

Mississippians United To Elect Negro Candidates

P.O. Box 202
Greenville, Mississippi 38701

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Mr. Amzie Moore
Box 814
Cleveland, Mississippi

Dear Mr. Moore:

Representative of fourteen counties from across Mississippi have formed Mississippians United To Elect Negro Candidates organization to promote the candidacy of Negroes running in the 1967 Mississippi elections. Mississippians United To Elect Negro Candidates is already developing a network of related organizations across the country through which support and resources for the campaigns of these candidates can be channeled.

The present five-man steering of Mississippians United is in the process of being expanded. You are being asked to serve as a member of this committee. Present members of the committee are, myself as chairman, Mr. Lawrence Guyot, Mr. Owen Brooks, Mr. Charles McLaurin and Mr. Hollis Watkins. We would appreciate your serving on the steering committee and hope you will give serious thought to it.

I have enclosed a brochure and letter which are the first materials we have sent to interested groups in the North. An effective number of support groups are already being developed in Chicago, Gary, Ind., Boston, New York City Los Angeles and Washington.

I would appreciate hearing from you as soon as possible.

Sincerely,

Joseph L. Harris (sg)
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Chairman

MISSISSIPPIANS UNITED TO ELECT NEGRO CANDIDATES

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