40101 Case No. 26FA69**

In Re: The marriage of Petitioner: GLADYS AVILA and Respondent: JORGE CISNEROS-MARTINEZ

THE STATE OF WISCONSIN, TO THE PERSON NAMED ABOVE AS RESPONDENT:  
You are notified that the petitioner named above has filed an Order to Show Cause for Contempt against you.

You must respond with a written demand for a copy of the Order within 40 days from the day after the first day of publication.

The demand must be sent or delivered to the court at: Clerk of Court, Milwaukee County Courthouse 901 N 9th St Room 104 Milwaukee WI 53233 and to GLADYS AVILA 3879 N Humboldt Blvd Apt 2 Milwaukee WI 53212

It is recommended, but not required that you have an attorney help or represent you.

If you do not demand a copy of the Petition within 40 days, the court may grant judgment against you for the award of money or other legal action requested in the Petition, and you may lose your right to object to anything that is or may be incorrect in the Petition.

A judgment may be enforced as provided by law. A judgment awarding money may become a lien against any real estate you own now or in the future and may also be enforced by garnishment or seizure of property.

You are further notified that if the parties to this action have minor children, violation of 948.31 Wis. Stats., (Interference with custody by parent or others) is punishable by fines and/or imprisonment:

If you and the petitioner have minor children, documents setting forth the percentage standard for child support established by the department under 49.22(9), Wis. Stats., and the factors that a court may consider for modification of that standard under 767.511 (1m). Wis Stats. are available upon your request from the Clerk of Court.

You are notified of the availability of information from the Circuit Court Commissioner as set forth in 767.105 Wis. Stats.

Date: 3-13-2026

BY: GLADYS AVILA  
110/3-18-25/4-1-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV001963**

IN THE MATTER OF THE NAME CHANGE OF: YÉJAH YAREE JONES-WILLIS  
By (Petitioner) BEONCA EVA JONES

NOTICE IS GIVEN:  
A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above:  
FROM: YÉJAH YAREE JONES-WILLIS TO: YÉJAH YAREE JONES-EDWARDS  
Birth Certificate: YÉJAH YAREE JONES-WILLIS

IT IS ORDERED  
This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
Judge's Name: HON. WILLIAM POCAN RM #401 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233  
DATE: APRIL 21, 2026, TIME 2:00 P.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:  
Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Dated: 3-4-2026  
BY THE COURT:  
HON. WILLIAM POCAN  
Circuit Court Judge  
109/3-11-18-25-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV002259**

In the matter of the name change of: BRIANNA LYNN BOUCHER

NOTICE IS GIVEN:  
A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above:  
FROM: BRIANNA LYNN BOUCHER to: COOPER DAMIAN BOUCHER  
Birth Certificate: BRIANNA LYNN BOUCHER

IT IS ORDERED  
This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
Judge's Name: HON. REYNA MORALES ROOM 402 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233  
DATE: APRIL 29, 2026, TIME 9:45 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:  
Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Dated: 3-12-2026  
BY THE COURT:  
HON. REYNA MORALES  
Circuit Court Judge  
098/3-18-25/4-1-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV001721**

IN THE MATTER OF THE NAME CHANGE OF: SOLOMON YASHIYAH KING ASIEL ISRAEL OMEGA MESSENGER  
By (Petitioner) KEYTUAN NATE' SARGENT

NOTICE IS GIVEN:  
A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above:  
FROM: SOLOMON YASHIYAH KING ASIEL ISRAEL OMEGA MESSENGER TO: SOLOMON ZAKHI YASHIYAH SARGENT  
Birth Certificate: SOLOMON YASHIYAH KING ASIEL ISRAEL OMEGA MESSENGER

IT IS ORDERED  
This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
Judge's Name: HON. WILLIAM POCAN RM #401 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233  
DATE: APRIL 28, 2026, TIME 10:30 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:  
Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Dated: 2-26-2026  
BY THE COURT:  
HON. WILLIAM POCAN  
Circuit Court Judge

099/3-18-25/4-1-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV2354**

In the matter of the name change of: GRAYSON BENJAMIN LANG  
By (Petitioner) EMILY LANG

