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### Community leader Nellie Weddle celebrates 90th birthday with family, friends, and other ladies in their 90s!

Nellie Weddle celebrated her 90th Birthday recently at the Sheraton Four Points Hotel.

The theme was "A Legacy of Light" celebrating 90 years of Women's Wisdom. Nellie didn't celebrate her birthday alone.

She celebrated it with five extraordinary women who were also 90 years or older who have made remarkable and lasting contributions to Milwaukee's neighborhoods, churches, families, and community organizations. The five honorees were:

Carnell Grant 97, Ruby Mason-Meeks 90, Ellen Parr 92, Lucyle Scott 92, and Janie Safford 90.

Opening remarks and the Invocation was done by Pastor Greg Lewis. The Emcee of the event was TMJ4 News Reporter Gideon Verdin and the keynote speaker was Michelle Pitts-Luckett.

Nellie was introduced to the guests by Verdin. Nellie was escorted into the room by her sons Lamonte and Steven Weddle. Special honorees were presented with awards. Family remarks were made by Lamonte and Steven. There were event a few words spoke by the 'Lady of the Day,' Nellie Weddle.

The Event ended with a Happy Birthday Singalong.

—Photos by Yvonne Kemp



### From a Seed to Fruit, a legacy that lives on

By Amicia Sutton (formerly Ramsey), Journalist, Former Keynote Speaker 2023 and Proud MCJ Scholarship Recipient

As the Milwaukee Community Journal inches closer to celebrate its 50 years, I find myself reflecting not only on where I've been, but on who I've become.

At 17 years old, I was a recipient of the Milwaukee Community Journal scholarship. At the time, I didn't fully understand what it meant, but looking back, I know a seed was planted in me. It was a seed rooted in purpose, possibility, and community.

Years later, I had the honor of returning as a keynote speaker for the Journal's 47th anniversary. The theme that year centered on diamonds and the pressure it takes to become who you're meant to be.

At that point in my life, I was working in television news, telling stories, highlighting voices, and covering the work happening in the community. I had gone through

my own seasons of pressure and growth, and I was proud of where I stood.

That moment now feels even more meaningful because it happened right before a major shift in my life.

Since then, I've transitioned from the newsroom into a new role as a wife, a mother, and someone deeply involved in my community in a different way. I'm no longer just reporting on the work. I'm doing the work. I'm living it.

And that perspective has changed everything.

My journalism mindset is still very much a part of who I am. I still pay close attention to what's happening in our world, whether it's the economy, politics, or global issues. But now I see it through a more personal lens. I'm not just observing from a distance. I'm connected to it in a deeper way.

That's why the Milwaukee Community Journal is still so important.

For 50 years, this publication has done more than report the news. It has invested in people. It has created opportunities. It has highlighted the individuals who are actively shaping and strengthening our community.

I'll never forget the 47th anniversary celebration. My

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### County Executive David Crowley hosts roundtable on expanding housing access for working families



Milwaukee County Executive David Crowley and the Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) met recently with local housing leaders, developers, advocates, and community partners to explore ways of expanding access to affordable housing for working families.

The roundtable discussion was held at the Marcia P. Coggins Health & Human Services Center in accordance with Fair Housing Month.

This gathering marks an important moment for Milwaukee County and a chance to acknowledge meaningful pro-

**"April is Fair Housing Month, a time to reinforce that access to quality, affordable housing is not just a goal – it is a fundamental foundation for health, stability, and economic mobility." — County Executive Crowley**

gress while advancing the bold, collaborative work still ahead.

Under County Executive Crowley's leadership, Milwaukee County has taken significant steps to expand housing stability, prevent homelessness, and build a more equitable housing landscape.

The roundtable highlighted the successes driving this momentum and fostered candid discussion on remaining opportunities and challenges.

"April is Fair Housing

Month, a time to reinforce that access to quality, affordable housing is not just a goal – it is a fundamental foundation for health, stability, and economic mobility," said County Executive Crowley.

"My administration has realized significant progress in developing affordable housing and advancing our work to address homelessness. As we look ahead, collaboration is essential.

"I'm encouraged by our part-

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Milwaukee Mayor Cavalier Johnson helped open a new place to get your caffeine on at 350 W. Layton Ave. It's called '7 Brew', a beverage stand offering over 20,000 unique drink combinations. The new 7 Brew franchise owner, Tommy Pennington and his staff donated \$1,000 to Children's Wisconsin hospital. Representatives from Children's were on site to receive the donation. —Photo provided by Reed Public Relations

# Crowley hosts roundtable on expanding housing access for working families

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opment, minority-owned developments with developers, service providers, landlords, residents, and community stakeholders who are all working toward the same goal: safe, affordable, and equitable housing for all residents and families in Milwaukee County.”

The roundtable participants represented every corner of the housing ecosystem, including affordable housing devel-

opment, minority-owned developments, homeownership, senior housing, homelessness prevention, tenant rights, and reentry advocacy.

“We are fortunate to have a strong countywide consortium of partners who are working collaboratively to put fair housing into practice,” said James Mathy, Administrator, DHHS Housing Services.

“Milwaukee County is ad-

ressing barriers to homeownership for renters in our community, especially for first-time buyers, and what needs to be done to bridge the gap.”

Equity is at the center of Milwaukee County’s housing strategy, ensuring that all residents – especially those historically underserved – have access to safe, stable housing.

Since County Executive

Crowley was elected, Milwaukee County has committed nearly \$50 million toward affordable housing and homeownership efforts that are expanding options for working families.

Following the implementation of the County’s Housing First model, Milwaukee County’s homeless population decreased by 75% in under 10 years, saving taxpayers over

\$30 million in the process.

Also, by focusing on landlord engagement, reentry programs, and community development strategies, Milwaukee County DHHS is helping more people access the housing and wraparound services they need.

Roundtable participants included:

- County Executive David Crowley
- Connor Goggans, DHHS Housing Services
- Erika Sanders, Metropolitan Milwaukee Fair Housing Council
- Colleen Foley, Legal Aid

Society of Milwaukee

- Wendy Weckler, United Way of Greater Milwaukee & Waukesha County/Continuum of Care
- Brian Sonderman, Milwaukee Habitat for Humanity
- Teig Whaley-Smith, Community Development Alliance
- Anthony Kazee, KG Development Group
- Dan Fleischman, Jewish Family Services
- Shannon Ross, The Community

# Milwaukee County releases 2025 fatal overdose data

For the fourth year in a row, overdose and opioid overdose deaths are on the decline in Milwaukee County.

The announcement was made recently by Milwaukee County Executive David Crowley, who was joined by Dr. Ben Weston, the Milwaukee County Medical Examiner Office, and the Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) Behavioral Health Services (BHS) to share the 2025 data on fatal overdoses in Milwaukee County.

The data, which is publicly accessible on Milwaukee County Office of Emergency Management’s Overdose Dashboard, shows that in 2025, there were 387 fatal overdoses in Milwaukee County. Of those, 249 were fatal opioid overdoses.

This is a 17.7% decrease in fatal overdoses and 22.7% decrease in fatal opioid overdoses from 2024. Since 2022, when Milwaukee County experienced 674 overdose deaths, there has been a 42.6% decline. Opioid overdose deaths in 2022 reached 548, but that number has been cut in half, with a 54.6% decline.

“Thanks to the investment of opioid settlement dollars, increased access to free harm reduction supplies, and efforts to eliminate the stigma surrounding substance use disorder, fewer people are dying of overdose, which means more opportunities for treatment, recovery, and a path forward,” said County Executive Crowley.

“As we acknowledge the progress we have made, we must also remember those we have lost. Their lives matter, and their stories remind us why this work is so critical. I am committed to continuing this work until every person in Milwaukee County has access to the care, support, and second chances they deserve.”

In 2023, it was confirmed that Milwaukee County would receive \$111 million over the next 18 years through unprecedented nationwide opioid settlements – the largest amount recovered by any local government in the history of Wisconsin.

Settlement funds have supported a wide range of strategies, including countywide distribution of harm reduction supplies, expanded capacity at residential substance use treatment facilities, improved data analytics to inform policy decisions, grants to help fund partner organizations doing critical work throughout Milwaukee County, and more.

“Three years ago, we were losing a life to opioid overdose every 16 hours,” said Dr. Weston, Chief Health Policy Advisor. “Today, by scaling what works across prevention, harm reduction, and treatment, we’ve reduced opioid deaths in Milwaukee County by more than 50 percent.”

Much of that progress is attributable to expanded access to harm reduction tools. Increasing access, removing financial barriers, and destigmatizing the use of life-saving tools has had an overwhelmingly positive impact on our community. Milwaukee County DHHS is working to get supplies into the hands of the community through multiple initiatives.

In 2022 DHHS launched Harm Reduction MKE, an initiative that began with placing 27 harm reduction vending machines throughout the community, providing easy access to supplies, including nasal naloxone, fentanyl test strips, drug deactivation pouches, medication lock bags, and gun locks.

Through a program called “Pull Up & Pick Up,” residents can order free supplies and pick them up from the Coakley Brothers building on the third Friday of every month. Additionally, in partnership with Vivent Health Depot, residents can now have free harm reduction supplies delivered directly to their homes.

