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# PRESIDENT TRUMP ANNOUNCES END OF DACA

Ending DACA will expose nearly 1M young people to deportation.



Austin, Texas - Today [September 5th], President Donald Trump announced through Attorney General Jeff Sessions that his administration will end the Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA) deportation relief program established under the Obama administration in 2012.

State Rep. Eddie Rodriguez serves as Policy Chair of the Mexican American Legislative Caucus, the oldest and largest Latino legislative caucus in the nation.

State Rep. Eddie Rodriguez issued the following statement regarding the announcement: "DACA was always meant to be a temporary fix, a common-sense stop-gap measure to codify prosecutorial discretion until Congressional Republicans stopped obstructing bipartisan immigration reform. But the deportation relief and work permit DACA put within reach changed countless lives for the better."

"DACA has meant something different to each of its recipients, with one thing in common: freedom."

"There's nothing more American than what DACA recipients have done with the limited freedom the program has granted them. They have graduated from college, become teachers, started businesses, raised families, and contribute billions of dollars per year to our economy."

"The end of DACA could be devastating for our country unless there is a congressional fix. Students will withdraw from college for their inability to pay, families will lose income as primary breadwinners lose their work permits, and our economy will suffer for the loss of entrepreneurship and economic activity."

Our GDP will bear a loss of \$433 billion over 10 years if we do not remedy this short-sighted political maneuver.

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## IT WILL TAKE MORE THAN ESSA TO SAVE BLACK CHILDREN



Lynette Monroe says that we must hold ourselves accountable for the academic success of our children.

By Lynette Monroe (NNPA ESSA Program Assistant)

Last week, late nights, family road trips, and endless leisure came to an abrupt halt as children across the country headed back to school. This year, however, there is something else that requires adjustment besides early mornings and evening homework assignments. This year, a revised national education law goes into effect: the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA). ESSA is the reauthorization of the 1965 Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA) signed into law by Barack Obama in 2015.

ESEA included landmark legislation such as the Adult Education Act (1966), which provided funding for supplemental education centers and mandated educational programming even during "out-of-session" periods for isolated and rural areas; the Women's Educational Equity Act, which protected women and girls from discrimination in education; ESEA also included protections for those who suffer from discrimination based on race, ethnicity, or disability. ESEA has been updated every five years since it was signed into law. The original intention of ESEA was to provide equal access to quality education, emphasize high standards and accountability, authorize funds for professional development, design effective instructional materials, provide supplemental education programs, and promote parental involvement.

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## IT'S TIME FOR CONGRESS TO PASS A HURRICANE HARVEY EMERGENCY FUNDING PACKAGE



By Rep. Bennie G. Thompson (MS-02), Rep. Sheila Jackson Lee (TX-18) and Rep. Al Green (TX-09)

Historically, during times of national emergency, Americans unite to meet the challenge. In 2005, Hurricane Katrina altered the lives of thousands of Americans throughout Louisiana and Mississippi, damaging cities that have not been the same since. But, no matter our differences, we as a country have always come together in the face of tragedy. Now, it is time we act in unison once more.

Since August 25, the city of Houston along with Harris and Fort Bend counties have felt the effects of Hurricane Harvey. The unprecedented storm dumped an estimated 11 trillion gallons of water on just Houston alone. First responders, emergency personnel and the U.S. National and Coast Guards along with hundreds of volunteers, were on the frontlines of the battle ensuring all those affected by Harvey were safe and dry.

As the natural disaster travels towards Louisiana and Mississippi, we ask for our great country to continue to stand with one another by volunteering, sending donations, and praying that for strength, hope and perseverance to weather this storm.

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## AT PRESS TIME

Hurricane Irma:  
Storm Leaves  
Major Damage on  
Some Islands



Destruction & flooding seen this morning from Hurricane Irma in Saint Barthélemy.

