

# **DIVINE 9 LEGISLATIVE DAY HOSTS**

- Josiah Thornton, lota Phi Theta Fraternity, Inc.
- The Honorable Shamieka Rhinehart, Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.

## 8:00 A.M. – REGISTRATION OPENS

### 9:00 A.M. – OPENING SESSION

### **Opening Invocation**

Rev. Dr. Jay C. Augustine, National Chaplain, Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc.

### **Welcome and Acknowledgements**

Dennie Freeman, NC D9 Legislative Day Working Group Chair Alpha Omicron Omega Chapter, Iota Phi Theta Fraternity, Inc.

#### Recognition and Remarks from Divine 9 Leadership

#### **Greetings from Executive Branch**

The Honorable Roy Cooper, Governor

#### Greetings from the Judicial Branch

The Honorable Carolyn J. Thompson, NC Court of Appeals Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.

### Greetings from the NC General Assembly

- Representative Terry Brown, NC House Minority Whip (District 92)
- Representative Zach Hawkins, NC Bipartisan HBCU Caucus (District 31)
- Senator Kandie Smith, NC Legislative Black Caucus (District 5)
- Senator Dan T. Blue, NC Senate Minority Leader (District 14)
- Representative Robert Reives II, NC House Minority Leader (District 54)

#### Greetings from the North Carolina NAACP

Jamye Bridges-Pass, Director, NC NAACP Executive Committee Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc.



# 9:30 A.M. – ELECTION JUDICIAL TOWN HALL

Connecting the Dots on the Issues and Understanding What's at Stake - Part 1

Moderator: Carol Goins, Esq., Delta Sigma Theta, Sorority, Inc.

#### Panelists:

- The Honorable Michael Morgan, Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc.
- The Honorable Lora Cubbage, Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.

# 10:45 A.M. – INTRODUCTION + KEYNOTE ADDRESS

### Introduction of Keynote Speaker

Marcus Bass, Deputy Director, NC Black Alliance Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc.

#### **KEYNOTE ADDRESS**

#### Rev. Dr. William Barber II

President and Senior Lecturer, Repairers of the Breach Chair, Poor People's Campaign

## 11:45 A.M. – 12:00 P.M. – LUNCH BREAK

Visit the Box Lunch Station to pick up your lunch.

## 12:00 P.M. – ELECTION ADMINISTRATION PANEL

Connecting the Dots on the Issues and Understanding What's at Stake - Part 2

The Honorable Jessica Holmes, NC State Auditor

### 1:00 P.M. – 1:15 P.M. – CLOSING SESSION

### **Closing Unity Prayer**

Reverend Tayon Dancy, Chaplain, South Atlantic Region Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.

# 1:15 P.M. – 2:30 P.M. – PHOTOS

- Divine Nine Legislative Day Unity Photo
- Individual Organization Photos

## 2:30 P.M. – 4:00 P.M. – LEGISLATIVE VISITS



