Remembering and Honoring the Legacy of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

As we pay homage to Dr. Martin Luther King Jr., let us promote and uplift the narrative of Dr. King as a radically conscious warrior, truth teller and principled opponent to racism, poverty, militarism and war.

The status quo, including modern day racist, white-supremacist and so-called liberal media continue to portray Martin Luther King as just a civil rights leader with no profound or distinct political perspective or ideology.

MLK had more than just a dream. He came to understand the importance and righteousness of demands for Reparations on behalf of the descendants of enslaved Blacks.

He also developed a distinct perspective and vision of a world devoid of greed, white-supremacy and militarism at home and abroad. Let us continue to honor this legacy by our dedication and hard work in the pursuit of self-determination.
The time is now for us to organize, build and support an independent Black/New Afrikan Labor Organization!
We are tired of the traditional labor unions neglecting and bypassing the needs of Black workers for jobs and employment.
Witness the multiple tax-payer funded projects in your area that have very few or no Black workers on the site. Witness the multiple construction projects in your area subsidized with tax-payer dollars that have very few if any Black workers on site. The time is now! Join and Support the New Afrikan Workers Union! (www.newafrikanworkers.org)

NEW AFRIKAN WORKERS UNION – (NAWU)

Presents the 1st In a series of community discussions
WHO REPRESENTS BLACK WORKERS?

DATE: February 27th, 2019 (Wednesday)
TIME: 6:00pm - 8:00pm
LOCATION: Hill District Library, 2177 Centre Avenue,
Pittsburgh, PA 15219

For any additional information: (412) 606-0059 or kraheem322@yahoo.com
Visit our Blog page at newafrikanworkersunion.wordpress.com
Visit us on Facebook at New Afrikan Workers Union
WWW.NEWAFRIKANWORKERS.ORG
‘Jobs, Justice, Freedom, Self-Determination’
CALL FOR WRITERS, CORRESPONDENTS, POETS, PHOTOGRAPHERS

capturing the moments digitally—we are calling on you!

All submissions may be subject to some type of editing and become the property of 'New Afrikan Panther', unless otherwise noted.

In order to be considered and entered into the following month's edition, please submit your items by the 25th of the month.

Send your essays, stories, poetry, photos and videos to:

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NATIONAL MOBILIZATION AGAINST POLICE BRUTALITY AND THE FRATERNAL ORDER OF POLICE (FOP)

As we pursue the ideal goal of ‘Community-Control of the Police’, the National Mobilization Against Police Brutality & the Fraternal Order of Police (FOP) also propose the following interim reforms:

1. Mandatory cultural sensitivity training for all new and veteran police officers.
2. Intense psychological evaluations for all officers, especially those returning from military service.
3. Legislation creating a National Civilian-Police Review Board.
4. Universal drug-testing for any police officer who discharges his/her weapon while in the performance of duty.
5. Mandatory reporting for all stop, frisk, arrest and/or civilian confrontations.
6. Mandatory body-cameras for all police officers.
7. Mandatory dash-board cameras for all police vehicles, including transport vans.
8. We advocate & support local legislation which prohibits local police from acting as immigration enforcement officers.
9. We advocate & support legislation which guarantees full & public disclosure of any police officers prior employment history, including complaints and disciplinary actions resulting from all allegations and/or findings of police misconduct.

No one, not even police officers and/or members of the Fraternal Order of Police (FOP) should be exempt from accountability and prosecution regarding criminal misconduct.

Sincerely,

National Mobilization Against Police Brutality and the FOP

https://fopwatch.wordpress.com

(412) 606-0059
Background:
The Committee for a Civilian-Police Review Board of Allegheny County is an organizing initiative of National Mobilization Against Police Brutality & the FOP. [fopwatch.wordpress.com]

Who We Are:
A group of individuals, organizations and associations that are interested in generating and organizing community discussion concerning a civilian police review board for Allegheny County, Pennsylvania.

Statement of Purpose:
1. To educate and engage the community (citizens and residents of Allegheny County) concerning police misconduct and ways to remedy the situation.
2. To serve as advocates for the creation of a civilian police review board for Allegheny County.
3. To facilitate the process for its creation and make sure that such a board is empowered with all the necessary instruments needed to hold police accountable, such as investigatory and subpoena powers.
4. To advocate and demand that such board composition is also representative of those communities which have been disproportionately impacted by police brutality and misconduct.
5. To work with all necessary community, legislative, executive and judicial bodies to create and empower such a board.