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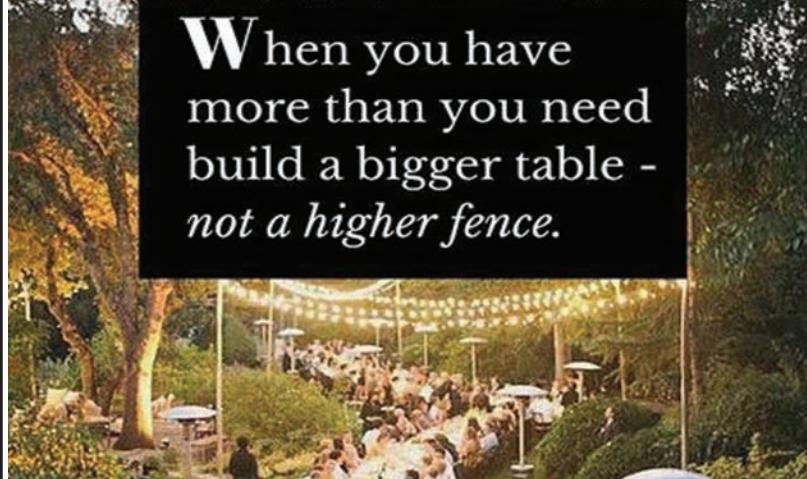
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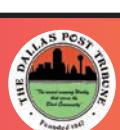
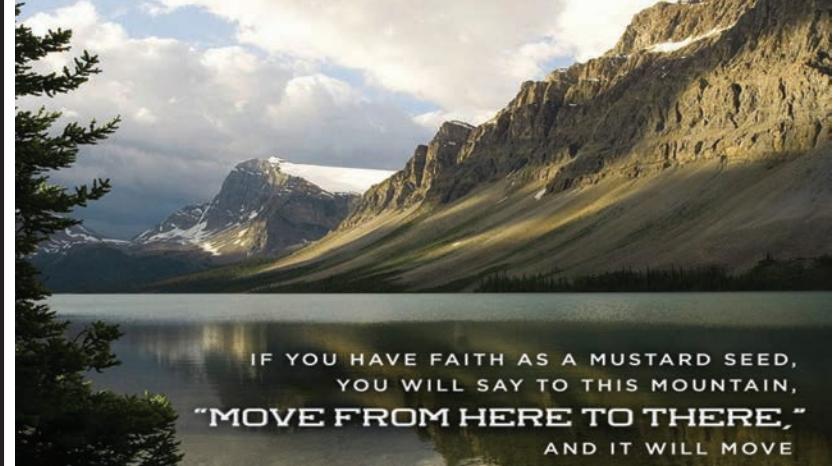


(AP) - An arbitrator denies Dallas running back Ezekiel Elliott's appeal

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**EDITORIAL PAGE****Critically Acclaimed Film California Typewriter to screen in Dallas THIS FRIDAY - Tom Hanks, John Mayer & the late Sam Shepard**

**Theatrical Release Date:** August 18, 2017 (New York) & August 25, 2017 (Los Angeles)

**Distributed by:** Gravitas Ventures

**Director:** Doug Nichol

**Subjects:** Tom Hanks, John Mayer, David McCullough, Sam Shepard, Mason Williams, Silvi Alcivar, Ken Alexander, Boston Typewriter Orchestra, Martin Howard, Jeremy Mayer, Herbert Permillion III, Richard Polt, and Darren Wershler

**Producers:** John Benet, Doug Nichol

**Executive Producers:** Charlotte Chatton, James Redford, Dana Schwartz

**Runtime:** 103 minutes

**Trailer:** <https://youtu.be/l53MPBjCDpY>

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CALIFORNIA TYPEWRITER is a documentary portrait of artists, writers, and collectors who remain steadfastly loyal to the typewriter as a tool and muse, featuring Tom Hanks, John Mayer, David McCullough, Sam Shepard, and others. It also movingly documents the struggles of California Typewriter, one of the last standing repair shops in America dedicated to keeping the aging machines clicking. In the process, the film delivers a thought-provoking meditation on the changing dynamic between humans and machines, and encourages us to consider our own relationship with technology, old and new, as the digital age's emphasis on speed and convenience redefines who's serving whom, human or machine?

