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Detroit's hospitality union—UNITE HERE Local 24—Endorses Biden

Union to Host Events Supporting Biden in Michigan Primary

WHAT: Detroit actions with UNITE HERE Local 24/Midwest Joint Board supporting VP Biden

- SATURDAY, MARCH 7, 9:00AM: UNITE HERE Local 24 Rally to Support VP Joe Biden w/ Sen. Carpenter (D-Delaware), 300 River Place, Suite #2700 (MEDIA MUST RSVP for ACCESS); ****VISUALS: Rally, phone-banking from Union's Detroit headquarters, Biden signs**
 - **RSVP HERE: <https://forms.gle/LhEUMtapGeeFqRRT6>**
- SATURDAY, MARCH 7, 1-3PM: Michigan Democratic Party Black Caucus Pre-Election Pep Rally, Fellowship Chapel, 7707 W. Outer Drive, Detroit, MI 48235
- SATURDAY, MARCH 7, 4PM: Action with Local 24 + Former Sec. of State John Kerry at Motor City Casino, Soundboard, between Temple St. & Spruce St.
- MONDAY, MARCH 9: Events with UNITE HERE Local 24 and VP Biden (Details TBD)

Union President Nia Winston + workers available for interview. Please call to schedule.

WHO: Hotel, casino, food service and airport workers who are members of UNITE HERE Local 24 and VP Biden/Biden Supporters

WHY: UNITE HERE Local 24 members working in the Detroit hospitality industry are meeting with Biden supporter **Sen. Amy Klobuchar** to discuss issues that matter most to its union members: Creating more good union jobs, healthcare, immigration, and more. In Michigan and across the country, UNITE HERE is united in one common goal: **One Job Should Be Enough**—enough to go to the doctor, to raise a family, to retire with dignity, and to live the American Dream.

UNITE HERE Local 24 announced its endorsement of Vice President Biden's campaign following a membership meeting on Super Tuesday, where members backed a local endorsement for Biden.

Says Nia Winston, UNITE HERE Local 24 President: "Donald Trump is a threat to our union, to the broader labor movement—and a threat to America. Our number one priority in 2020 is to Defeat Trump, and we believe that Vice President Joe Biden is the best candidate to achieve that goal.

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UNITE HERE Local 24 in Detroit represents over 7,000 members in hotel, food service & airport industries. Local 24 is affiliated with UNITE HERE, an international labor union representing 300,000 hospitality workers in the U.S. & Canada.