“The continued decline in overdose deaths in Milwaukee County is encouraging and reflects the impact of coordinated efforts across public health, healthcare, and community partners,” said Dr. Wiesława Tłomak, Chief Medical Examiner.

“At the Medical Examiner’s Office, we see firsthand the human toll of this crisis, and while the data shows progress, it also reminds us that this work is far from over. Each case represents a life lost and a family forever changed. We remain committed to providing timely, accurate data to help guide interventions and ultimately prevent future deaths.”

In 2021, DHHS launched Better Ways to Cope (BWTC), a community-centered harm reduction, prevention, treatment and recovery campaign using media platforms to promote services, grant funds to community organizations, and share resources with community members.

As part of this effort, BWTC is currently accepting applications from community organizations to be awarded a two-year \$200,000 grant to fund prevention, harm reduction, treatment, or recovery programs.

To continue delivering resources directly to residents, DHHS BHS will host a 1,000 Doors Challenge on Friday, June 12. Agencies will canvass neighborhoods and hand out harm reduction supplies, with a goal of reaching 1,000 homes and increasing access to life-saving supplies.

Following the canvassing challenge, a resource fair will be held with trainings, demonstrations, resources, and stories of recovery. Those interested in participating can register online.



# More than 300 UWM students to present research at 18th annual Undergraduate Research Symposium

The University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee will highlight student discoveries at the 18th annual Undergraduate Research Symposium.

It’s set for Friday, April 24, 2026, from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the UWM Student Union, Wisconsin Conference Center. The event is free and open to the public.

The symposium is UWM’s biggest undergraduate research event yet.

It showcases 328 students presenting almost 300 research projects from various disciplines at UWM.

Students showcase outcomes of their research collaborations with research faculty and staff, using

posters, oral presentations and prototype displays.

The event gives the public a chance to see hands-on research at an R1 university.

“Undergraduate research is a high impact practice,” said Ali Abedi, UWM vice chancellor for research.

“It changes how students learn and view themselves as scholars and professionals belonging to the research enterprise.”

They gain critical thinking, problem-solving, and analytical skills through these experiences.

Research opportunities are key to UWM’s mission because they help expand equity, significantly improve retention and boost graduation rates.

They also prepare students from all disciplines for success

after college.

**Supporting student success through research**

Most presenters receive Support for Undergraduate Research Fellowship (SURF) awards, which require students to present their work in a public setting. Granted by UWM’s Office of Undergraduate Research, SURF awards are one of the university’s biggest investments in paid jobs for undergraduates

Because the research opportunities are paid, they help reduce financial barriers for students.

SURF awards offer students valuable, paid research jobs. Recipients become research assistants to their faculty mentors.

Each SURF project requires a faculty sponsor, with students and faculty applying together. Faculty

mentors set expectations and guide the research process.

They often work with industry partners or sponsors. This collaboration exposes students to real-world challenges and professional networks.

**Proven impact on retention, graduation and workforce readiness**

Undergraduate research is vital for student persistence and completing degrees at UWM. Undergraduate research boosts student outcomes.

Those who take part see much better results than those who don’t. The benefits include:

- 14-15% higher one-year retention rates for first-year and transfer students
- 30-32% higher four-year graduation rates
- 34-40% higher six-year graduation rates
- Overall graduation rates of 84-89% among undergraduate research participants

These experiences also connect students with faculty and industry networks, enhancing their future opportunities.

**Celebrating undergraduate research at UWM**

UWM provides more than 1,000 undergraduate research opportunities every year. The annual Undergraduate Research Symposium showcases the variety and impact of this work on campus.

“I hope the community will join us in celebrating and supporting our undergraduate researchers,” Abedi said.

“Their work shows the creativity, rigor and potential of UWM students’ research and its impact on the community, and highlights how important research is for student success and the quality of the institution.”

For details on the Undergraduate Research Symposium, visit: <https://sites.uwm.edu/ug-research-symposium-26/>

# MILWAUKEE PUBLIC SCHOOLS SHOWCASES NEW SUSTAINABILITY ACTION PLAN ON EARTH DAY

*\$39+ Million in Grants Support Ongoing Green Initiatives across the District*

In celebration of Earth Day, Milwaukee Public Schools Superintendent Brenda Cassellius, EdD, showcased the district’s new District Sustainability Action Plan: A Roadmap for Healthy and Sustainable Schools.

She was joined by Reflo and other key community partners at Morse Middle School for the Gifted and Talented, 6700 N. 80th Street.

The new action plan was developed with support from the Green Schools National Network. Throughout 2025, more than 300 stakeholders—including MPS students, families, educators, and staff, as well as community partners—provided input into the plan, which reflects the district’s continued collaboration with the community and a shared commitment to student success.

“For more than a decade, sustainability work in MPS has focused on putting students first,” said Dr. Cassellius. “From improving air quality and expanding access to green spaces to hands-on learning through gardens and outdoor classrooms, these efforts help ensure every student, regardless of ZIP code, has access to healthy, safe, and engaging learning environments.”

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their continued collaboration in expanding opportunities for students while also creating a healthier, more sustainable Milwaukee for all.”

The new five-year District Sustainability Action Plan puts existing initiatives into a cohesive strategy that strengthens learning environments while preparing students for the future. In addition to grant-funded work, the plan emphasizes improving district processes, including energy efficiency, and reducing waste by reusing, recycling, and composting to responsibly manage resources, reduce costs, and protect the environment.

“Milwaukee Public Schools is turning a bold commitment into real system-wide action, creating healthier schools and preparing students to lead in a changing world,” said Dr. Ileana Albareda, Executive Director of Green Schools National Network.

“As a partner, Green Schools National Network is proud to support MPS in building a community where sustainability, health, and learning are

deeply connected.”

Many actions outlined in the plan require no new funding and instead focus on operating more efficiently.

Community partnerships remain central to this work, bringing resources, expertise, and real-world learning opportunities directly to students. MPS continues to build on strong relationships with local organizations, civic leaders, and community

groups and is exploring additional opportunities.

Over the past decade, MPS has secured more than \$39 million in grants to support its sustainability initiatives. Advancing sustainability across classrooms, school buildings, and neighborhoods has resulted in green schoolyards, environmental literacy curriculum integration, healthier meals, energy efficiency improvements, and experiential learning opportunities districtwide.

Across the district, existing sustainability initiatives connect learning to students’ cultures, communities, and lived experiences.

Students are growing food, exploring environmental science in their own neighborhoods, and working alongside community organizations on real-world projects—extending learning beyond the classroom and into the community. These experiences also prepare students for high-demand, well-paying career pathways in clean energy, environmental science, engineering, and sustainability.

# WHO, WHAT WHERE, WHEN

COMING AND PAST HAPPENINGS IN AND OUTSIDE OF YOUR COMMUNITY!

## Milwaukee County District Attorney Kent Lovern and members of his staff to address crime prevention and punishment at CBC Forum April 25



Crime prevention and punishment in Milwaukee will be the topic of the Community Brainstorming Conference (CBC) monthly breakfast forum this Saturday, April 25, at St. Matthew CME Church, 2944 N. 9th St. Breakfast will be served 8 to 8:45 a.m. The program will start from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m.

The forum will focus on the current issues and challenges facing the Milwaukee County District Attorney's office, which include: proescutorial priorities, diversion strategies, approaches to violent crime, youth justice concerns, and collaborative efforts with partner agencies.

The forum will also focus on ways to strengthen trust and create opportunities to pro-actively participate in shaping Milwaukee's path forward as it relates to the justice system and the Black community.

The guest panelist will consist of members of the Milwaukee County District Attorney's office, which will include Milwaukee County District Attorney Kent Lovern and members of his staff: Brittany Kachingwe (assistant D.A.), Jesica Ballenger (assistant D.A.), and Ana Ocon (a supervisor with Victim Witness Services). The forum can also be seen on <https://communitybrainstormingconference.org/>.

For more information about the CBC and its forums, go to their website at: <https://communitybrainstormingconference.org/>



Kent Lovern

## Youth Victory Over Violence Week 2026 Announced at Dr. Howard Fuller Collegiate Academy

Dr. Howard Fuller Collegiate Academy will host its fifth annual Youth Victory Over Violence Week from April 27 through April 30, bringing together students, families, and community partners for a week focused on violence prevention, mental health, and youth empowerment.

Media are especially encouraged to attend two key community-facing events that highlight student voice and collective action:

A kickoff press conference on Monday, April 27 at 9:00am featuring student leaders and community partners speaking on issues impacting Milwaukee youth

A community peace march on Thursday, April 30 at 10:00am from the HFCA High School Campus to Victory Over Violence Park, bringing together approximately 200 students and community members in a unified call for safer communities

The week will also include student-centered programming such as interactive workshops, a student-led town hall, a community wellness night, and middle school team-building experiences.

Topics will include gun violence, mental health, social media, substance abuse, and healthy relationships.

"Youth Victory Over Violence means a lot to me as someone who has been abused and seen abuse first-hand. I love being a part of something that lifts survivors up instead of painting us as victims." - Lyrique Jackson, Senior

## 2026 Mount Mary Fashion Show will Celebrate Creativity and Vision

The Mount Mary Student Fashion Shows returns this May, showcasing the next generation of design talent.

The theme for the 2026 event, "Fashion Framed," is a celebration of student vision, where creativity steps out of the frame and onto the runway. The show will feature a gallery presentation of original works by designers and will be planned and coordinated by eight members of the Fashion Show Coordination class.

