NAMC

Washington, D.C.
Metropolitan Area Chapter

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF MINORITY CONTRACTORS

SECURING OUR FUTURE

Building Young Entrepreneurs

2018 Commitment to Diversity Awards Gala

Friday, March 30, 2018

6:00-7:00 pm Reception • 7:00-11:00 pm Gala

University of the District of Columbia Student Center

4200 Connecticut Avenue, NW • Washington, DC 20008

Entertainment

Johnnie Steele and Steele4Real Band

Johnnie has been a professional musician for over 30 years. His musical accomplishments are numerous; so let's just mention a few. He is founder of the famed "Steele Family" a gospel recording group of siblings, six sisters and one brother. Most recently the Steele Family has been accompanied by other talented family singers and musicians from the second generation. They have toured the country performing in renowned Concert Halls such as Carnegie Hall in New York and the Kennedy Center in Washington, DC. Johnnie also appeared in Ebony magazine highlighting the musical group he pioneered "The Sounds of Quality." This motivational singing group has performed for local and national companies featuring songs written and arranged by Johnnie expressly for corporate environments. This group has won numerous awards and has been featured on dozens of commercials and videos for Bell Atlantic (now Verizon) including appearances with James Earl Jones.

Currently Johnnie is Music Director and Worship Leader at three churches in the Washington, DC area. He serves as musician, director, vocalist and choral leader for several choirs and ensembles. Debbie Taylor Steele also comes from a lineage of famous and talented singers and musicians. Johnnie is often accompanied by a host of talented singers and musicians from all walks of life, genres and backgrounds. His commitment to old and new sounds, technology, practice, style, performance, appearance and living life to its fullest is reflected in his shows and his music.

One of Johnnie's favorite performances is said to be his Steele4Real Band & Show. His song list consists of music from the 50's to present. He can literally play for hours without repeating any music. His versatile vocals can emulate almost any artist while you hear the complete and authentic musical rendition of some of your favorite songs of all time. He has a vast repertoire of R&B, Jazz, Smooth Jazz, Pop, Seasonal and Gospel. He is able to adapt his song selection and vocals to any audience delivering ballads, easy listening, dance and requests. Johnnie has a loyal fan base that has followed him across the country enjoying and supporting his music. Believe me when I tell you, you're in for a treat. Enjoy, listen, dance, and groove to the smooth vocals and electrifying piano virtuoso of one the most accomplished musicians you'll ever meet, and you too will become a fan, I guarantee it.

Johnnie Steele

Exciting Attractions

Delectable Reception • Cash Bar

Sumptuous Buffet Dinner

Las Vegas-Style Casino Gaming • Door Prizes • Dancing

Award Recipients

The **National Association of Minority Contractors (NAMC)** is a tax-exempt nonprofit minority business, trade, educational and advocacy association established in 1969 to address the needs and concerns of minority contractors. In February 2005, the newly organized **Washington, DC Metropolitan Area Chapter of the National Association of Minority Contractors (NAMC-WMAC)** was founded to serve Washington, DC, Prince Georges and Montgomery Counties in Maryland and Northern Virginia.

This year's theme: **"Securing Our Future: Building Young Entrepreneurs"** will focus on recognizing those who have been instrumental in supporting our youth seeking a career in the building trades through on-the-job and apprenticeship training or mentorship programs. We will also recognize elected officials that have supported legislation or agencies that provided access to funding and services to support these programs. Proceeds from this event will allow us to continue the efforts of **NAMC-WMAC** in the development of programs and services designed to enhance the competitive viability of minority contractors.

Commitment to Diversity · Major Corporate Partner
The Whiting Turner Contracting Company

Commitment to Diversity · Emerging Business
The Elocen Group

Commitment to Diversity · Washington, DC Legislative Leadership
The Honorable Kenyan McDuffie, Ward 5, Council of the District of Columbia

Commitment to Diversity · Washington, DC Agency Leadership
Odie Donald II, Director, DC Department of Employment Services

Commitment to Diversity · Maryland Legislative Leadership
The Honorable Derrick Leon Davis, Chairman, Prince George's County Council

Commitment to Diversity · Maryland Agency Leadership
Angela D. Alsobrooks, States Attorney, Prince George's County, Maryland

Commitment to Diversity · Legacy Award
Baltimore, DC Building Trades (Formerly CHOICE)

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Sponsorship Levels

Platinum Sponsor - $10,000

- Full membership in NAMC-WMAC as Premier Major Corporate Partner for 2018 (valued at $5,000)
- 16 tickets to the "Gala" (Two Tables)
- 1600 Gala Dollars (100 per guest)
- On-stage participation during the "Gala" program
- Full-page color advertisement on back of the souvenir program booklet
- Premier placement of corporate name/logo on all table tents and signage
- Premier placement of corporate name/logo on all advertisement
- Premier placement of corporate name/logo on NAMC-WMAC website for one year

Gold Sponsor - $5,000

- Full membership in NAMC-WMAC as Major Corporate Partner for 2018 (valued at $2,500)
- 8 tickets to the "Gala" (One Table)
- 800 Gala Dollars (100 per guest)
- On-state participation during the Gala program
- Prominent placement of full-page color advertisement in the souvenir program booklet
- Prominent placement of corporate name/logo on signage
- Prominent placement of corporate name/logo on all advertisement
- Prominent placement of corporate name/logo on NAMC-WMAC website for one year

Silver Sponsor - $2,500

- Full membership in NAMC-WMAC as Large General Member for 2018 (valued at $1,500)
- 6 tickets to the Gala
- 600 Gala Dollars (100 per guest)
- Acknowledgement on-stage during the Gala program
- 1/2 page color or blk/white advertisement in the souvenir program booklet
- Corporate name listed on advertisement
- Corporate name listed on NAMC-WMAC website for one year
- Name/logo listed as corporate partner for one year

Bronze Sponsor - $1,500

- Full membership in NAMC-WMAC as Small General Member for 2018 (valued at $500)
- 4 tickets to the Gala
- 400 Gala Dollars (100 per guest)
- 1/4 page blk/white advertisement in souvenir booklet
- Acknowledgement on-stage
- Corporate name listed in the souvenir program booklet
- Corporate name listed on select advertisement
- Corporate name listed on select promotional materials
- Corporate name listed on NAMC-WMAC website for one year

Small Business Participant - $600

- 2 tickets to the Gala
- 200 Gala Dollars (100 per guest)
- Black/White business card advertisement in souvenir booklet
- Corporate name listed in the souvenir program booklet
- Corporate name listed on NAMC-WMAC website for one year

Individual Tickets - $150

- 100 Gala Dollars

Sponsorship Levels

❒ Platinum ❒ Gold ❒ Silver ❒ Bronze ❒ Small Business ❒ Individual (# _____)

Guests (if applicable)

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Reservations will be confirmed via email (when provided) and held at the door. No tickets will be mailed. Call (202) 678-8840 or Toll Free (1-877-678-8840) for more information.

Donor Information

Contact_____Company_____

Address_____City/State_____Zip Code_____

Phone_____EMail_____

Note: Your email address provides us the means to confirm your reservation

Payment Information

❒ Check enclosed (payable to NAMC-WMAC). Please charge my ❒ Visa ❒ Mastercard

Cardholder Name:_____

Account Number:_____Expiration Date_____Amount $_____

Authorized Signature:_____Date:_____

NAMC-WMAC is a 501(c)6 membership organization and your contribution is tax deductible to the event permitted by law.

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