

Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. Saginaw Alumnae Chapter



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Social Action Committee Report

Upcoming Events

Delta Days at the Nation's Capital (DDNC) February 22nd - 25th 2020 Washington D.C.

Our commitment to Social Action started 107 years ago when our Founders walked down Pennsylvania Ave in the Women's Suffrage March. We must understand how much power we really have.

Destination 22

Collect \$22 from no less than 22 sorors. This is a collective effort to ignite advocacy for future generations. We must ensure that our rich legacy of Social Action is passed on. What better way than to support our Michigan collegiate sorors to Delta Days at the Nation's Capital.

Steps to contribute to Destination 22:

1. Collect \$22 from sorors
2. Send the collected funds via check or money order. Check or money order should be made payable to Delta Sigma Theta, Place your chapter's name in the memo.
3. Mail check or money order to P.O. Box 486, Southfield, MI 48037. % Destination 22
4. Postmark deadline is January 10, 2020

Delta Days in the State Capitol is Tuesday, April 21st, 2020 Lansing, Michigan.

2020 Census kick-off is April 1st. Please save the date on your calendars.

Leading up to the Census, we need our chapters to monitor the latest news about the Census and the Complete Count Committees in our local area. We cannot afford to be silent on this. Movements are built from the ground up, therefore it is necessary to organize.

From Census to Redistricting: Michigan Independent Citizens Redistricting Commission

Every 10 years following the U.S. Census, district lines for political offices must be redrawn in states across the country to accurately reflect their population. In Michigan, a randomly selected commission of citizens is responsible for drawing U.S. Congressional and Michigan State House and Senate district lines. Voters amended the state constitution in the November 2018 general election to make citizens — not legislators or special interests — responsible for drawing district lines (called "redistricting"). The commission will be composed of 13 randomly-selected Michigan registered voters: four who affiliate with the Democratic Party, four who affiliate with the Republican Party, and five who do not affiliate with either major political party.

For information visit: https://www.michigan.gov/sos/0,4670,7-127-1633_91141---,00.html

Respectfully Submitted,

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