Highlights include WNBA-inspired looks in partnership with the Blue Angels Basketball team, and collaborative projects with Wisconsin Sea Grant and the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), using sustainable materials to eliminate micro-plastic waste.

The show will also feature winners of the annual "Uniquely Yours" contest, which challenges high school students to creatively "upcycle" materials into runway garments.

The 2026 Mount Mary Student Fashion Show will take place on Friday, May 8 at 1, 5 and 7:30 p.m. in the Alumnae Dining Room, located in Bergstrom Hall (Mount Mary campus).

For tickets, information and showtimes visit [mtmary.edu/fashionshow](http://mtmary.edu/fashionshow)



## SAFE & SOUND Breaks Ground on 'Peace Corner,' a New Community Space for Connection, Prevention, and Neighborhood Support

Safe & Sound will hold a groundbreaking ceremony on Friday, April 24, 2026, for Peace Corner, a new outdoor community space at 4422 W. Leon Terrace that will serve as a re-

source for residents, youth, families, and partners working together to build safer, stronger neighborhoods.

Funded mainly by a \$100,000 grant from Impact100-Greater Milwaukee, Peace Corner is being developed as a lasting community asset where residents, youth, and partners can gather, connect, and build a safer, stronger neighborhood together.

Planned as more than a physical improvement, Peace Corner will be a visible, welcoming space for youth engagement, resident-led activities, neighborhood events, prevention programming, and stronger connection to community resources and support.

The project reflects Safe & Sound's mission to unite residents, youth, law enforcement, and community resources to build safe and empowered neighborhoods.

"Peace Corner reflects the kind

of investment neighborhoods deserve," said Bridget Whitaker, Executive Director of Safe & Sound.

"This space will create opportunities for connection, celebration, prevention, and support, while giving residents and youth a place to gather and build community together."

The groundbreaking marks the next step of a project Safe & Sound believes will become a lasting neighborhood asset and a hub for positive community use.

The organization is grateful to Impact100 Greater Milwaukee and to the supporters and partners helping bring this vision to life.

As Peace Corner takes shape, Safe & Sound looks forward to engaging additional community partners, sponsors, and volunteers who want to help bring this space to life and support its long-term impact in the neighborhood.

## UWM alumnus and Milwaukee historian Clayborn Benson to serve as commencement speaker

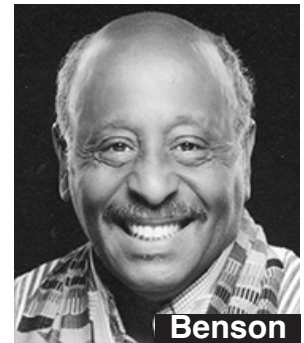
University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee alumnus and renowned Wisconsin historian Clayborn Benson will serve as the commencement speaker for UWM's Spring 2026 graduation ceremonies on Sunday, May 17, at 9 a.m. and 2 p.m. at the UWM Panther Arena. Benson will address graduates at both ceremonies and will receive an honorary degree during the 9 a.m. ceremony.

"Clayborn Benson is a distinguished storyteller, historian and community leader whose life's work reflects the values of service, curiosity and perseverance we strive to instill in our students," said UWM Chancellor Thomas Gibson.

"As an alumnus who has dedicated decades to documenting and sharing Black history in Wisconsin, he will bring a powerful and deeply personal perspective to our graduates as they begin the next chapter of their lives."

Benson is a photographer, historian and military veteran who has had two remarkable careers in his lifetime.

He spent 39 years as an award-winning broadcast journalist with Milwaukee's WTMJ-TV, covering news and sports and earning a reputation for excellence in storytelling.



Benson

While working full time at the station, he enrolled in Milwaukee Area Technical College's photography training program and later attended the U.S. Army's military photography school at Fort Monmouth, New Jersey. He ultimately earned a Bachelor of Arts degree in film from UWM in 1987.

During his time at UWM, Benson received a grant to produce "Black Communities," a documentary examining Black housing, migration, settlements and trade skills in the United States, Wisconsin and Milwaukee.

The film aired on NBC affiliate WTMJ-TV, on public television stations across the state and became a formative project in shaping his future work.

While producing the documentary, he recognized that the history and heritage of Black Americans in Wisconsin were widely scattered and inadequately preserved.

In response, he founded the Wisconsin Black Historical Society/Museum in 1987 to collect, preserve and share that history while also serving as a neighborhood anchor and resource.

He has built and maintained an unparalleled collection documenting Black life in Milwaukee that has been used by researchers, students, journalists and community groups, and Benson remains one of the state's most influential voices.

A lifelong learner, Benson went back to earn a master's degree in public history from UWM's College of Letters & Science in 2024 at the age of 75.

Benson's many honors include the City of Milwaukee Living Legacy Award, the Milwaukee Press Club Hall of Fame Award, the Emmy Silver Circle Award from the National Academy of Television Arts and Sciences regional chapter, and the UWM Alumni Lifetime Achievement Award.

The Summit will bring together executive directors, business owners, senior leaders, and key decision-makers from organizations working to advance community health and equity. Participants will take part in structured learning sessions, expert presentations, interactive workshops, and peer knowledge exchange—all aimed at strengthening long term organizational sustainability and sharpening strategic messaging in an evolving landscape.

It supports Milwaukee County's long-term vision of becoming the healthiest county in Wisconsin by bolstering organizations that advance quality of life and equity for all residents.

"Organizations across Milwaukee County are experiencing fiscal strain, narrative pressure, and increased uncertainty," said Sumaiyah Clark, executive director of the Milwaukee County Office of Equity.

"This Summit equips leaders with practical tools and language to navigate these challenges while reinforcing our shared commitment to equitable community impact."

The Summit emphasizes practical application rather than a one-size-fits-all model.

Attendees will engage with tools and frameworks they can immediately apply within their organizations and will receive a post-event toolkit to support continued work.

This is not a funding announcement or grant opportunity.

Attendees can expect to learn about sustainability frameworks and how to:

- Structure presentations on sustainability frameworks and how to use narrative exploration to position your organization.
- Benefit from hands-on workshops covering messaging, adapting to shifting public/funder narratives, and diversified approaches to sustainability.
- Be part of peer exchanges, networking, and more.

"Through their participation at the Sustainability Summit, we want our guests to leave with improved confidence in articulating their organizational impact, a starting sustainability planning framework, ideas for partnership or revenue diversification, and strengthened peer connections," said Clark.

The registration deadline for the Sustainability Summit is Friday, April 24, 2026, at 5:00 p.m.

## Milwaukee County office of Equity announces 2026 Sustainability Summit

The Milwaukee County Office of Equity, in partnership with Colorful Connections, announces the 2026 Milwaukee County Sustainability Summit, a strategic gathering designed to support community-based organizations and small businesses navigating financial uncertainty and shifting public narratives around equity and inclusion.

The event will take place Tuesday, May 5, from 11:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Marcia P. Coggins Health and Human Services Center, 1230 W. Cherry St., Milwaukee. The cost of attending is free and is limited to the first 60 registrants.



# I admit, I'm a 'big flirt'! And I also admit I can get in trouble for it too!

I had (still have to tell you the truth) a reputation for being somewhat of a flirt for most of my early adult life. I couldn't help it because my late father was 'rolling stone' (no, he was not a member of the famous British rock band of the same name), as was my uncles and grandfather. Flirtation is in my genes.

I also admit to being a womanizer between my two wives.

My current wife of three decades cut that umbilical cord. I was also 'encouraged' to put my flirtatious ways behind me after witnessing what happened to some men during the 'Me Too' Movement and new government policies on sexual harassment.

It was during that period several years ago that thousands of men fell from their perches of wealth, fame, comfort and control for committing acts of harassment ranging from suggestive flirtation to touching.

In many cases, male supervisors or employers have forced an employee to 'knock boots' (now it's called, 'slapping cheeks') for advancement and found themselves bending over for 'Big Bubba.'

A recent study revealed 201 high profile men have lost their jobs, and/or social status, because of allegations of sexual harassment. Those range from Hollywood film producer Harvey Weinstein, to former Minnesota U.S. Senator Al Franken, to former NBC 'Today Show' host and news anchor Matt Lauer.

Interestingly, of those 201 'perpetrators,' less than a dozen were brothers, such as former Michigan U.S. House Rep. John Conyers. I don't know if that's a reflection of cultural differences, or the fact that most sisters are less tolerant.

Conversely, the movement to end sexual harassment has put honest and flirtatious brothers in awkward positions. I'm not talking about the devilish dogs or powerful punks. I'm referring to run-of-the-mill brothers who don't know when to stop talking, or think they are still living in the 1970s.

Its put those brothers, including me, who were

brought up in a different era and regard flirtation as a way of complimenting a woman in awkward—and now embarrassing...and litigious positions.

For example, Black folks love to hug to show affection, or mere friendliness.

We have to wait for the sister to initiate. And you can't even make what were once innocent comments, like: 'you look lovely today,' or 'nice outfit.'

Today, you can't say anything other than 'hi' without being charged up. And you better not say anything while scanning a sister's torso. In fact, you better not look at a woman the 'wrong' way for fear of being tagged a chauvinistic pig or pervert.