How Police "Justify" Shootings
- "Other Allegations, Incident" 4%
- "Suspect lithium,其它" 4%
- "Suspect armed with knife" 25%
- "Suspicious" 47%
- "Suspect" 47%
- "Told to threatened" 47%
- "Suspect blind" 10%
- "Suspect" 47%
- "Other Allegations" 25%
**Background:**

The People's Campaign for Reparations and Black Self-Determination is an organizing initiative of the New Afrikan Independence Party. (www.newafrikann.org)

Our mission is to obtain Reparations and Self-Determination for all Black people within the United States of America.

We want reparations for the pain, suffering, enslavement and economic exploitation of Blacks during the periods of Slavery, State-Sponsored Terrorism and Jim Crow.

We demand the release of all Political Prisoners who in response to Jim Crow, white-supremacy and state violence engaged in organized resistance and were profiled, targeted and incarcerated.

We demand the release of those Political Prisoners who are/were subject to additional harm, including prolonged solitary confinement and torture for political resistance during their incarceration. All must be released.

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**GET INVOLVED AND JOIN THE MOVEMENT FOR REPARATIONS AND BLACK SELF-DETERMINATION! NEVER FORGET!**

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**People’s Campaign for Reparations and Black Self-Determination**

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FACEBOOK: People’s Campaign for Reparations and Black Self Determination
(412) 606-9059
New Afrikan Independence Party

MALCOLM X – FOUNDERS DAY BRUNCH (2019)

DATE: February 23, 2019 (Saturday)
TIME: 11:30 – 1:00pm
LOCATION: 849 N. Braddock Avenue, Braddock, PA 15104

For Tickets and Donations: go to EVENTBRITE
For additional information: (412) 606-0059 or kraheem322@yahoo.com

All Power to the People! www.newafrikan.org  Free the Land!
UPCOMING EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

NAIP Biennial Strategic Planning and Organizing Review

MEMBERSHIP GATHERING AND ORGANIZATIONAL REVIEW:

JOIN THE BLACK RADICAL POLITICAL TRADITION!!!

- Voter Registration and Voter Protection
- Proportional Political Representation
- Open Primaries
- Easier and Fair Ballot Access

DATE: February 23, 2019
TIME: 1:00pm – 2:30pm
LOCATION: 849 Braddock Avenue, Braddock, Pa. 15104

For additional information: (412) 606-0059
THE TIME IS NOW.

During the last fifty years, the Democrat and Republican parties have failed to address and remedy the systemic and structural inequalities that impact the lives of Black/New African people. Both the Democratic and Republican leadership avoid and/or marginalize serious national discussion regarding dismantling White supremacy, institutional racism and the plight of Blacks/New Africans, especially the urban poor and working class.

The New African Independence Party (NAIP) is committed to the pursuit of social justice, human rights and self/group determination for Black/New African people. We call for a revolutionary and radical reconstruction of the economic, political and social structures and institutions that impact our lives.

The NAIP will embrace the best ideals, ideas and practices of the Civil Rights, Black Power, Black Liberation, Pan-Africanist and other movements for independence and self/group determination.

The NAIP will also embrace the best ideals and practices of contemporary activists, organizers and movements for social change and radical reconstruction.

MAJOR INFLUENCES

- Marcus Garvey
- Malcolm X
- SNCC
- BLACK PANTHER PARTY
- REPUBLIC OF NEW AFRIKA
White Supremacy and Black Economic Disparity as Public Policy

Looking out over the terrain of economic development throughout the United States, particularly those urban and suburban areas populated by Black/New Afrikan people, we can’t help but notice the very real disparities in jobs and opportunities. In many of these areas, such as Pittsburgh, Detroit and Chicago, Black people continue to experience unemployment, underemployment and poverty at twice the rate of their white counterparts. Blacks/New Afrikans continue to have difficulty securing jobs through various construction projects, even those that are funded/subsidized by tax-payer or public funds. We notice that many trade unions, specifically those led by whites continue to discriminate in their hiring of Black workers. Keeping Black people poor, dependent and weak through chronic unemployment and underemployment appears to be unofficial public policy for those in power, whether they be democrat or republican. Look at the construction sites and workplaces in your city, county and/or state. Tell me what you see…,

All Power to The People!
Brother Khalid Raheem (January 22, 2019)
Political Education and Community-Organizing classes are mandatory for all NAP members.