**IT WILL TAKE MORE THAN ESSA TO SAVE BLACK CHILDREN****Continues from Page 1**

Previous reauthorizations include the now infamous No Child Left Behind (NCLB), signed into law by President George W. Bush in 2001. ESSA replaces NCLB.

Education has been hailed the "new civil rights issue." However, as we know, all too well, a law alone will not save us. The unanimous decision in Brown v. the Board of Education occurred in 1954; it was not until 1988 that school integration reached an all-time high with 45 percent of Black students attending majority-White schools. In 2003, a study by Harvard's Civil Rights Project found that schools were more segregated in 2000 than in 1970 when busing for desegregation began. So we see, that laws

alone will not fix decades of restricted access and rationed opportunity. We also can conclude that without a watchful eye we are bound to repeat history.

During an interview at the University of California Berkley on October 11, 1963, Malcolm X said that if the government, "really passed meaningful laws, it would not be necessary to pass any more laws. There are already enough laws on the law books to protect an American citizen. You only need additional laws when you are dealing with someone, who is not regarded as an American citizen."

The goal of the 2015 reauthorization of ESEA is equity, but so was that the goal in 1965. A major component of both the 1965 ESEA and ESSA as the 2015 reauthorization is parental

involvement. We must be the change we want to see. Laws are an opportunity to hold our leaders accountable. We must hold ourselves accountable for the academic success of our children. At the 1979 Armand Festival in support of relief and humanitarian aid to Southern Africa, Dick Gregory, in his fifteen minute introduction of Bob Marley and Wailers, stated:

"We the decent people of this planet must stand up and say to the rest of them inhumane, cruel beast that we are not going to tolerate it no more. And then they'll say, 'what are you gon' do about it?' If I don't do nothing, but get out of my bed everyday and look myself in the face in the quietness of my living room and say, 'I'm not gon' tolerate it no more, I'm not gon' tolerate it no

more, I'm not gon' tolerate it no more" that alone, when enough people stand doing it, is enough to win."

So, let's challenge ourselves this academic year to say, "we not gon' tolerate it no more." We are not going to tolerate inadequate resources, unqualified teachers, unresponsive school boards, and low academic standards. Let's challenge our children to rise to the occasion. Let's challenge ourselves to attend community meetings, to join the PTA, to check our children's homework, and to make sure our children's teachers know us by name.

Learn more about the Every Student Succeeds Act at [nnpa.org/essa](http://nnpa.org/essa).

**IT'S TIME FOR CONGRESS TO PASS A HURRICANE HARVEY EMERGENCY FUNDING PACKAGE****Continues from Page 1**

Hundreds of people of color have been affected by the storm already. If anyone would like to lend a helping hand to the relief effort through donations, we are asking you to give to local organizations that focus on people of color such as: The Black Women's Defense League, Raices, ICNA Relief, BlackAmericaWeb.com Relief Fund or the South Texas Human Rights Center. Any contribution will be greatly received as we ask Congress and President Donald Trump to provide immediate emergency

funding and resources to deal with the crisis at hand. We believe at least \$150 billion will be needed just to aid Texas residents in reconstruction, with much more needed later as the storm continues to travel the Gulf Coast.

In addition, Southeast Texas needs funding for storm surge protection research, just as New York and New Jersey received following the devastation of Hurricane Sandy.

Congress should pass an aid package not only to help the people of Texas, but to also provide an assurance to the American people that their

government will be there for them in a time of crisis. This legislative package should not be weighed down in political rhetoric and partisanship. Instead, it should be aimed at helping as many people affected by Harvey as possible.