At the VA hospital, for example, there are signs suggesting that anything can be interpreted as harassment; warning women to be on guard (no pun intended), and for men to keep their mouths and eyes closed.

I can understand the need to rid the military of sexual harassment as more and more women on ships or in fox holes will retaliate. Situations where a woman in lower ranks finds herself in unfavorable positions are a step away from charging you up.

In the military, rank doesn't have its privileges...at least not anymore.

Which bring me to this major societal point: I heard of situations where an attractive woman was not hired because she was impossible to ignore.

In the civilian world, even a glance can lead to chargers, suspensions and/or firings.

If you recall, I penned a column a couple of years ago called the 'five second rule.' A woman perceived a man was 'looking' at her too long--over five seconds-- at a fitness club and complained to management.

A friend who witnessed the scenario warned me



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not to join the club in the heart of the central city (Midtown) because many of the women dressed suggestively. Thus, it was all but impossible to ignore the fine figured sisters. He said you could look, but only for less than five seconds, and you better do so out of the corners of your eyes.

It's a major contradiction, and would reduce the Black population otherwise.

The sister who complained was wearing form fitting pants that left nothing to the imagination, including a 'camel toe' (a part of the woman's-ahem!-anatomy. I'll just leave it at that.

You can use your imagination as to what I am referring to).

On the day in question she was on a treadmill in front of the man. Another sister said he 'looked' at her butt. He was also on a treadmill. He wasn't drooling, or smiling; in fact he was speeding along at a high speed (5.0) meaning he didn't have too many opportunities to do anything but concentrate on his workout.

Anyway, let me flip the script.

I heard 101.7 radio talk-show host Sherwin Hughes noting on his show that a 'fan' named Linda came into the studio and sat on his lap. He was taken aback. I guess he, or security, removed the woman from the station.

But of more importance, imagine a man was to abruptly and without forewarning sit on a woman's lap under the same circumstance?

He would probably be charged with second degree sexual assault and end up in prison.

My point is men and women are treated differently.

I was in the hospital for a day last week. Two nurses referred to me as 'honey.' I wasn't offended even though their demeanor (which I appreciated) could have gotten them in trouble had I reported it.

I've been in restaurants where a hostess has called me 'honey, or 'sugar.' I wasn't offended, nor did I take the comment as a sexual advance.

I occasionally say something that would otherwise seem innocent to older women who know what I mean if I would say something flirtatious. They are not offended by me calling them 'darling' (even though I now just say 'sister' or 'princess'). If they're older, I might use the term, 'Queen.'

I would never call any woman a 'bitch,' even though I heard them calling each other the b-word. The same with nigger (n-word) which I find more offensive.

I was brought up to never speak out of turn to a woman, of any age. And as I gotten older, I love them more the older they are.

There have been dozens of women working in various capacities at the Milwaukee Community Journal over the past half century, many under my direct supervision.

Never has there been a complaint. Oh, yes, there was one case where a writer said she was the victim of sexism because she felt she should have been promoted over current MCJ Editor Thomas Mitchell, who had far more tenure and talent. Ironically, she failed to note that the final promotion decision was made by the publisher, who happens to be a no nonsense woman; our queen, Patricia O'Flynn Pattillo.

The sister in question tried to use the sexual harassment tool as a weapon, which many women do.

I'm not going to bury my flirtatious nature, nor will I do anything to offend a sister. I'm not a butt man, so they don't have to worry about that. And since I don't know if a sister will be offended or appreciative of a 'two' second glance, I will restrict my glances. In fact, if I'm with my wife, I might comment about a shapely sister; a good workout deserves a reward. In fact, my wife is appreciative of the benefits of hard work, or workout.

She has mentioned looking at a sister at a workout class who has benefitted from their work at a YMCA fitness class.

It will take another generation for us to get on track. In the interim, I will offer that parents teach their children to keep their eyes on the sky, and hope they don't trip on any cracks in the sidewalks.

**Hotep.**

## From a Seed to Fruit

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parents were in the audience, brother and husband (at the time we were in a dating relationship).

The room was filled with excellence, but it also felt like family. There was genuine joy in celebrating leaders and honoring the legacy of Patricia O'Flynn Pattillo and her late husband and others. I remember looking around and seeing other scholarship recipients, people who, like me, had grown into their own paths and were making an impact.

It made me realize that this work

produces something real.

In the Bible, we're taught that a good tree bears good fruit. The Milwaukee Community Journal is a good tree.

For decades, it has planted seeds through storytelling, scholarships, and representation. And today, we are seeing the fruit of that work in the lives of those who were poured into. I am one of them.

As I reflect on 50 years, I see a legacy that continues to grow. A legacy that has helped shape individuals who go on to serve, lead, build, and

give back.

My hope is that the Journal continues to do what it has always done so well, not only telling stories, but uplifting the people who are actively doing the work in our communities.

Because those are the stories that matter. Those are the stories that last.

And as for me, I carry this legacy with me in every role I step into.

The seed that was planted all those years ago is still growing. I am a product of MCJ's investment, a witness of its impact and believer of its future.



## Public health veteran is Trump's pick to lead CDC as administration shifts tone on vaccines

**By Sarah Owerhohle, Brenda Goodman, Adam Cancryn and CNN**

who will become CDC deputy director and chief medical officer; and Sean Slovenski, a former Walmart and Humana executive who will serve as a deputy director and chief operating officer.

The secretary nodded to the incoming group of CDC leaders during one congressional hearing Thursday.

"We're bringing in an extraordinary team. ... The team has been leaked, and it's gotten applause from both Republicans and Democrats," Kennedy said before the House Appropriations subcommittee on health. "I think this new team is really going to be able to revolutionize CDC and get it back on track and get it doing the job that it does better than any other health agency in the world."



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**WE HAVE BLACK MILWAUKEE'S ATTENTION!**

# TITAN OF THE TURBULENT SKY:

## BESSIE COLEMAN, JOHN BETSCH SR., AND THE DAY THAT SHOOK JACKSONVILLE

We Remember Queen Bess 100 Years Later

By Opio Lumumba Sokoni, JD  
Courtesy of the Florida Star

The shadow of a Curtiss JN-4 Jenny bi-plane against the Florida sky was the last thing Bessie Coleman ever saw.

On April 30, 1926, the woman known to the world as “Queen Bess”—the first African American and Native American woman to hold an international pilot’s license—plummeted to her death in Jacksonville.

As the world marks the centenary of that tragic morning, the historical focus often remains on the wreckage in a field near Paxon Airfield.

However, the true story of that day is also anchored in the streets of Jacksonville’s “Black Wall Street,” where a young businessman named John Thomas Betsch Sr. found himself at the center of a national media firestorm.

### The Flight and the Fall

Bessie Coleman didn’t come to Jacksonville just to fly; she came to inspire. She was preparing for an exhibition sponsored by the Negro Welfare League, intended to raise funds and awareness for the Black community.

BOSTON, MA – Dr. Gail C. Christopher, a renowned advocate for health equity and racial healing, recently delivered a powerful keynote address at the 9th Annual Black Maternal Health Conference, hosted by the Center for Black Maternal Health and Reproductive Justice at Tufts University.

Themed “Women’s Health Now: Innovations, Equity, and Whole-Person Care,” the event brought together healthcare professionals, policymakers, and community leaders to address the urgent need for systemic change in Black maternal health outcomes.

Dr. Christopher delivered a heartfelt reflection on her personal and professional journey spanning over five decades.

She shared poignant stories of loss and resilience, underscoring the persistent disparities in maternal and infant health that disproportionately affect Black women and their families.

Her message was both a call to action and a celebration of progress,

emphasizing the importance of innovation, equity, compassion, and community-driven solutions.

“Thank you so much for inviting me to share my thoughts and my experiences with you today. It’s an honor for me to share the insights that I’ve gained over, honestly, more than 50 years of trying to improve outcomes,” she said at the April 10th event.

“As we come together to do this work, to take care of our mothers and to take care of our babies, we need to lead with love...and recognize that it will take courage, but we have demonstrated that courage for centuries, and we are continuing to do that today.”

Dr. Christopher began her address by recounting deeply personal experiences that shaped her lifelong commitment to improving maternal and infant health.

Growing up in Cleveland, Ohio - a city with some of the nation’s starkest racial health disparities - she witnessed the devastating impact of maternal and infant mortality within her own community.

These early experiences, coupled with the loss of her firstborn child, ignited her passion for addressing the systemic inequities that contribute to these tragedies.

“I had a personal relationship with maternal and infant mortality long before I understood it as a national disparity,” shared Dr. Christopher,

On the day of the test flight, Coleman was scouting the terrain from the passenger seat, unbuckled so she could peer over the edge of the cockpit to locate the best site for a parachute jump.

When the plane suddenly accelerated, flipped, and pitched her into the air from 2,000 feet, the city of Jacksonville became the epicenter of a tragedy that devastated Black America.



### A Prince in the Eye of the Storm

At the time, John Thomas Betsch Sr. was a 26-year-old rising star in Jacksonville’s professional circles. An employee of the Afro-American Life Insurance Company and a man deeply embedded in the civic life of the Sugar Hill neighborhood,

who is Executive Director of the National Collaborative for Health Equity (NCHE). “These experiences fueled my determination to ensure that Black women have healthy pregnancies and healthy babies.”