NOTICE IS GIVEN:  
A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above:  
FROM: GRAYSON BENJAMIN LANG TO: GRACIE JADE LANG  
Birth Certificate: GRAYSON BENJAMIN LANG

IT IS ORDERED  
This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
Judge's Name: HON. PAUL VAN GRUNSVEN 901 N. 9th Street, CH206 Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233  
DATE: APRIL 21, 2026, TIME 10:00 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:  
Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Dated: 3-17-2026  
BY THE COURT:  
HON. PAUL VAN GRUNSVEN  
Circuit Court Judge  
095/3-18-25/4-1-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV002210**

In the matter of the name change of: KIRAH JANAYE LACOUR

NOTICE IS GIVEN:  
A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above:  
From: KIRAH JANAYE LACOUR to: SAINT LAURENT LACOUR  
Birth Certificate: KIRAH JANAYE LACOUR

IT IS ORDERED  
This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
Judge's Name: HON. GLENN H YAMAHIRO RM 412 PLACE 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233  
DATE APRIL 22, 2026, TIME 145 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:  
Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Dated: 3-11-2026  
BY THE COURT:  
HON. GLENN Y YAMAHIRO  
Circuit Court Judge  
100/3-18-25/4-1-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 2026CV000957**

In the matter of the name change of: TRACIE MARIE VIRGEN  
By (Petitioner) TRACIE MARIE VIRGEN

NOTICE IS GIVEN:  
A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above:  
From: TRACIE MARIE VIRGEN to: TRACIE MARIE ESCOBAR  
Birth Certificate: TRACIE MARIE VIRGEN

IT IS ORDERED  
This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.  
Judge's Name: HON. CYNTHIA DAVIS RM 208 PLACE 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233  
DATE APRIL 28, 2026 TIME 4:00 P.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:  
Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Dated: 3-12-2026  
BY THE COURT:  
HON. CYNTHIA DAVIS  
Circuit Court Judge  
101/3-18-25/4-1-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV2369**

In the matter of the name change of: IZ'ZAMERIAH LACLANDRA FALISHA TROTTER By (Petitioner) ZAKIE MARYUM ABDUL-KHALIQ

NOTICE IS GIVEN: A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: From: IZ'ZAMERIAH LACLANDRA FALISHA TROTTER to: IZ'ZAMERIAH LACLANDRA GRAY Birth Certificate: IZ'ZAMERIAH LACLANDRA FALISHA TROTTER

IT IS ORDERED This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin. Judge's Name: HON. MICHAEL J HANRAHAN ROOM 500 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE: APRIL 21, 2026, TIME 1:30 P.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED: Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Dated: 3-17-2026 BY THE COURT: HON. MICHAEL J HANRAHAN Circuit Court Judge 107/3-18-25/4-1-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV002387**

In the matter of the name change of: IRENE ESTER FLORES By (Petitioner) IRENE ESTER FLORES

NOTICE IS GIVEN: A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: From: IRENE ESTER FLORES to: IRENE ESTER RHIMES Birth Certificate: IRENE ESTER FLORES

IT IS ORDERED This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin. Judge's Name: HON. MICHAEL J HANRAHAN ROOM 500 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE: APRIL 23, 2026, TIME 9:30 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED: Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Dated: 3-17-2026 BY THE COURT: HON. MICHAEL J HANRAHAN Circuit Court Judge 105/3-18-25/4-1-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV2390**

In the matter of the name change of: ZYAIRES ZAMMARI MAXWELL By (Petitioner) WISDOM A BLESSED

NOTICE IS GIVEN: A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: From: ZYAIRES ZAMMARI MAXWELL TO: ZYAIRES ZAMMARI BLESSED Birth Certificate: ZYAIRES ZAMMARI MAXWELL

IT IS ORDERED This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin. Judge's Name: HON. PAUL VAN GRUNSVEN RM 206 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE: APRIL 22, 2026, TIME 9:30 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED: Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Dated: 3-17-2026 BY THE COURT: HON. PAUL VAN GRUNSVEN Circuit Court Judge 108/3-18-25/4-1-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV2388**

In the matter of the name change of:

KYRIE EMMANUEL MAXWELL B y (Petitioner) WISDOM A BLESSED

NOTICE IS GIVEN: A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: FROM: KYRIE EMMANUEL MAXWELL TO: KYRIE EMMANUEL BLESSED Birth Certificate: KYRIE EMMANUEL MAXWELL

IT IS ORDERED This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin. Judge's Name: HON. PAUL VAN GRUNSVEN RM 206 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE: APRIL 22, 2026, TIME 9:30 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED: Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Dated: 3-17-2026 BY THE COURT: HON. PAUL VAN GRUNSVEN Circuit Court Judge 106/3-18-25/4-1-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV2388**

In the matter of the name change of: KYRIE EMMANUEL MAXWELL B y (Petitioner) WISDOM A BLESSED

NOTICE IS GIVEN: A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: FROM: ZACHARIAH ZYMAIRE MAXWELL TO: ZACHARIAH ZYMAIRE BLESSED Birth Certificate: ZACHARIAH ZYMAIRE MAXWELL

IT IS ORDERED This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin. Judge's Name: HON. PAUL VAN GRUNSVEN RM 206 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE: APRIL 22, 2026, TIME 9:30 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED: Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Dated: 3-17-2026 BY THE COURT: HON. PAUL VAN GRUNSVEN Circuit Court Judge 106/3-18-25/4-1-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV2391**

In the matter of the name change of: JEREMIAH ANDREW MAXWELL B y (Petitioner) WISDOM A BLESSED

NOTICE IS GIVEN: A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: FROM: JEREMIAH ANDREW MAXWELL TO: JEREMIAH ANDREW BLESSED Birth Certificate: JEREMIAH ANDREW MAXWELL

IT IS ORDERED This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin. Judge's Name: HON. PAUL VAN GRUNSVEN RM 206 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE: APRIL 22, 2026, TIME 9:30 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED: Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Dated: 3-17-2026 BY THE COURT: HON. PAUL VAN GRUNSVEN Circuit Court Judge 102/3-18-25/4-1-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV002202**

In the matter of the name change of: GOWRI WAHLIG

NOTICE IS GIVEN: A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: From: GOWRI WAHLIG to: GOWRI KAHN Birth Certificate: GOWRI WAHLIG

This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin. Judge's Name: HON. THOMAS J MCADAMS RM 404 PLACE 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE MAY 7, 2026, TIME 10:00 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED: Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV1774**

In the matter of the name change of: AMIR NAZIR MOORE By (Petitioner) KATERRA NAJAE ALLEN-MOORE

NOTICE IS GIVEN: A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: FROM: AMIR NAZIR MOORE TO: AMARION LONNIE WALTER PIERCE JR Birth Certificate: AMIR NAZIR MOORE

IT IS ORDERED This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin. Judge's Name: HON. PAUL VAN GRUNSVEN 901 N. 9th Street, CH206 Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE: APRIL 10, 2026, TIME 10:30 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED: Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Dated: 2-27-2026 BY THE COURT: HON. PAUL VAN GRUNSVEN Circuit Court Judge 096/3-18-25/4-1-2026

**STATE OF WISCONSIN, CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY SUMMONS AND COMPLAINT SMALL CLAIMS CLAIM FOR MONEY 31001 Case No. 26SC004023**

PLAINTIFF(S) SANDRA D CAMPBELL 1636 N 17th St Milwaukee WI 53205 vs DEFENDANT/S: JOEY MUHAMMAD DBA MAINTENANCE MAN LLC 4277 N 38th St Milwaukee WI 53216

This form does not replace the need for an interpreter any colloquies mandated by law, or the responsibility of court and counsel to ensure that persons with limited English proficiency fully comprehend their rights and obligations. This form must be completed in the English language.

If you require reasonable accommodations due to a disability to participate in the court process, please call 414-985-5757 prior to the scheduled court date. Please note that the court does not provide transportation Claim for money (\$10,000 or less) 31001

TO THE DEFENDANT(S): You are being sued as described below. If you wish to dispute this matter: You must appear at the time and place stated. If you do not appear or answer, the plaintiff(s) may win this case and a judgment entered for what the plaintiff is asking.

