



# BEYOND THE GOLD STANDARD:

*Making A Local Impact With A Global Presence*

2019 District Conference Agenda

- 9:00 AM** Registration/Vendors
- 9:30 AM** Call to Order: Words of Welcome  
Brother Rodney De Vore (DML), NJAAPAC Executive Director
- Report by the Eastern Region Vice President  
Brother Lucien Metellus, Eastern Region Vice President
- 10:00 AM** Election Committee Report & Nominations  
Brother Rodney De Vore
- 10:30 AM** Treasurer's Report  
Brother Walter Johnson, Jr. (ZNL), NJAAPAC Treasurer
- 10:45 AM** State of The District Address  
Brother Alfred D. Glass (AAL), District IV Director
- 11:00 AM** Morning Break/Voting
- 11:15 AM** Workshop Sessions
- Workshop 1*  
Make Black Count: Voting, The 2020 Census, and The Political System
- Workshop 2*  
Give Us The Ballot: Restoring The Right To Vote For The Formerly Incarcerated
- Workshop 3*  
Advocacy In Action: The 7 Step Guide To Influencing Policymaking In NJ



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- 12:30 PM** Brother Elbert C. Wisner Fraternal Luncheon & Belford V Lawson Oratorical Contest  
Chair: Brother Dr. Alex Ellis (ZIL)
- 1:45 PM** Report by the Assistant Eastern Region Vice President  
Brother Travis Nelson, Eastern Region Assistant Vice President
- 2:15 PM** Workshop Sessions
- Workshop 4*  
When They See Us: Brand Management & Visibility at the Local Level
- Workshop 5*  
Impact to the Future: Mentoring the Men of Tomorrow – An Introduction to NJAAPAC 2020  
Mentoring Initiative
- Workshop 6*  
Chasing The Bag and Flip It: Leveraging Your 501c3 to Raise and Give More
- 3:45 PM** District Round-Up  
Putting it all together and moving forward as a District  
Brother Alfred D. Glass (AAL), District IV Director
- 4:15 PM** District Conference Closing Presentation  
Alpha Hymn & Prayer, All Brothers  
Adjournment