Contact us if you would like to set up a Political Education and Community Organizing class in your area.

Currently we meet every Saturday from 11am-1pm in the Pittsburgh, Pa. area.

The NAP provides over 10 modules which include the following:

- The Philosophy and Platform of the NAP
- White Settler Nation: the Political Economy of the United States
- Electoral Politics and Black/New Afrikan Liberation
- Malcolm X to George Jackson

We also facilitate sessions on:

- Organizing to Stop Police Brutality & Terror
- The Impact of Mass Incarceration

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SISTERS ARE DOING IT FOR THEMSELVES

In today's political and social climate it's important for Black/New Afrikan women to be educated, trained and organized in ways and methods of self-defense. Obtaining gun permits and attending classes on gun safety and operations is a major step toward achieving that goal.
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"Until the killing of black men, black mothers' sons, becomes as important to the rest of the country as the killing of a white mother's son, we who believe in freedom cannot rest until this happens."

Ella Baker, 1964

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New Afrikan Independence Party

Basic requirements for NAIP candidates seeking public office

In order to run for any public office as a member of and/or ballot line of the New Afrikan Independence Party, the following requirements must be met:

1. You must be an organizational member of the New Afrikan Independence Party (NAIP) in good standing. Your completed membership application must be on file with our national office in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.
2. You must be registered with your local board of elections as a member of the New Afrikan Independence Party (NAIP).
3. You must have been an active Party member for at least six (6) months prior to your candidacy. Active party members are those who attend and participate in Political Education and Community Organizing classes, attend NAIP-sponsored events and actively support NAIP projects and programs.
4. You must demonstrate a basic understanding of the ‘Philosophy and Platform of the New Afrikan Independence Party’.
5. Your campaign must be supported by your local chapter and leadership.

All Power To The People!

Khalid Raheem
Chairman & Founder

January 16, 2017
MEMBERSHIP CODE OF CONDUCT

1. Listen attentively to the people. There is no change without them.
2. Be courteous and respectful, especially to the youth and elders.
3. Protect and defend one another and your communities.
4. Don’t make promises that you can’t keep. Your word is bond.
5. Be honest. Do not lie, cheat or steal from the people.
6. Party members must study and learn the NAIP philosophy and platform.
7. Depending on their schedule and availability, all Party members must participate in Political Education (P.E) and Community Organizing (C.O.) classes.
9. Follow your national and local leadership. Focus on principle, not personality.
10. Do not use drugs, alcohol and/or intoxicants while representing the NAIP or doing Party work.
11. Work hard to get things done. Talk is cheap.
12. Develop and maintain a moral compass in all that you do.

National Executive Committee

January 7, 2017
1. We want freedom. We want power to determine the destiny of our New Afrikan/Black Community.
2. We want the complete dismantling and abolition of White-supremacy.
3. We want Reparations for Slavery, State Sanctioned Terrorism and Jim Crow.
4. We want Freedom for all Political Prisoners.
5. We want Proportional Political and Judicial Representation.
6. We want adoption and implementation of a King-Malcolm-Chavez Plan for jobs and economic development.
7. We want an end to the War on Drugs and Mass Incarceration.
8. We want General Amnesty for the Formerly Incarcerated and Convicted.
9. We want reform and restructuring of the educational system.
10. We want a National Civilian-Police Review Board & Community Control of the Police.
11. We want free universal health care.
12. We want clean air, clean water and healthy food for all.
13. We want safe and affordable housing.
14. We want universal debt relief for those making less than $250,000 per year.
15. We want land, food, housing, education, clothing, justice and peace. And, as our major political objective, a United Nations supervised plebiscite to be held throughout the New Afrikan/Black colony in which only New Afrikans/Black colonial subjects will be allowed to participate, for the purpose of determining the will of Black people as to their national destiny.

Khalid Raheem, Founder
February 21, 2012