When to Appear /File an Answer Date: APRIL 6, 2026 Time: 8:30 A.M. Place to Appear/File and Answer: Milwaukee County Courthouse 901 N 9th Street, Room 400 Milwaukee, WI 53233 Clerk/Attorney Signature: Plaintiff's Demand: The plaintiff states the following claim against the defendant(s):

1. Plaintiff demands judgment for: Claim for Money I am the plaintiff. Dated: 2-11-2026 BY THE PLAINTIFF: SANDRA D CAMPBELL 104/3-18-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV2392**

In the matter of the name change of: ZACHARIAH ZYMAIRE MAXWELL B y (Petitioner) WISDOM A BLESSED

A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: FROM: ZACHARIAH ZYMAIRE MAXWELL TO: ZACHARIAH ZYMAIRE BLESSED Birth Certificate: ZACHARIAH ZYMAIRE MAXWELL

IT IS ORDERED This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin. Judge's Name: HON. PAUL VAN GRUNSVEN RM 206 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE: APRIL 22, 2026, TIME 9:30 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED: Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV002468**

In the matter of the name change of: DEMETRIA ISHAY COOPER WILLIAMS

NOTICE IS GIVEN: A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: FROM: DEMETRIA ISHAY COOPER WILLIAMS to: DEMETRIA ISHAY WILLIAMS Birth Certificate: DEMETRIA ISHAY COOPER WILLIAMS

IT IS ORDERED This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin. Judge's Name: HON. REYNA MORALES ROOM 402 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE: APRIL 30, 2026, TIME 9:30 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED: Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV000991**

In the matter of the name change of: NATALI RUBI LOPEZ-SAUCEDO

NOTICE IS GIVEN: A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: From: NATALI RUBI LOPEZ-SAUCEDO to: NATALI RUBI GARCIA-SAUCEDO Birth Certificate: NATALI RUBI LOPEZ-SAUCEDO

IT IS ORDERED This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin. Judge's Name: HON. GLENN H YAMAHIRO RM 412 PLACE 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE: APRIL 13, 2026, TIME 2:00P.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED: Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Dated: 3-3-2026 BY THE COURT: HON. GLENN Y YAMAHIRO Circuit Court Judge 116/3-25/4-1-8-2026

**STATE OF WISCONSIN, CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY SUMMONS AND COMPLAINT SMALL CLAIMS CLAIM FOR MONEY 31001 Case No. 26SC004023**

PLAINTIFF(S) SANDRA D CAMPBELL 1636 N 17th St Milwaukee WI 53205 vs DEFENDANT/S: JOEY MUHAMMAD DBA MAINTENANCE MAN LLC 4277 N 28th St Milwaukee WI 53216

language. If you require reasonable accommodations due to a disability to participate in the court process, please call 414-985-5757 prior to the scheduled court date. Please note that the court does not provide transportation. Claim for money (\$10,000 or less) 31001

TO THE DEFENDANT(S): You are being sued as described below. If you wish to dispute this matter: You must appear at the time and place stated. If you do not appear or answer, the plaintiff(s) may win this case and a judgment entered for what the plaintiff is asking.

When to Appear /File an Answer Date: APRIL 6, 2026 Time: 8:30 A.M. Place to Appear/File and Answer: Milwaukee County Courthouse 901 N 9th Street, Room 400 Milwaukee, WI 53233 Clerk/Attorney Signature: Plaintiff's Demand: The plaintiff states the following claim against the defendant(s):

1. Plaintiff demands judgment for: Claim for Money

I am the plaintiff. Dated: 2-11-2026 BY THE PLAINTIFF: SANDRA D CAMPBELL 104/3-18-2026

**SUMMONS IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF SHELBY COUNTY, TENNESSEE FOR THE THIRTIETH JUDICIAL DISTRICT AT MEMPHIS ORDER FOR PUBLICATION Case No. CT-3729-25 DIV 4**

In Re: DEBORAH WILKS EVANS, Plaintiff and BARBEE LEROY EVANS, Defendant

This cause came for hearing on the 31st day of October 2025, before the Honorable Gina Higgins of the Circuit Court of Shelby County, and the Court finds as follows:

- That on July 31, 2025, an original complaint for divorce was filed against the Defendant
- The last known location of the Defendant is in Milwaukee WI
- Plaintiff's counsel researched on social media sites, and other internet search engines and was unable to locate or contact him;
- That Plaintiff's counsel researched Milwaukee WI publications to remain consistent with T.C.A §1-3-120 and found that Milwaukee, WI web-based circulars run for three (3) consecutive weeks in accordance with Chapter 985, Wis. Stats. Additionally, Milwaukee WI web-based publications charge flat rates rather than by the word pursuant to T.C.A § 1-3-120(f)(2). Specifically, The Daily Reporter (web-based circular) publishes at a flat rate of \$70.88 for three (3) weeks rather than the publication notice calculated by the number of words. The Milwaukee Community Journal publishes paper-based legal notices at a rate of \$150 for three (3) weeks.
- The Motion is granted, pursuant to TCA§21-1-203, as the Plaintiff has demonstrated that the residence of Defendant is unknown and cannot be ascertained upon diligent inquiry.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED by the Court notice to the Defendant shall be by publication in accordance with Chapter 985, Wis. Stats. For three (3) consecutive weeks in the following legally qualified publications Community Journal and The Daily Reporter JUDGE: GINA C HIGGINS, dated the 31st of October 2025

DAWN E SNIPES Attorney for Plaintiff (TN#040863) Community Legal Center 80 Monroe Ave., Suite 415 Memphis, TN 38103 (901) 543-3395, ext. 596 BY: DEBORAH WILKS EVANS 115/3-25/4-1-8-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV002377**

In the matter of the name change of: KAMARION CLENEOUS By (Petitioner) KAMARION CLENEOUS

NOTICE IS GIVEN: A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: From: KAMARION LATRELL CLENEOUS to: KAMARION LATRELL FREEMAN Birth Certificate: KAMARION LATRELL CLENEOUS

IT IS ORDERED This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin. Judge's Name: HON. THOMAS J MCADAMS RM 404 PLACE 901 N.

9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE MAY 7, 2026, TIME 11:00 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED: Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin. Dated: 3-17-2026 BY THE COURT: HON. THOMAS J MCADAMS Circuit Court Judge 122/3-25/4-1-8-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV002601**

IN THE MATTER OF THE NAME CHANGE OF: BENJAMIN ROBERT EMMER

NOTICE IS GIVEN: A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: FROM: BENJAMIN ROBERT EMMER TO: BENJAMIN ROBERT CARDENAS Birth Certificate: BENJAMIN ROBERT CARDENAS

IT IS ORDERED This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin. Judge's Name: HON. WILLIAM POCAN RM #401 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE: APRIL 29, 2026, TIME 10:00 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED: Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Dated: 3-23-2026 BY THE COURT: HON. WILLIAM POCAN Circuit Court Judge 120/3-25/4-1-8-2026

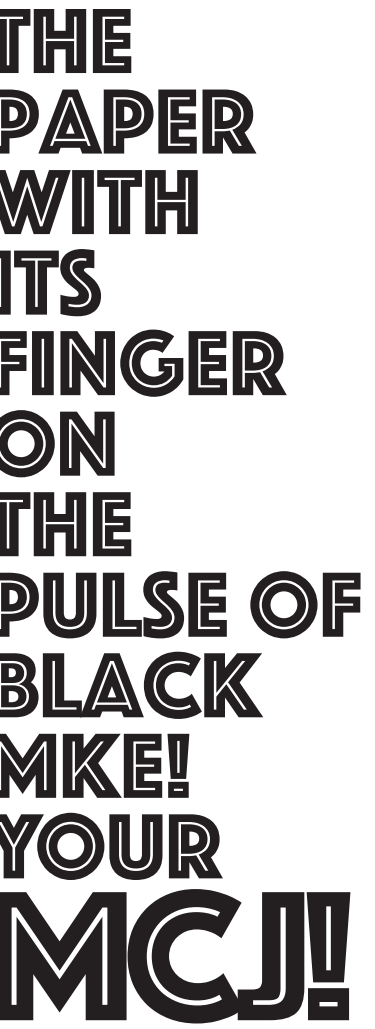
**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV002522**