Her journey led to a career as a licensed naturopath and clinical nutritionist, where she worked in partnership with gynecologists to provide holistic care to expectant mothers.

Dr. Christopher highlighted the success of her approach, noting that the thousands of women she counseled experienced significantly improved outcomes, with no maternal deaths and only rare instances of low birth weight.

She praised the conference’s theme of “Reimagining” maternal health, emphasizing the need to envision a future where health equity is a reality.

She reflected on her leadership of the Joint Center for Political and Economic Studies’ Health Policy Institute nearly two decades ago, where she spearheaded the Courage to Love Commission.

This initiative focused on the role of stress, social determinants, and relational support in Black maternal health outcomes.

“We understood that at the heart of this chronic problem was the issue of relationships—support systems that could improve circumstances and outcomes for Black women,” Dr. Christopher explained.

She highlighted the commission’s groundbreaking work on breastfeeding, nutrition, and community-based interventions, many of which have since been integrated into policy and practice.

She also celebrated recent advancements, including the White House’s 2024 conference on maternal health and the introduction of the Mombibus legislation—a comprehensive package of policies to address the social determinants of health and access to quality care for expectant mothers.

She expressed optimism about the potential impact of these initiatives, while acknowledging the need for continued advocacy to ensure their

## DR. GAIL C. CHRISTOPHER

REFLECTS ON FIVE DECADES OF ADVOCACY FOR BLACK MATERNAL HEALTH AT BLACK MATERNAL HEALTH CONFERENCE

Article courtesy of the National Collaborative for Health Equity

Betsch had been instrumental in organizing the airshow and coordinating Coleman’s visit.

When the tragedy struck, the mainstream and Black press alike scrambled for details. Betsch, who had been on the ground and was intimately involved in the logistics of the event, was thrust into the headlines. For a harrowing period following the crash, he was even detained by local authorities as they investigated the mechanical failure—a loose wrench that had reportedly jammed the controls.

The media storm was relentless. From the Chicago Defender to the Associated Press, Betsch’s name became synonymous with the tragic end of an icon. Yet, in the face of intense scrutiny and personal grief, he remained a pillar of dignity, ensuring that the legacy of the pilot was protected even as the nation watched Jacksonville with a critical eye.

### Beyond the Tragedy

While 1926 marked a dark chapter for Jacksonville and the Betsch family, it did not define them. John Thomas Betsch Sr. went on to become a titan of industry and a guardian of the community.

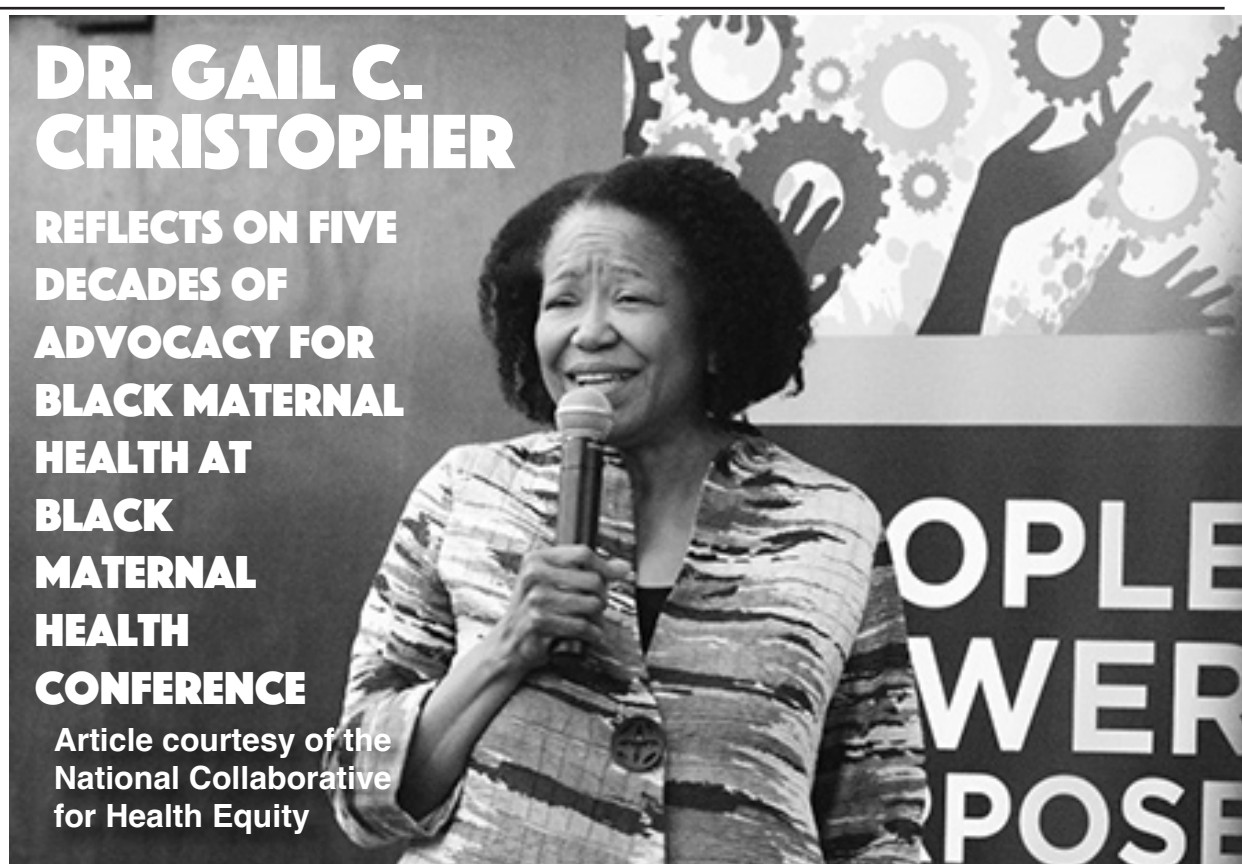
His efforts helped build the institutions that allowed Black Jacksonville to thrive under the weight of segregation, from his work with the Afro-American Life Insurance Company to his involvement in the development of American Beach—a sanctuary where “relaxation without humiliation” was the standard.

The century that has passed since Coleman’s fall has not dimmed her brilliance, nor has it erased the memory of the man who stood by her mission in her final days.

While the world remembers the pilot who reached for the stars, Jacksonville also remembers the man who kept the ground steady for his community.

### A Legacy Continued

As the sun sets over Jacksonville this April 30th, one hundred years later, we remember the brave woman in the sky and the steady man on the ground who ensured her story—and the story of their people—would never be forgotten.



passage and implementation.

A central theme of Dr. Christopher’s address was the critical importance of nutrition and environmental factors during pregnancy. She highlighted the emerging field of epigenetics, which examines how external factors influence gene expression during fetal development.

“In that one percent of the life course—during pregnancy—environmental and nutritional factors are most critical,” she explained.

“These factors determine whether genes that predispose to chronic disease or disabilities are expressed. Proper nutrition and stress reduction are essential to optimizing outcomes for both mother and child.”

Dr. Christopher applauded initiatives such as the Food is Medicine movement and recent efforts to expand nutrition education in medical schools.

However, she noted the absence of Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCUs) in these efforts and called for greater inclusion and investment in institutions that serve Black communities.

She asserted that achieving health

equity requires addressing racism at both individual and structural levels.

She shared insights from her work at the W.K. Kellogg Foundation, where she designed the Truth, Racial Healing, and Transformation (TRHT) framework - a national initiative aimed at dismantling the belief in a hierarchy of human value and transforming systems that perpetuate inequities.

“Racism is not just a factor; it is the root cause of the disparities we see,” Dr. Christopher stated. “We must tackle the belief systems and structures that sustain inequities, from segregation and redlining to inequities in transportation, housing, and the legal system.”

The TRHT framework—which includes pillars focused on narrative change, relationship building, and structural transformation—has been introduced to more than 250 jurisdictions across the United States. According to the American Public Health Association, these jurisdictions have declared racism a public health crisis.

Dr. Christopher highlighted the importance of community-driven solu-

tions, noting that local leaders are using tools like the Health Opportunity for Equity (HOPE) Data Initiative to set quantifiable goals and hold policymakers accountable.

Despite the challenges, she expressed unwavering optimism about the future of Black maternal health.

She pointed to the progress made in recent decades, including the establishment of baby-friendly hospitals, the inclusion of breastfeeding protections in the Affordable Care Act, and the proliferation of community-based birthing centers and support programs like Centering Pregnancy.

“These advancements remind us that change is possible,” she said. “We are not the resistance; this moment of inequity is the resistance. Our movement toward equity is the inevitability of progress.”

Dr. Christopher concluded her address with a call to lead with love and courage, inspiring healthcare professionals, policymakers, and community leaders to work together toward a more equitable future rooted in compassion and resilience.

## Common Council adopts, Mayor signs legislation making MKE a Sensory Inclusive City

During the Common Council meeting recently, the Council adopted file #240920 – a resolution relating to the designation of Milwaukee as a Certified Sensory Inclusive City.

The ordinance, introduced by Common Council President José G. Pérez, authorizes the Department of Employee Relations to enter into an agreement with KultureCity to provide training and to develop and implement a citywide sensory inclusion program.

Following the Council meeting, Mayor Cavalier Johnson signed the ordinance into law.