It is essential for the U.S. Army Corp of Engineers to conduct a full and complete assessment of the entire Gulf Coast region's infrastructure capabilities when it comes to flooding.

Time and time again, we have seen our region suffer from hurricanes, and we must take steps to prevent another city from struggling to rebuild.

Americans from around the country have offered themselves in service to help their fellow citizens. Now, we as Members of Congress must do the same. The best way for us to do so is with a comprehensive emergency funding package.

Volunteers, first responders and so many others have stepped up to the plate, now it is up to us to hit the ball out of the park.

When Congress goes back into session, let's pass this package without unnecessary political debates. The people of the Gulf Coast are depending on us.

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Dr. Joyce W. Teal

Editorial Columnist

**Are You Raising One of the Next Generation of Hoodlums: Shaping Your Son's Attitude Regarding Education**

A new school year has recently begun. Your son is internalizing that his education is very important to you, OR THAT IT ISN'T! And make no mistake about this: what is important to you is what already is (or what will become) important to your child. So if you want your son to take his education seriously, if you want him to become cognizant that much of his future success will be determined by the extent to which he values making the most of the equal educational opportunities that are available to him, know that YOU are the key factor!

Begin early in your son's life teaching him, by the example you set, the importance of making the most of the equal educational opportunities that are available to him. Make sure that he is aware that his ancestors suffered and bled and died so that he would not have to attend an inferior school; that he would not have to settle for an inferior education. Accept that it is your responsibility to transmit to your son that only HE can take advantage of the equal educational opportunities for which his ancestors fought, and assure that he knows the names and history of some of the people who sacrificed much for the advantages that would be available to future generations, including this current generation. Tell him, in no uncertain terms, that no matter how good his teachers are, no matter how superior the available technology is, unless he is serious about getting the education being offered, he will not get it!

Let him know that he must actively listen and participate in order to learn. Talk to him about what it means to actively listen and participate for the purpose of learning.

As a veteran educator, I can attest to the reality that one of the main reasons why Black boys have the lowest test scores and the lowest graduation rates nationwide is due to the fact that the majority of them do not take their education seriously. On one level, they are intelligent and certainly understand that they need an education, but on a deeper level, too many of them do not have good role models to help shape the patterns of their attitudes and behaviors. Consequently, as they progress to the upper elementary level, they lose the focus that propelled them through the lower elementary grades so enthusiastically and successfully.

Parents: be alert to this loss of focus happen-

ing to your son(s), especially if he is being raised without the benefit of his father (or another strong male figure) who is providing the role modeling that he needs in order to maintain the necessary focus. Talk to your son, almost daily, about paying attention in class, showing respect for his teachers and completing each of his assignments at the highest possible level. Assure that he isn't willing to just settle for a grade of "C" when he is quite capable of earning a grade of "A". Your awareness and involvement are critical.

PARENTS: Your attitude is will make the difference!

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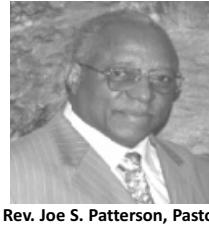
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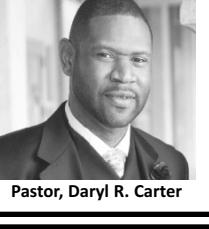
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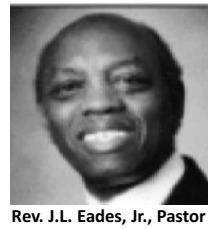
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Morning Worship- 10AM

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Rev. Johnny Calvin Smith  
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## RBCA: Way Forward



**Dr. J. Ester Davis**  
Editorial Columnist

**By Dr. J. Ester Davis**

One of the things that people are talking about is the Regional Black Contractors Association (RBCA).