In the matter of the name change of: KATHERINE SHINE PALOMARES By (Petitioner) LESLIE PALOMARES

NOTICE IS GIVEN: A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: From: KATHERINE SHINE PALOMARES to: SHINE JUNE ALVARADO Birth Certificate: KATHERINE SHINE PALOMARES

IT IS ORDERED This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin. Judge's Name: HON. GLENN H YAMAHIRO RM 412 PLACE 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE: MAY 8, 2026, TIME 10:30 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED: Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin. Dated: 3-20-2026 BY THE COURT: HON. GLENN Y YAMAHIRO Circuit Court Judge 121/3-25/4-1-8-2026



**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY DIVORCE – 40101 Case No. 26FA0000638**

In Re: The marriage of Petitioner: TERESA ESPARZA DE VALDIA and Respondent: GERARDO VALDIVIA

THE STATE OF WISCONSIN, TO THE PERSON NAMED ABOVE AS RESPONDENT:

You are notified that the petitioner named above has filed an Order to Show Cause for Contempt against you.

You must respond with a written demand for a copy of the Order within 40 days from the day after the first day of publication.

The demand must be sent or delivered to the court at: Clerk of Court, Milwaukee County Courthouse 901 N 9th St Room 104 Milwaukee WI 53233 and to TERESA ESPARZA DE VALDIA 4024 N 91st St Milwaukee WI 53222

It is recommended, but not required that you have an attorney help or represent you.

If you do not demand a copy of the Petition within 40 days, the court may grant judgment against you for the award of money or other legal action requested in the Petition, and you may lose your right to object to anything that is or may be incorrect in the Petition.

A judgment may be enforced as provided by law. A judgment awarding money may become a lien against any real estate you own now or in the future and may also be enforced by garnishment or seizure of property.

You are further notified that if the parties to this action have minor children, violation of 948.31 Wis. Stats., (Interference with custody by parent or others) is punishable by fines and/or imprisonment:

If you and the petitioner have minor children, documents setting forth the percentage standard for child support established by the department under 49.22(9), Wis. Stats., and the factors that a court may consider for modification of that standard under 767.511 (1m). Wis Stats. are available upon your request from the Clerk of Court.

You are notified of the availability of information from the Circuit Court Commissioner as set forth in 767.105 Wis. Stats.

Date: 3-24-2026

BY: TERESA ESPARZA DE VALDIA 111/3-25/4-1-8-2026

**STATE OF WISCONSIN, CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY SUMMONS AND COMPLAINT SMALL CLAIMS CLAIM FOR MONEY 31001 Case No. 26SC005935**

PLAINTIFF(S) KAREN LOPEZ 1634 S 116th St Apt 6 West Allis WI 53214

vs DEFENDANT/S: ANALY MERCADO

2004 W Lapham St Milwaukee WI 53204

This form does not replace the need for an interpreter any colloques mandated by law, or the responsibility of court and counsel to ensure that persons with limited English proficiency fully comprehend their rights and obligations. This form must be completed in the English language.

If you require reasonable accommodations due to a disability to participate in the court process, please call 414-985-5757 prior to the scheduled court date. Please note that the court does not provide transportation.

Claim for money (\$10,000 or less) 31001

TO THE DEFENDANT(S):

You are being sued as described below.

If you wish to dispute this matter:

You must appear at the time and place stated.

If you do not appear or answer, the plaintiff(s) may win this case and a judgment entered for what the plaintiff is asking.

When to Appear /File an Answer Date: MARCH 30 2026 Time: 9:30 A.M.

Place to Appear/File and Answer: Milwaukee County Courthouse 901 N 9th Street, Room 400 Milwaukee, WI 53233

Clerk/Attorney Signature:

Plaintiff's Demand: The plaintiff states the following claim against the defendant(s):

1. Plaintiff demands judgment for: Claim for Money

I am the plaintiff.

