

COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA OFFICE OF COUNCILMEMBER TRAYON WHITE, SR., Ward Eight

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Councilmember Trayon White to Host Unity Breakfast in Celebration of Kwanzaa

(Washington, DC) — Saturday, December 30, 2017, Councilmember Trayon White will host Unity Breakfast from 9:00AM-11:00AM at the Union Temple Matthews Memorial, located 2616 Martin Luther King Jr Ave SE, Washington, DC.

The community is invited to join the Unity Breakfast as a celebration of Kwanzaa. "Kwanzaa brings a cultural message which speaks to the best of what it means to be unified. I want to help unify the community in Ward 8 at a time where many are going through great challenges. We know that in the spirit of unity, or "Umoja," we can overcome those challenges together. Let us break bread. I extend my wishes to all those celebrating Kwanzaa this holiday season," says Councilmember Trayon White.

This year's celebration will highlight principles of Kwanzaa, uniting to break bread, prayer for safety, and more. Special guests include Advisory Neighborhood Commission Chairs; Chair of Ward 8 Democrats; and more.

About Councilmember Trayon White

Councilmember Trayon White represents Ward 8 of the District of Columbia. He provides support and empowers people who suffer from the social impact of crime, violence, drug abuse, educational disparities and poverty. He is known for his common sense approach and business acumen to combat social ills in Ward 8. Councilmember White prides himself on being a servant leader and an example for young people, a mentor for many, and a support for all youth in Ward 8 and across Washington DC.

Trayon White was elected to the D.C. Council in November 2016 and serves on the Committee on Housing and Neighborhood Revitalization; Committee of the Whole; Committee on Education; Committee on Government Operations; Committee on Human Services; and Committee on Labor and Workforce. **CONTACT**: For additional information, please contact Wanda D. Lockridge, Chief of Staff, at either (202) 724-8045 or <u>wlockridge@dccouncil.us</u>.

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