“One goal that is always present in our decision making is to make Milwaukee an inclusive, welcoming city for everyone – employees,

residents, and visitors,” said President Pérez. “

Acknowledging that a significant portion of the population has sensory needs, and providing them the tools and resources to better access our city is a step forward toward making Milwaukee more accessible for everyone.”

KultureCity’s Sensory Inclusive certification process includes staff training by leading medical and neurodivergent professionals on how to recognize individuals with sensory needs and how to respond to sensory overload situations, as well as the provision of sensory bags equipped with noise-canceling headphones, fidget tools, verbal cue cards, and weighted lap pads.

The City will take the lead in engaging its employees, with partner Visit Milwaukee playing a prominent role in presenting the KultureCity training model to its various partners and organizations citywide.

“I want to thank KultureCity for their work in providing these tools to our community and others, as well as thank my colleagues for their support of this item, and all the partners who have stepped up to make this a truly citywide effort,” President Pérez added.




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**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV002807**

In the matter of the name change of: SISIERRA CAPRICE NIXON

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

From: SIERRA CAPRICE NIXON to: SIERRA CAPRICE ALAIMO Birth Certificate: SIERRA CAPRICE NIXON

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 5, 2026, TIME 3:30 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: 3-19-2026

BY THE COURT:

HON. THOMAS J MCADAMS Circuit Court Judge 148/4-8-15-22-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV003015**

In the matter of the name change of: BRAYDEN ASCENCIO

By (Petitioner) BRAYDEN ASCENCIO

NOTICE IS GIVEN:

A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above:

From: BRAYDEN ASCENCIO to: BRAYDEN ALAN STRIKE Birth Certificate: BRAYDEN ASCENCIO

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 14, 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: 4-2-2026

BY THE COURT:

HON. MICHAEL J HANRAHAN Circuit Court Judge 146/4-8-15-22-2026

**STATE OF MINNESOTA DISTRICT COURT COUNTY OF RAMSEY SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT FAMILY COURT DIVISION SUMMONS FOR DISSOLUTION OF MARRIAGE WITH CHILDREN**

In Re: The Marriage of: MINA OUGAYOUR, Petitioner

And MIMOUN OUGAYOUR, Respondent

STATE OF MINNESOTA COUNTY OF RAMSEY

VS

THE STATE OF MINNESOTA TO THE ABOVE-NAMED RESPONDENT:

WARNING: Your spouse has filed a lawsuit against you for dissolution of your marriage. A copy of the paperwork regarding the lawsuit is served on you with this summons. This summons is an official document from the court that affects your rights. Read this summons carefully. If you do not understand it, contact an attorney for legal advice.

1. The Petitioner has filed a lawsuit against you asking for a dissolution of your marriage (divorce). A copy of the Petition for Dissolution of Marriage is attached to this Summons.

2. You must serve upon Petitioner and file with the Court a written Answer to the Petition for Dissolution of Marriage and your Financial Affidavit. You must pay the required filing fee. Answer forms and the Financial Affidavit form are available from the Court Administrator's office.

You must serve your Answer and Financial Affidavit upon Petitioner within thirty (30) days of the date you were served with this Summons, not counting the day of service. If you do not serve and file your Answer and Financial Affidavit, the Court may give your spouse everything he or she is asking for in the Petition for

DISSOLUTION OF MARRIAGE. 3. This proceeding involves, affects, or brings into question the real property located in Anoka County or elsewhere, specifically: The parties own property at 1096 Jackson Street, Saint Paul, MN 55117, legally described as: Subdivision Name: MAGNOLIA DIVISION LOT 11 BLK 2 NOTICE OF TEMPORARY RESTRAINING PROVISIONS Under Minnesota law, service of this summons makes the following requirements apply to both parties to the action, unless they are modified by the court or the proceeding is dismissed: (1) Neither party may dispose of any assets except (a) for the necessities of life or for the necessary generation of income or preservation of assets, (b) by an agreement of the parties in writing, or (c) for retaining counsel to carry on or to contest this proceeding. (2) Neither party may harass the other party. (3) All currently available insurance coverage must be maintained and continued without change in coverage or beneficiary designation. (4) Parties to a marriage dissolution proceeding are encouraged to attempt alternative dispute resolution pursuant to Minnesota law. Alternative dispute resolution includes mediation, arbitration and other processes as set forth in the district court rules. You may contact the court administrator about resources in your area. If you cannot pay for mediation or alternative dispute resolution, in some counties, assistance may be available to you through a non-profit provider or a court program. If you are a victim of domestic abuse or threats as defined in Minnesota statutes, chapter 518b, you are not required to try mediation and you will not be penalized by the court in later proceedings. IF YOU VIOLATE ANY OF THESE PROVISIONS, YOU WILL BE SUBJECT TO SANCTIONS BY THE COURT. NOTICE OF PARENT EDUCATION PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS Under Minnesota Statutes, Section 518.157, in a contested proceeding involving custody or parenting time of a minor child, the parties must begin participation in a parent education program that meets minimum standards promulgated by the Minnesota Supreme Court within 30 days after the first filing with the court. In some Districts, parenting education may be required in all custody or parenting proceedings. You may contact the District Court Administrator for additional information regarding this requirement and the availability of parent education programs. Dated: January 20, 2026 /s/ Ahmed Bachelani Ahmed Bachelani I.D. No. 0391737 Bachelani Law Office 8609 Lyndale Ave S Suite 104 Bloomington, MN 55420 (651) 428-7872 Attorney for the Petitioner 149/4-8-15-22-2026

STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV003063

In the matter of the name change of: FELICIA LILLIAN WRIGHT

NOTICE IS GIVEN: A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: From: FELICIA LILLIAN WRIGHT to: FELICIA LILLIAN AGNEW Birth Certificate: FELICIA LILLIAN WRIGHT

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 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: 4-2-2026 BY THE COURT: HON. GLENN Y YAMAHIRO Circuit Court Judge 153/4-8-15-22-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV003033**

In the matter of the name change of:

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NOTICE IS GIVEN: A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: FROM: LAW THEY HAE TO: LAW DAESON Birth Certificate: LAW THEY HAE

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 11, 2026, TIME 3:00 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: 4-2-2026 BY THE COURT: HON. J.D. WATTS Circuit Court Judge 151/4-8-15-22-2026

**STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY DECLARATION OF MAILING DIVORCE – 40101 Case No. 2026FA000334**

In Re: The marriage of Petitioner: GREGORY ROBERT HAMANN and Respondent: LINDWEE DAWN STAR I DECLARE THAT: 1. The respondent is being served the authenticated Publication Summons. A separate affidavit of publication from the publisher/printer will be filed with the court. 2. In order to comply with statutory requirements for publication, I have also placed in an envelope a copy of the authenticated Summons and Petition. 3. On 4/2/2026 which is on or before he first publication date, I mailed that envelope with proper postage affixed to: LINDWEE DAWN STAR, 6549 S 17TH STREET MILWAUKEE WI 53221

I declare under the criminal penalty of false swearing that the information I have provided is true and accurate Date: 4-2-2026 BY: GREGORY ROBERT HAMANN 7845 S Septhor Drive #11 147/4-8-15-22-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV002900**

In the matter of the name change of: ANTOINE DEMONE WATKINS By (Petitioner) ANTOINE DEMONE WATKINS

NOTICE IS GIVEN: A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: From: ANTOINE DEMONE WATKINS to: ANTOINE DEMONE WATKINS-DUPREE Birth Certificate: ANTOINE DEMONE WATKINS

IT IS ORDERED This petition will be heard in the Circuit Court of Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin. Judge's Name: HON. WILLIAM S POCAN RM 401 PLACE 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE: MAY 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: 4-7-2026 BY THE COURT: HON. THOMAS J MCADAMS Circuit Court Judge 155/4-8-15-22-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV002920**

In the matter of the name change of: AZHURI NORMANI RASH By (Petitioner) SHABNNA MONEA GRIFFIN

NOTICE IS GIVEN: A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: From: AZHURI NORMANI RASH to: AZHURI NORMANI GRIFFIN Birth Certificate: AZHURI NORMANI RASH

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 20, 2026, TIME 3:15 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: 3-30-2026 BY THE COURT: HON. THOMAS J MCADAMS Circuit Court Judge 156/4-8-15-22-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV003267**

In the matter of the name change of: MATEO DARRYL GAYDEN By (Petitioner) LATEENA DENISE FIELDS By (Co-Petitioner) JOHNATHAN DARRYL GAYDEN

NOTICE IS GIVEN: A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: From: MATEO DARRYL GAYDEN to: NATHAN DARRYL GAYDEN Birth Certificate: MATEO DARRYL GAYDEN

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 19, 2026, TIME 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: 4-8-2026 BY THE COURT: HON. GLENN Y YAMAHIRO Circuit Court Judge 157/4-8-15-22-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV002254**

IN THE MATTER OF THE NAME CHANGE OF: ARGREANNA DOTSON

NOTICE IS GIVEN: A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: FROM: ARGREANNA DOTSON TO: ADREANA DOTSON Birth Certificate: ARGREANNA DOTSON

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 20, 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: 3-12-2026 BY THE COURT: HON. WILLIAM POCAN Circuit Court Judge 162/3-18-25/4-1-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 2026CV003498**

In the matter of the name change of: MIGUEL LUISREY RUIZ, JR By (Petitioner) MIGUEL LUISREY RUIZ, JR