Dated: 2-11-2026

BY THE PLAINTIFF:

KOR MOUA

112/3-25-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING**

**Case No. 26CV2476**

In the matter of the name change of: EMERYS LAPARIS CASHTON PULLEY

By (Petitioner) MAURISSA LAMORA SARAH PULLEY

NOTICE IS GIVEN:

A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: FROM: EMERYS LAPARIS CASHTON PULLEY TO: CASHTON LARIS CAMPBELL Birth Certificate: EMERYS LAPARIS CASHTON PULLEY

IT IS ORDERED

This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Judge's Name: HON. PAUL VAN GRUNSVEN RM 206 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE APRIL 21, 2026, TIME 8:30 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:

Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Dated: 3-19-2026

BY THE COURT:

HON. PAUL VAN GRUNSVEN

Circuit Court Judge

114/3-25/4-1-8-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING**

Case No. 26CV001875

In the matter of the name change of: ZAYVION AMIRI HILL

By (Petitioner) ANGELYS NOELIA COLON

NOTICE IS GIVEN:

A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: FROM: ZAYVION AMIRI HILL to: ZAYVION KING AMIRI MEDINA Birth Certificate: ZAYVION AMIRI HILL

IT IS ORDERED

This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Judge's Name: HON. REYNA MORALES ROOM 402 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE: APRIL 14, 2026, TIME 9:45 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:

Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Dated: 3-2-2026

BY THE COURT:

HON. REYNA MORALES

Circuit Court Judge

117/3-25/4-1-8-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING**

Case No. 26CV002611

In the matter of the name change of: DASHAQUE MARIE BOWMAN

By (Petitioner) DASHAQUE MARIE BOWMAN

NOTICE IS GIVEN:

A Petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: From: DASHAQUE MARIE BOWMAN to: DASHANIQUE MARIE BOWMAN Birth Certificate: DASHANIQUE MARIE BOWMAN

IT IS ORDERED

This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Judge's Name: HON. TIMOTHY WITKOWIAK RM 415 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE: APRIL 30, 2026, TIME 10:00 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:

Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Dated: 3-23-2026

BY THE COURT:

HON. TIMOTHY WITKOWIAK

Circuit Court Judge

119/3-25/4-1-8-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE OF MOTION AND MOTION TO CHANGE CHILD SUPPORT**

Case No. 12PA005728PJ

PARTY A – You

RAYLEE MAYES 2467A North 49th Street, Milwaukee Wisconsin 53210

Telephone (414) 551-6593

PARTY B – Other parent or party

VENITA PRICE 1816 N 36th Street, Milwaukee WI 53208

Is the Child Support Agency a party in your case? YES

NOTION OF MOTION:

TO: VENITA PRICE

IMPORTANT: A copy of this Notice of Motion and Motion must be served upon all other parties, including the Child Support Agency. See the Service Packet (FA-5000V) for instructions about completing service using either of the following two options:

Service by mail: Mailing must be completed at least eight business days before the date of the hearing.

Personal service: Service must be completed at least five business days before the date of the hearing.

This matter is scheduled for hearing in front of court official: MILWAUKEE COUNTY FAMILY COURT COMMISSIONER 901 N 9TH ST RM.707 MILWAUKEE WI 53233

Location (in-person or remote): FCC3

DATE: APRIL 29, 2026 TIME: 2:15 P.M.

Dated the 5th day of February, 2026

118/3-25/4-1-8-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING**

Case No. 26CV001734

IN THE MATTER OF THE NAME CHANGE OF: LILIVET GUTIERRES CERVANTES

By (Petitioner) LILIVET GUTIERRES CERVANTES

NOTICE IS GIVEN:

A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: FROM: LILIVET GUTIERRES CERVANTES TO: LILIVET CERVANTES GUTIERREZ Birth Certificate: LILIVET GUTIERRES CERVANTES

IT IS ORDERED

This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Judge's Name: HON. WILLIAM POCAN RM #401 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE: APRIL 29, 2026, TIME 2:00 P.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:

Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Dated: 2-26-2025

BY THE COURT:

HON. WILLIAM POCAN

Circuit Court Judge

124/3-25/4-1-8-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING**

Case No. 26CV1783

In the matter of the name change of: VERONICA CERVANTES

NOTICE IS GIVEN:

A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: From: VERONICA CERVANTES to: VERONICA BARRON Birth Certificate: VERONICA BARRON

