

# November 8, 2021 Report from District 5 Honorable Tanya Brinkley

## FL, GA, NC, SC

#### 1. MEMBERSHIP CONNECTION

- a. Regularly emailing welcome/retention letters to all new/expiring members, outlining the plan for the year, encouraging participation, and welcoming ideas.
- b. We are directly soliciting and engaging our members to participate in District 5 events.
- c. We have 104 current members and growing.

#### 2. RECRUITMENT -

a. We are using a membership team to recruit new members throughout each state by using direct requests and event platforms. Our State Chairs are soliciting membership from their colleagues in their respective states.

### 3. PROGRAMMING -

- a. We are concluding 2021 with strong participating in the NAWJ midyear and annual conference.
- b. Throughout the District 5 hosted "A Day in the Life", "Black Women in the Judiciary", "Women of the Appellate Court", and "Women First".
- c. We are still planning a health and wellness happy hour program to feature medical professionals to discuss disparity in the medical professional related to recent discussions of minority women and their experiences, as well as tips for new mothers, menopause issues, and other issues women are facing. This will be a very engaging conversation and intended to be NAWJ-wide.
- d. Our 2021/2022 calendar for the next quarter is set forth below:
  - i. November 16, 2021 Good Guys in conjunction with Florida Association of Women Lawyers, Miami-Dade County Chapter
  - ii. January 17- 27, 2022 Florida Bar Art Display featuring the legal legends of Florida in conjunction with Florida Bar Standing Committee on Diversity and Inclusion Path to Unity.
  - iii. Bar to Bench 2022
  - iv. Color of Justice 2022