NOTICE IS GIVEN: A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: FROM: MIGUEL LUISREY RUIZ, JR to: MIGUEL CASTANEDA Birth Certificate: MIGUEL LUISREY RUIZ, JR

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: MAY 22, 2026, TIME 10:45 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: 4-14-2026

BY THE COURT: HON. REYNA MORALES Circuit Court Judge 167/4-15-22-29-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV003409**

In the matter of the name change of: SAABEA TUSHIYAH SCHAETER By (Petitioner) CHRISTOPHER JACOB SCHAETER By (Co-Petitioner) GRACE NATALIA SCHAETER

NOTICE IS GIVEN: A Petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: From: SAABEA TUSHIYAH SCHAETER to: SAABEA GRACE SCHAETER Birth Certificate: SAABEA GRACE SCHAETER

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: MAY 22, 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: 4-10-2026 BY THE COURT: HON. TIMOTHY WITKOWIAK Circuit Court Judge 166/4-15-22-29-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV003408**

In the matter of the name change of: YAAWDAH TOBAIYAH SCHAETER By (Petitioner) CHRIS JACOB SCHAETER By (Co-Petitioner) GRACE NATALIA SCHAETER

NOTICE IS GIVEN: A Petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: From: YAAWDAH TOBAIYAH SCHAETER to: KEENEN BERDSON SCHAETER Birth Certificate: KEENEN BERDSON SCHAETER

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: MAY 22, 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: 4-10-2026 BY THE COURT: HON. TIMOTHY WITKOWIAK Circuit Court Judge 168/4-15-22-29-2026

**STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY (PUBLICATION) DECLARATION OF MAILING DIVORCE – 40101 Case No. 26FA001496**

In Re: The marriage of Petitioner:

LAW THEY HAE By (Petitioner) LAW THEY HAE

NOTICE IS GIVEN:

A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: FROM: LAW THEY HAE TO: LAW DAESON Birth Certificate: LAW THEY HAE

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 11, 2026, TIME 3:00 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: 4-2-2026 BY THE COURT: HON. J.D. WATTS Circuit Court Judge 151/4-8-15-22-2026

**STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV003267**

In the matter of the name change of: MATEO DARRYL GAYDEN By (Petitioner) LATEENA DENISE FIELDS By (Co-Petitioner) JOHNATHAN DARRYL GAYDEN

NOTICE IS GIVEN:

A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: From: MATEO DARRYL GAYDEN to: NATHAN DARRYL GAYDEN Birth Certificate: MATEO DARRYL GAYDEN

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 19, 2026, TIME 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: 4-8-2026 BY THE COURT: HON. GLENN Y YAMAHIRO Circuit Court Judge 157/4-8-15-22-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV003274**

In the matter of the name change of: JENÉE IMAN JACKSON

NOTICE IS GIVEN: A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: FROM: JENÉE IMAN JACKSON to: AVI ALI ANWAR-JACKSON Birth Certificate: JENÉE IMAN JACKSON

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 29, 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: 4-8-2026 BY THE COURT: HON. JEAN M KIES Circuit Court Judge 158/4-8-15-22-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV002920**

In the matter of the name change of: AZHURI NORMANI RASH By (Petitioner) SHABNNA MONEA GRIFFIN

NOTICE IS GIVEN:

A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: From: AZHURI NORMANI RASH to: AZHURI NORMANI GRIFFIN Birth Certificate: AZHURI NORMANI RASH

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 20, 2026, TIME 3:15 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: 4-8-2026 BY THE COURT: HON. THOMAS J MCADAMS Circuit Court Judge 156/4-8-15-22-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV003389**

IN THE MATTER OF THE NAME CHANGE OF: LISA MARIE LUCKETT JONES By (Petitioner) LISA MARIE LUCKETT JONES

NOTICE IS GIVEN:

A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: FROM: LISA MARIE LUCKETT JONES TO: LISA MARIE LUCKETT Birth Certificate: LISA MARIE LUCKETT

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: JUNE 3, 2026, TIME 5:20 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: 4-14-2026

BY THE COURT: HON. REYNA MORALES Circuit Court Judge 167/4-15-22-29-2026

9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE MAY 20, 2026, TIME 3:15 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: 3-30-2026 BY THE COURT: HON. THOMAS J MCADAMS Circuit Court Judge 156/4-8-15-22-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV003389**

IN THE MATTER OF THE NAME CHANGE OF: LISA MARIE LUCKETT JONES By (Petitioner) LISA MARIE LUCKETT JONES

NOTICE IS GIVEN:

A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: FROM: LISA MARIE LUCKETT JONES TO: LISA MARIE LUCKETT Birth Certificate: LISA MARIE LUCKETT

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: MAY 22, 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: 4-10-2026 BY THE COURT: HON. TIMOTHY WITKOWIAK Circuit Court Judge 166/4-15-22-29-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV002254**

IN THE MATTER OF THE NAME CHANGE OF: ARGREANNA DOTSON

NOTICE IS GIVEN:

A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: FROM: ARGREANNA DOTSON TO: ADREANA DOTSON Birth Certificate: ARGREANNA DOTSON

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 #

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 ERNESTO NUNEZ HERNANDEZ 5270 W Clinton Ave Milwaukee WI 53223

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: 4-15-2026 BY: TAHILIA CARYN NUNEZ WILLIAMS 169/4-15-22-29-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV003517**

In the matter of the name change of: EDUARDO J HERRERA

NOTICE IS GIVEN: A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: FROM: EDUARDO J HERRERA TO: JOSE EDUARDO AVILA Birth Certificate: EDUARDO J HERRERA

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 MAY 27, 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: 4-14-2026 BY THE COURT: HON. PAUL VAN GRUNSVEN Circuit Court Judge 170/4-15-22-29-2026

**STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY SUMMONS WITHOUT MINOR CHILDREN Case No. 26FA000624 Divorce: 40101**

IN RE: THE MARRIAGE OF: ANTHONY MOSLEY 5148 N 49th St Milwaukee WI 53218 Petitioner and LATINA HUGHES 5148 N 49th St Milwaukee WI 53218 Respondent

THE STATE OF WISCONSIN, to the person named above as a respondent

You are hereby notified that your spouse has filed a lawsuit or other legal action against you. The Petitioner, which is attached, states the nature and basis of the legal action.

Within 20 days of receiving this Summons, you must provide a written response, as that term is used in Ch. 802, Wis. Stats., to the Petition. The Court may reject or disregard a response that does not follow the requirements of the statutes.

The response must be sent or delivered

to the following government office: Milwaukee County RM 104 Milwaukee County 901 N 9th St. Milwaukee WI 53233.

The response must also be mailed or delivered within 20 days to the petitioner at the address above. It is recommended, but not required, that you have an attorney help or represent you.

If you do not provide a proper response within 20 days, the court may grant judgment against you and you may lose your right to object to anything that is or may be incorrect in the Petition.

A judgement may be enforced as provided by law. A judgment 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.

Dated in Milwaukee, Wisconsin this 2nd day of February 2026 BY: ANTHONY MOSLEY 165/4-15-22-29-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 2026CV003387**

In the matter of the name change of: GRINDLE LEE MCDONALD By (Petitioner) GRINDLE LEE MCDONALD

NOTICE IS GIVEN: A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: FROM: GRINDLE LEE MCDONALD TO: GRENADA LEE MCDONALD Birth Certificate: GRINDLE LEE MCDONALD

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: MAY 22, 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: 4-10-2022 BY THE COURT: HON. REYNA MORALES Circuit Court Judge 161/4-15-22-29-2026

**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 FELICIE WILDER

NOTICE IS GIVEN: A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: From: AZARIA FELICIE WILDER TO: ARIANA FELICIE WILDER Birth Certificate: AZARIA FELICIE 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 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. 2026CV002992**

In the matter of the name change of: KURT ROBERT MEINGAST

NOTICE IS GIVEN: A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: FROM: KURT ROBERT MEINGAST TO: KRISSE AMARYLLIS MEI-MEINGAST Birth Certificate: KURT ROBERT MEINGAST

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 29, 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: 4-21-2026 BY THE COURT: HON. JEAN M KIES Circuit Court Judge 171/4-22-29/5-6-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 2026CV1231**

In the matter of the name change of: ASHLEY RENEE BOUNDS

NOTICE IS GIVEN: A petition was filed asking to change the

name of the person listed above: From: ASHLEY RENEE BOUNDS to: AMIR MONAE JOHNSON Birth Certificate: ASHLEY RENEE BOUNDS

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 MAY 14, 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: 4-8-2026 BY THE COURT: HON. CYNTHIA DAVIS Circuit Court Judge 174/4-22-29/5-6-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV3656**

In the matter of the name change of: ANGEL GABRIEL SARMIENTOS ANAYA By (Petitioner) AUDELINA GAUTHIER

NOTICE IS GIVEN: A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: From: ANGEL GABRIEL SARMIENTOS ANAYA to: ANGEL GABRIEL GAUTHIER Birth Certificate: ANGEL GABRIEL SARMIENTOS ANAYA

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 JUNE 1, 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: 4-17-2026

