

**Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated**

**Theta Omega Chapter**

**Target V -- Connection Committee**

Connection Committee Meeting—February 4, 2016

Chairman—Soror Josephine H. Perry

Co-Chair—Soror Kimberley Egonmwan

**Agenda**

The Connection Committee met on January 28, 2016. The meeting was called to order by the Connection Chairman.

- Sorors in attendance: Ruth M. Slaughter, Rita Holland, Phyllis Tyler, Josephine H. Perry, and Bertiana Power (Basileus). Two guest Sorors Robin Jackson (Epsilon Kappa Omega) and Marianne C. Stallworth (Phi Kappa Omega) co-host chapter members.
- Marianne C. Stallworth gave an update on the chapters participating in this event; Phi Kappa Omega, Phi Epsilon Omega, Chi Omega Omega, Kappa Mu Omega and Theta Omega and the responsibilities of each chapter.
- The Connection Committee Focus, duties and vision was discussed

**Connection Committee January 2016 Activities**

- The State's Attorney Candidates' Forum; a joint event presented by the National Pan Hellenic Council of Chicago and Theta Omega Connection Committee. There were representation from all the members of the National Pan Hellenic Council of Chicago, Seven Community Organizations, 4 Media outlets, Cook County 2016 Candidates for Public Office, and Elected Officials. The total number of attendees, 333 and we think some of our Sorors did not sign in.
- Cook County Deputy Voter Registrar Training/Voter Registration Event, January 30, 2016. Final Report is not available at this time, however all sources said it was a success.

**Scheduled Activities February 2016**

- Circuit Court Judges Forum, February, 12, 2016, has been cancelled
- United States Senate Candidate Forum, February 27, 2016: All candidates have been invited. Napoleon Harris and Andrea Zoops have confirmed. Congress Woman Tammy Duckworth office will get back to me on February 5, 2016. No response from Candidate James T. Marten.

**Tentative Activities for February, 2016**

- Voter registration events at churches, schools, and community events
- Get out the vote activity

The Connection Committee hopes that you all will join us in these upcoming events to strengthen democracy and increase voter turnout in Cook County.

A Big Thank You to all the Sorors who helped to make each event a success.

Respectfully submitted by,

Soror Josephine H. Perry, chairman Theta Omega Chapter Connection Committee