In addition, one of the things that people are tweeting about is the RBCA's bold and beautiful Board of Directors, measuring their determination, growth and partnering every step of the way. From an inside look, the RBCA has clenched trust, fame and respectability, with leading global corporations in tow. On board from infancy was a mentoring icon. H.J. Russell Construction is one of the largest black owned and most recognizable construction companies in America. H. J. Russell was a key player in building several renown structures including the Smithsonian National Museum of African American History and Culture in Washington, D.C. What makes these projects even more meaningful is that H. J. Russell employed black contractors to complete the mission.

The RBCA started with a dream, momentum and a strategist location, a truly intuitive move to an address on Martin Luther King Blvd., so the world would be fully aware of 'who we are'. The RBCA board consist of a dedicated team of "Dallas makers" with a set goal to decrease crime, wipe out the high unemployment rate and stabilize the community. Being cognizant of the high

percentage of black men incarcerated in the greatest nation on earth, most important on the radar was a way to put ex-offenders to work beyond a pilot program.

Once in a lifetime you will possibly witness a mecca construction makeover of a major United States city. It is affectionately called many things. A historic opportunity, turning challenges into opportunities, keeping pace with the rapidly changing business climate, setting industry benchmarks, an era where you can literally 'bring your dreams'. But at the top-of-the list is coalition building with college interns on deck. Without inclusion and fair play there is definitely chaos personified.

Let's briefly share some of the coalition building. For the first time in history RBCA black engineers, EJES, Inc., are building a freeway. Webber Construction, a strong supporter and member, wholeheartedly joins the RBCA in their quest to hire black contractors and ex-offenders on the upcoming S.M. Wright US175 Freeway. Webber Construction has provided scholarships for youth in South Dallas and has set a high standard with other essential community programs. An alliance now co-exists with the black community and prime contractor through a Texas Live and Texas Ranger partnership on the new stadium.

Gerald Alley, principal with Con Real, a general contractor is honorably mentioned by the RBCA. Mr. Alley has personally

raised the bar and the ability to hire, i.e., hauling, demolition and janitorial. Con Real has demonstrated commitment of a higher calling and more general contractors will certainly start to emulate his style.

To round out the coalition building by the RBCA, we mention Dallas ISD, where the previously incarcerated is already at work on construction sites, State Fair of Texas, Fort Worth SubCounty Courthouse and the massive International Inland Port, which is a story all by itself.

The RBCA has another side . . . that of giving back to the communities they work in. Their brand is part of the X-Offender Program in South Dallas partnering with the Community Development Project. Ask about individuals with felonies. The RBCA have answers to make you smile.

This year they hosted the 14th Annual CLASSIC Golf Tournament. The home repair for senior citizens and disabled veterans is a high profile community act especially for inner city residents. And with seniors living longer in their own homes this act of kindness is near genius, because it is a pure promotion of RBCA's image in addition to increasing public interest.

Follow the moves of the RBCA online ([www.regionalbca.org](http://www.regionalbca.org)) or drop by for a good cup of coffee.

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## An Arbitrator denies Dallas running back Ezekiel Elliott's appeal

**SHERMAN, Texas (AP)** — An arbitrator denied Dallas running back Ezekiel Elliott's appeal of a six-game suspension in a domestic violence case, but the 2016 NFL rushing champion will play in the opener because of the timing of the decision.

Elliott attorney Jeffrey Kessler told the judge near the end of a nearly 2 1/2-hour hearing in federal court that Elliott's suspension was sustained by arbitrator Harold Henderson.

At the start of the hearing, NFL attorney

Daniel Nash told the judge it was "his understanding" that Elliott could play Sunday night against the New York Giants because the league didn't want to rush the judge.

U.S. District Judge Amos Mazzant said he would rule on Elliott's request for a temporary restraining order by Friday. If the request is denied and no further legal action taken, Elliott's suspension would start in Week 2 at Denver. He would be eligible to return Nov. 5 against Kansas City.

## Hurricane Irma forces Bucs-Dolphins game to be rescheduled for Week 11

**MIAMI (AP)** - The NFL has postponed the season-opener between the Tampa Bay Buccaneers and Miami Dolphins due to the potential impact of Hurricane Irma.