**NOTICE** Milwaukee Public Schools (MPS) is requesting proposals for **Physical Needs Assessment (PNA) at District-Wide**, 1124 North 11th Street, Milwaukee, WI. Project scope, proposal requirements and guidelines may be obtained online at: <https://mps.aegraphics.com/>. **THEN:** 1. Click on "All Public Jobs". 2. Search for the project listed above. 3. **OR** paper copies may be obtained from 7:30 A.M. to 5:00 P.M.; Monday through Friday from A/E Graphics, Inc.; 4075 North 124th Street, Brookfield, WI 53005; phone (262) 781-7744; fax (262) 781-4250. Call A/E Graphics, Inc. for availability of proposal documents. **MPS HUB and Student Employment / Participation requirements are as stated within the proposal documents.** **A virtual pre-proposal meeting will be held at 1:30 PM on Friday, April 24, 2026.** Refer to the RFP for log-in instructions. **All questions should be submitted in writing prior to 12:00 PM on Tuesday, April 28, 2026 to [DFMSProcurement@milwaukee.k12.wi.us](mailto:DFMSProcurement@milwaukee.k12.wi.us).** No questions will be answered after that date and time. No questions will be answered verbally. No verbal information from any source is to be relied upon by any respondent in the development of their response to the RFP. Written questions and responses will be documented by way of addenda, which will be forwarded to all bidders. **Submit all proposals, as stated within the proposal document instructions, no later than 3:00 PM on Friday, May 1, 2026.** Dr. Brenda Cassellius Superintendent of Schools 04-22-26

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BY THE COURT: HON. THOMAS J MCADAMS Circuit Court Judge 172/4-22-29/5-6-2026

**SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV003611**

In the matter of the name change of: ASHLEY JULIETTE PATE By (Petitioner) ASHLEY JULIETTE PATE

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**OFFICIAL ADVERTISEMENT** Office of the Milwaukee Public Schools, DEPARTMENT OF FACILITIES AND MAINTENANCE SERVICES, 1124 North 11th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, April 16, 2026. **Sealed bids will be received until Monday, May 4, 2026 at 1:30 PM** on-line through A/E Graphics, Inc., pursuant to Section 119.16(4) Wisconsin Statutes in accordance with plans and specifications for the following work: All contractor(s) and subcontractors(s) are subject to the current livable wage rate, in accordance with the City of Milwaukee Ordinance 310-13. Per 2015 WI Act 55, prevailing wage rate laws have been repealed for all MPS Construction Projects beginning January 1, 2017. **BID GUARANTY TO ACCOMPANY BID: MPS Bid Bond, Certified or Cashier's Check: 10% of Contractor's Base Bid. INVESTMENT SCHOOLS – BID PACK 2 Three Different Sites** • **2A. RIVER TRAIL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, 12021 W. Florist Avenue** • **2B. STARMS DISCOVERY LEARNING CENTER 2023 N. 25th Street** • **2C. GWEN T. JACKSON ELEM SCHOOL, 2121 W. Hadley Street Milwaukee, WI Three Zip Codes Site Nos. 194, 312, 377 Project Nos. 9997, 9894, 9895**

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NOTICE IS GIVEN: A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: From: ASHLEY JULIETTE PATE to: JULIETTE DUHON LARSON Birth Certificate: ASHLEY JULIETTE DIDIER

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 19, 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: 4-20-2026 BY THE COURT: HON. MICHAEL J HANRAHAN Circuit Court Judge 173/4-22-29/5-6-2026

SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV3759 In the matter of the name change of: TAYLOR NICOLE COOPER By (Petitioner) TAYLOR NICOLE COOPER

NOTICE IS GIVEN: A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: FROM: TAYLOR NICOLE COOPER TO: TAYLOR NICOLE LUCKETT Birth Certificate: TAYLOR NICOLE COOPER

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: JUNE 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: 4-22-2026

BY THE COURT: HON. J.D. WATTS Circuit Court Judge 175/4-22-29/5-6-2026 STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY (SMALL CLAIMS) PUBLICATION SUMMONS AND NOTICE Case No. 26SC006120 Plaintiff(s) NORTHSIDE PETROLEUM INC 1605 W Oklahoma Ave Milwaukee WI 53215 vs Defendant(s) DIAMOND REED 6093 N 37th St Milwaukee WI 53209

Publication Summons and Notice of Filing TO THE PERSON(S) NAMED ABOVE AS DEFENDANT(S): You are being sued by the person(s) as named above Plaintiff(s). A copy of the claim has been sent to you #3at your address as stated in the caption above. The lawsuit will be heard in the following Small Claims court: Milwaukee County Courthouse Telephone Number of Clerk of Court: 414-278-5362 Courtroom/ Room Number 400 Address: 901 N 9TH Street City: 53233 Milwaukee State WI Zip 53233 on the following date and time: DATE: APRIL 27, 2026, Time: 8:30 A.M

If you do not attend the hearing, the court may enter a judgment against you in favor of the person(s) suing you. A copy of the claim has been sent to you at your address as stated in the caption above. A judgement awarding money may become a lien against any real estate (property) you own now or in the future and may also be enforced by garnishment of seizure of property.

You may have the option to Answer without appearing in court on the court date by filing a written Answer with the clerk of court before the court date. You must send a copy of your Answer to the Plaintiff(s) named above at their address. You may contact the clerk of court at the telephone number above to determine if there are other methods to answer a Small Claims complaint in that county. Date: 4/3/2026 Plaintiff/Attorney WILLIAM K DAVIS 150/4-8-15-22-2026

SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV003762 In the matter of the name change of:

YEJAN YAREE JONES-WILLIS NOTICE IS GIVEN: A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: From: YEJAN YAREE JONES-WILLIS to: YEJAN YAREE JONES-EDWARDS Birth Certificate: YEJAN 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. MICHAEL J HANRAHAN ROOM 500 PLACE: 901 N. 9th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 53233 DATE: JUNE 4, 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: 4-22-2026 BY THE COURT: HON. MICHAEL J HANRAHAN Circuit Court Judge 179/4-22-29/5-6-2026

SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 2026CV003567 In the matter of the name change of: JEREMIAH RAMIR OUSLEY-EDWARDS

By (Petitioner) JAVASHA LAMONTIA OUSLEY-LEFLORE

NOTICE IS GIVEN: A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: FROM: JEREMIAH RAMIR OUSLEY-EDWARDS to: JEREMIAH RAMIR OUSLEY Birth Certificate: JEREMIAH RAMIR OUSLEY-EDWARDS

community Journal, a newspaper published in Milwaukee County, State of Wisconsin. Dated: 4-15-2026 BY THE COURT: HON. REYNA MORALES Circuit Court Judge 180/4-22-29/5-6-2026

SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 26CV3761 In the matter of the name change of: MICHELLE BECKLEY BOYCE

NOTICE IS GIVEN: A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: FROM: MICHELLE BECKLEY BOYCE TO: MICHELLE BECKLEY BOYCE Birth Certificate: MICHELLE BECKLEY BOYCE

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: JUNE 5, 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: 4-22-2026 BY THE COURT: HON. J.D. WATTS Circuit Court Judge 176/4-22-29/5-6-2026

SUMMONS (PUBLICATION) STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY NOTICE AND ORDER FOR NAME CHANGE HEARING Case No. 2026CV003566 In the matter of the name change of: JAIDEN JAVARI OUSLEY-EDWARDS By (Petitioner) JAVASHA LAMONTIA OUSLEY-LEFLORE

NOTICE IS GIVEN: A petition was filed asking to change the name of the person listed above: FROM: JAIDEN JAVARI OUSLEY-EDWARDS to: JAIDEN JAVARI OUSLEY Birth Certificate: JAIDEN JAVARI OUSLEY-EDWARDS

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: JUNE 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: 4-15-2026 BY THE COURT: HON. REYNA MORALES Circuit Court Judge 177/4-22-29/5-6-2026

STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY SUMMONS WITHOUT MINOR CHILDREN Case No. 26FA001280 Divorce: 40101

IN RE: THE MARRIAGE OF: MIGUEL ANGEL GOMEZ 3627 W Becher St Milwaukee WI 53215 Petitioner and LUZ JANETH SOLEDAD ALMEIDA CORTEZ 2424 S 10th St Milwaukee WI 53215 Respondent

THE STATE OF WISCONSIN, to the person named above as a respondent

You are hereby notified that your spouse has filed a lawsuit or other legal action against you. The Petitioner, which is attached, states the nature and basis of the legal action. Within 20 days of receiving this Summons, you must provide a written response, as that term is used in Ch. 802, Wis. Stats., to the Petition. The Court may reject or disregard a response that does not follow the requirements of the statutes.

A judgement may be enforced as provided by law. A judgement 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.

Dated in Milwaukee, Wisconsin this 3rd day of March 2026 BY: MIGUEL ANGEL GOMEZ 181/4-22-29/5-6-2026

STATE OF WISCONSIN CIRCUIT COURT MILWAUKEE COUNTY (SMALL CLAIMS) PUBLICATION SUMMONS AND NOTICE Case No.26SC006634 Plaintiff(s) MANDEEP DHAWAN 1605 W Oklahoma Ave Milwaukee WI 53215 vs Defendant(s) MUHAMMAD NAZIR HUSSEIN BIN 3346 S 15th Street Milwaukee WI 53215

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TUESDAY, MAY 5, 2026 11:30AM - 5:00PM

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