IT IS ORDERED

This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Judge's Name: HON. GLENN H YAMAHIRO RM 412 PLACE 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE APRIL 14, 2026, TIME 3:00 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:

Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Dated: 2-27-2026

BY THE COURT:

HON. GLENN Y YAMAHIRO

Circuit Court Judge

125/3-25/4-1-8-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING**

Case No. 26CV002165

In the matter of the name change of: NATALIE GRACE KRUEGER

By (Petitioner) NATALIE GRACE KRUEGER

NOTICE IS GIVEN:

A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: From: NATALIE GRACE KRUEGER to: NATHAN JOSEPH MCKAY Birth Certificate: NATHAN JOSEPH MCKAY

IT IS ORDERED

This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Judge's Name: HON. GLENN H YAMAHIRO RM 412 PLACE 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233

DATE MAY 5, 2026, TIME 11:15A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:

Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Dated: 3-17-2026

BY THE COURT:

HON. GLENN Y YAMAHIRO

Circuit Court Judge

129/3-25/4-1-8-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING**

Case No. 26CV002708

In the matter of the name change of: LAURYN LYN BRIGHT-MAXWELL

NOTICE IS GIVEN:

A Petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: From: LAURYN LYN BRIGHT-MAXWELL to: LAURYN LYN MAXWELL Birth Certificate: LAURYN LYN BRIGHT-MAXWELL

IT IS ORDERED

This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Judge's Name: HON. TIMOTHY WITKOWIAK RM 415 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE: APRIL 30, 2026, TIME 10:30 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:

Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Dated: 3-25-2026

BY THE COURT:

HON. TIMOTHY WITKOWIAK

Circuit Court Judge

128/3-25/4-1-8-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING**

Case No. 2026CV002190

In the matter of the name change of: DEVIN ARMAND DEMARIO CANNON

By (Petitioner) DEVIN ARMAND DEMARIO CANNON

NOTICE IS GIVEN:

A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: FROM: DEVIN ARMAND DEMARIO CANNON to: Cerayza Armah ni Jade Cannon Birth Certificate: DEVIN ARMAND DEMARIO CANNON

IT IS ORDERED

This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Judge's Name: HON. JEAN M KIES RM 413 PLACE 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233

DATE: MAY 6, 2026, TIME 11:00 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:

Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Dated: 3-25-2026

BY THE COURT:

HON. JEAN M KIES

Circuit Court Judge

127/3-25/4-1-8-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING**

Case No. 26CV002165

In the matter of the name change of: NATALIE GRACE KRUEGER

By (Petitioner) NATALIE GRACE KRUEGER

NOTICE IS GIVEN:

A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: From: NATALIE GRACE KRUEGER to: NATHAN JOSEPH MCKAY Birth Certificate: NATHAN JOSEPH MCKAY

IT IS ORDERED

This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Judge's Name: HON. GLENN H YAMAHIRO RM 412 PLACE 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233

DATE MAY 5, 2026, TIME 11:15A.M.

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING**

Case No. 26CV1278

In the matter of the name change of: FNU MUKARAMA

NOTICE IS GIVEN:

A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: From: FNU MUKARAMA to: KALSAR MUKARAMA Birth Certificate: FNU MUKARAMA

IT IS ORDERED

This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Judge's Name: HON. MICHAEL J HANRAHAN ROOM 500 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE: MAY 8, 2026, TIME 10:00 A.M.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED:

Notice of this hearing shall be given by publication as a Class 3 notice for three (3) weeks in a row prior to the date of the hearing in the Milwaukee Community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin.

Dated: 3-25-2026

BY THE COURT:

HON. MICHAEL J HANRAHAN

Circuit Court Judge

126/3-25/4-1-8-2026

**STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY (SMALL CLAIMS) PUBLICATION SUMMONS AND NOTICE**

Case No. 2026SC001983

Plaintiff(s) ANNA MARIA MCATTEE

800 S 32nd Street Milwaukee WI 53215

vs Defendant(s) MATT BERNIE PAT

GRAVES 4225 Good Hope Road Milwaukee WI 53209

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