The game has been rescheduled for Sunday, November 19 in Week 11, the NFL announced Wednesday morning.

The game will be played at Hard Rock Stadium. Week 11 was previously a bye week for both teams.



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## Serena Williams gives Birth to a Baby Girl

**(AP)** - Tennis champion Serena Williams and fiancé Alexis Ohanian have welcomed their first child into the world.

The six-time US Open champion gave birth to a baby girl at a hospital near her home in Palm Beach, prompting congratulatory messages to begin circulating on social media.

Williams announced her pregnancy with Reddit co-founder Alexis Ohanian in April by posting a selfie on Snapchat with the caption "20 weeks".

The US Open was among the first to tweet the news.

Reports claimed that an entire floor of the St Mary's Medical Centre had been cleared to offer Williams maximum privacy.

"Obviously I'm super excited," said the baby's aunt, Venus Williams, as she took the court at the US Open. "Words can't describe."

Citing a source from St Mary's Medical Centre in West Palm Beach, where Williams reportedly checked in on Wednesday to be induced, WPBF editor Patricia Storm said the new addition weighed in at 3.09 kilograms and was delivered via Caesarean section. Both mother and baby are said to be healthy.

In the September edition of Vogue, Williams revealed her "strong suspicion" she was having a girl.

"Alexis thinks we're having a boy, but I have a strong suspicion that it's a girl," she said. "Two weeks after we found out, I played the Australian Open. I told Alexis it has to be a girl because there I was playing in 100-degree weather, and that baby never gave me any trouble. Ride or die. Women are tough that way."

Beyoncé congratulated the new mother on Instagram.

Williams has won a total of 23 Grand Slam singles titles during

her career, placing her second on the all-time record list behind Margaret Court.

Williams has a slew of records to her name, including as the only tennis player to have won 10 Grand Slam singles titles in two separate decades. She is also the only player to have won two of the four Grand Slams - Wimbledon and the Australian Open - seven times each.

In the Vogue interview, the 35-year-old also revealed that she "definitely" plans to return to the court.

"It's hard to figure out what the end of your tennis career should look like," she says. "I used to think I'd want to retire when I have kids, but no. I'm definitely coming back. Walking out there and hearing the crowd, it may seem like nothing. But there's no better feeling in the world."

## RAINBOW PUSH EXTENDS HURRICANE HARVEY RELIEF DRIVE



By Chinta Strausberg

The Rainbow PUSH Coalition Hurricane Harvey relief drive continues Tuesday, September 5, at Dr. King's Workshop, 930 E. 50th St., where donations can be dropped off from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. through Saturday, October 9th, to help victims in Houston, TX many living in temporary shelters while others were once victims of Katrina.

The second stage of the PUSH Hurricane Harvey relief drive has been extended to Saturday, September 9th. PUSH is taking one storm at a time. Hurricane Irma has Rev. Jesse L. Jackson very concerned as he continues to help thousands of Hurricane Harvey flood victims.

Over the weekend a steady stream of donors dropped off needed supplies for the thousands of Houston, Texas flood victims many escaping the ravaging flood waters with only the clothes on their backs and are now homeless.

At a press conference held outside of the PUSH headquarters, Rev. Jesse L. Jackson, Sr. was joined by Cook County Clerk of the Circuit Court Dorothy Brown, Judge Marian Perkins and other supporters. Rev. Jackson made a plea for more donations including new book bags, underwear, and new clothes but also for more volunteers needed to box and label the items.

Last week and again today, Michael Apa and his son, William "Billy" Apa, owners of the Fore Transportation, donated a huge truck that will be driven to Houston later this week. The Apa family has known the Jackson's for more than 30-years, according to the father.

While President Trump visited Houston last week to inspect the damage of Hurricane Harvey, Rev. Jackson expressed concern not only for the victims but also for "ignoring the cost of ignoring the signs of climate change."

