Mayfield Graves NAACP 3101B
Monthly Meeting Minutes - January 6, 2024
Faith Temple Miracle of Glory Church - Mayfield, KY

Attendees: George Hurd, Goldie Taylor, Chris Biggers, Melinda Craig, Berry Craig, Thomas Bright, Bruce Dobyns, Crystal Fox, Derrick Parrott, Latoya Jones, Virginia Langford
Dakota Moore (MHS student) visited.

President Hurd opened meeting. Prayer was given by Bruce Dobyns.

New members: Rexley Ferguson, Teresa Ferguson, Connie Ragsdale.

President Hurd opened with a quote. Goldie to attend city council. Crystal Fox mentioned Paducah NAACP Dr. King event with Charles Booker and encouraged members to attend. Paducah NAACP was looking for youth to assist, Crystal and her daughter, Aniji, will participate in Ghosts of a Lost Cause, viewing at Wrather Auditorium on Monday night. Sherman Neal started movement to have confederate statue removed in Murray, KY.

Dakota Moore to assist with setting up Instagram.
President Hurd introduced Dr. Connie Ragsdale who can possibly assist with treasurer and secretary duties.
 President Hurd outlined steps to be taken in 2024 as follows:
   • getting move involved with youth
   • branching out
   • encourage calling members to inform of meeting
   • start a newsletter and put on web page
   • Be proactive this election year in getting more voters to polls
   • Be the change we want to see in the community/world
   • Get into schools to promote voter education
   • Hold more face to face networking meetings
   • Develop a "business" card
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A motion was given by Berry Craig and a second by Goldie Taylor to develop newsletter. Berry will work on this.

On a motion from Berry Craig and a 2nd from Goldie Taylor, we will host a "meet and greet" on February 17, 2024. Details to be finalized at February monthly meeting.

A motion from Goldie Taylor and a 2nd from Berry Craig was given for Bruce Dobyns to work on secretary portal.

Derrick Parrott will have a design/template for NAACP business card at next meeting.

Next Meeting February 2, 2024, 9 am.

Submitted by:
Virginia Langford, Secretary