



2017 C.L. Dellums African American Leadership School

**Registration:
Begins on July 10
Deadline to apply is August 21**

Selection Process

- Participants will be selected on an application and phone interview process.
- After receipt of application, applicants will be notified if they have been invited to proceed to a phone interview
- Phone interviews will begin the week of August 21.
- Applicants will be notified if they've been selected to join the school by September 1.

Program Dates:

- Saturday, September 16, from 9AM - 3PM
- Saturday, September 30, from 9AM - 3PM
- Saturday, October 14, from 9AM - 3PM
- Saturday, October 28, from 9AM - 3PM
- Saturday, November 11, from 9AM - 3PM
- Saturday, November 18, from 9AM - 3PM

Cost:

\$400 per participant, includes light breakfast, lunch, instruction, parking and all workshop materials.

Location:

United Steel Workers Local 5
1333 Pine Street #A
Martinez, CA 94553

The goal of the C.L. Dellums African American Leadership School is to train union and community members active in the Black community so they can strengthen relationships between the Black community and the labor movement.

This year's program will focus on Black workers and the Black community in Contra Costa County. Economic growth in San Francisco and Oakland and the associated rise in inequality have driven many Black workers out of those cities and into Contra Costa County. The curriculum will develop participants' skills so they can better understand the conditions of Black workers in the county, including the impact of mass incarceration, and support unions and other organizations who seek to address the problems facing Black workers. Topics to be covered include: Organizing 101; the Political Economy in the East Bay; Listening Skills; Surveying Members; Mapping Social Networks; Immigration; Conducting a Power Analysis; and Mass Incarceration.

This year's school will take place on six Saturdays and will include both classroom and field work. Participants will be selected after an application and interview process.

**Co-sponsored by the Contra Costa Labor Council
and the United Steelworkers Local 5**

If you have any questions regarding the program please contact:
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The 2017 C.L. Dellums African American Leadership School welcomes participation from people of all races, ethnicities, national origins, and gender identities.

