



# 2020 NATIONAL BLACK LEADERSHIP SUMMIT

**AN EMERGENCY CONVENING**

Tuesday, February 4th 8:00 am - 3:00 pm  
United States Capitol, Washington, D.C.

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ABOUT THE

# 2020 National Black Leadership Summit

This is a critical time in the life of our the nation and a year of existential threats to the Black community, from the potential continuation of devastating Trump administration policies, to a census cynically designed to undercount our people, to voter suppression efforts in national, state, and local elections. In spite of institutional racism, a resurgence of white supremacist attacks and what should be insurmountable odds, Black people have historically fought back, succeeded and thrived. When we are organized we can overcome whatever obstacles are put in our way.

This important summit brings many sectors of our communities together and provides opportunities to join efforts around the country to ensure that 2020 is a year of victory for our people. The CBC is organizing the National Black Leadership Summit in partnership and solidarity with civil rights, labor, social justice, faith based, professional and student organizations.



## ABOUT THE Congressional Black Caucus

Since its establishment in 1971, the Congressional Black Caucus (CBC) has been committed to using the full Constitutional power, statutory authority, financial resources of the federal government, community leadership, and international standing to ensure Black people have the opportunity to achieve their dreams.

AGENDA FOR THE

# 2020 National Black Leadership Summit



## Fighting for Justice. The Power of the Movement

**DAY 2: TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 2020**

Congressional Auditorium, U.S. Capitol Building

- 8:30 a.m. Opening** **Rep. Hakeem Jeffries**, Chair, Democratic Caucus  
**Remarks:** **Rep. Barbara Lee**, Vice Chair, Steering and Policy Committee
- 8:45 a.m. Keynote** **Bishop William J. Barber II**, Chief Architect of the Poor People's Campaign: A National Call for Moral Revival  
**Address**
- 9:30 a.m. PANEL 1** **The Fight for Justice** - A discussion about disparities in equity and access in healthcare, criminal justice, education, the environment, and the social safety net. **Facilitator: Rep. Joyce Beatty**, First Vice-Chair, CBC
- 11:00 a.m. PANEL 2: The Power of the Movement** - A discussion about the 2020 Census, voter registration, supporting social justice organizing for political and economic advancement. **Facilitator: Rep. Bonnie Watson Coleman**
- 1:00 p.m.** **Summary and Next Steps**
- 2:00 p.m.** **Communicating Our Message**



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