"When the globe gets warmer, when the waters get warmer, there will be hurricanes and tornadoes," Jackson told reporters.

But, the natural disasters are not just in the U.S. Jackson pointed to similar devastations and displacements of thousands like in Niger where 44 people were killed and 105,000 are at risk of losing their homes. "The recent natural disasters we are seeing in the U.S., Africa, Asia and India are reflections of environmental lessons the current administration has yet to admit and take seriously," said Jackson.

"Ignoring the impact of climate change is a passive act of environmental injustice," he warned.

Rev. Jackson was referring to Nigeria where 30 people died and 100,000 displaced. In Sierra Leone there have been floods and mudslides resulting in 1,000 deaths and affecting 41,000 others. In Bangladesh, Nepal, India 1200 have died and 41 million affected."

"The recent natural disasters we're seeing in the U.S., Africa, Asia and India are reflections of environmental lessons the current administration has yet to admit and take seriously," said Jackson.

Rev. Jackson urged Trump to rescind his withdrawal of the Paris Climate Agreement and re-engage the approximately 200 international partners in prioritizing lower carbon emissions over economic growth

cutting greenhouse gas emissions and capitalizing on the clean energy industry.

Jackson also called on Trump to reinstate the Obama administration's federal flood risk management standards that require agencies to account for climate change projections when projects are approved.

And Rev. Jackson also wants Trump to understand that climate change is real and called for a formal education of the relationship between climate change and natural disasters. Rev. Jackson is taking one storm at a time, and he is watching Hurricane Irma very closely as it winds its way towards the Caribbean and Florida.

"We need to invest in infrastructure....because climate change is not fake news. It's real. Global warming is not fake news. It's real," said Jackson.

Clerk Brown also asked for more donations emphasizing the need for brand new not used items. "Bring something that you want," she told reporters.

Brown understands first-hand about the aftermath of Hurricane Harvey including the anxiety, trauma and grief for her daughter, Kesi Cook, who lost everything in the flood, was trapped on the second floor of her home for five-days.

The Coast Guard rescued Cook after spending one night in a shelter and another night with a "kind church member she did not know." FEMA is providing her daughter with a hotel room for 30 days. "She lost everything," said Brown. "I have relatives and friends there."

Brown, who is from Louisiana, said, "People who went over to Houston from Katrina are now displaced. This is a devastating situation for a lot of people. This is a time for us to step up..." Brown said announcing her office has partnered with PUSH. Her employees are donating to the relief drive. "My employees have great hearts. They are always willing to help."

In comparing Katrina with Hurricane Harvey, Rev Jackson, said, "Many people we know left Katrina and moved to Houston. Harvey is more devastating than Katrina because it takes up so much more territory. We could have done more to avoid the crisis in New Orleans had we invested in the levees."

Jackson pointed to Hurricane Harvey and how the floodwaters had no place to go given all of the construction and development that have gone on in Houston. The water simply filled the concrete areas flooding thousands of homes.

"The storms keep coming," warned Jackson. "The crises keep getting bigger." Jackson said it is time for the government to acknowledge climate change.

So touched by the media reports on how many people are now homeless their homes now a pile of rubbish, Judge Perkins donated \$1,000 to the relief drive.

"My heart is aching...so moved for what is occurring, and I support wholeheartedly all of the outstanding work and Rev. Jackson and Rainbow PUSH have done.... It is extremely important to support our entire community, locally, nationally and internationally," the judge said.

Dave Temkin, a school social worker, and his father, Harold Temkin, 87, who called Hurricane Harvey "tragic and terrible."

Agreeing with Rev. Jackson and his son, Jonathan, that the Trump administration is not dealing with climate change, Dave Temkin said the Jackson's were "point on." "We are not addressing the root of the problems, and we keep getting pounded by the consequences."

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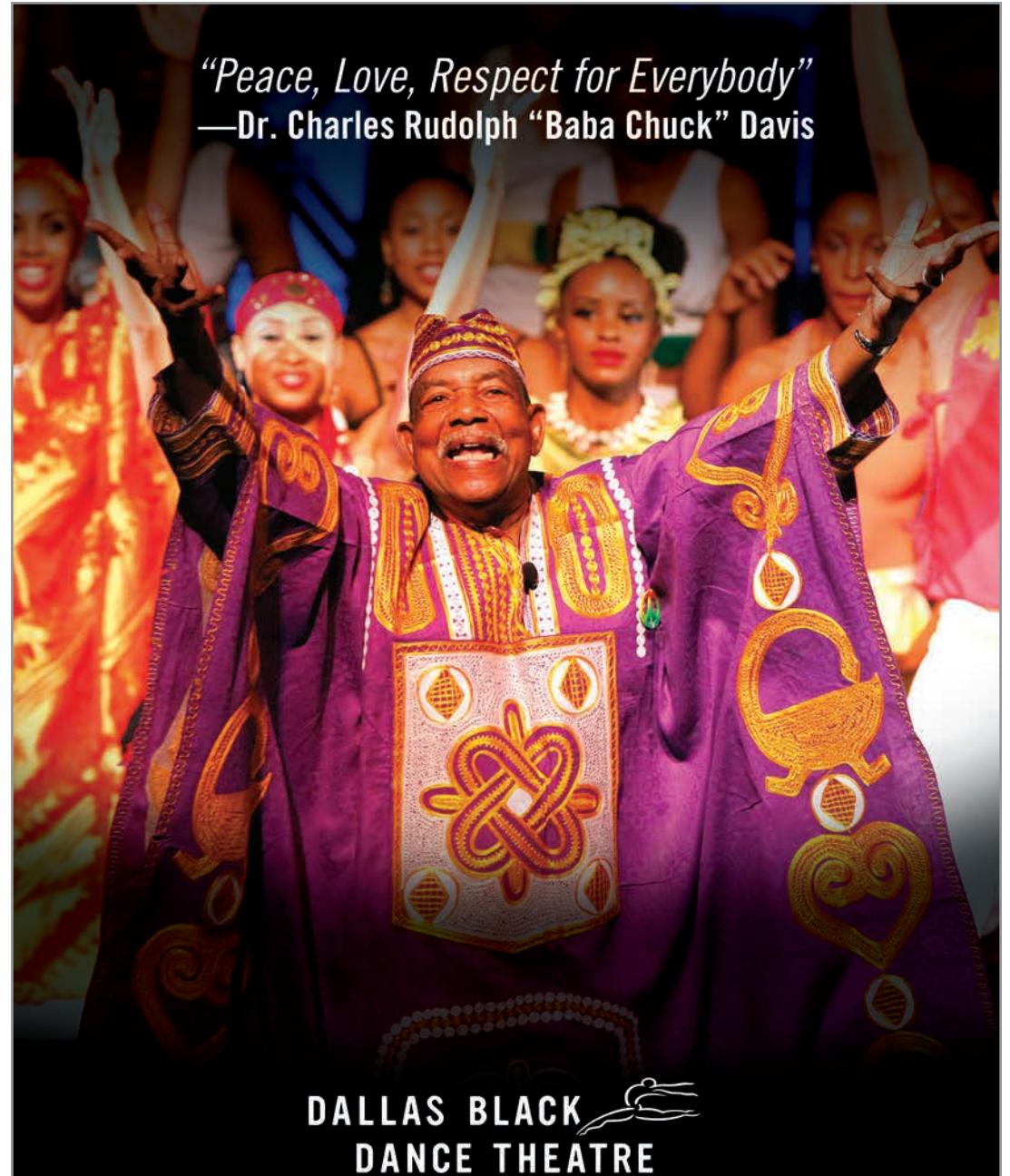
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