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New Black and Latino Legislative Caucus to Host State of Black and Brown Wisconsin

MADISON—In honor of Black History Month and the many extraordinary contributions of people of color in the state of Wisconsin, the state legislature is announcing the formation of the Black and Latino Caucus.

“One of the main reasons I became a legislator was to advocate for the African American community in which I have lived in all my life,” said Rep. David Crowley (D-Milwaukee), Chair of the Black and Latino Caucus. “I’m proud to be a member of this caucus and look forward to tackling the tough issues that affect our community every day.”

The caucus will host the 2018 State of Black and Brown Wisconsin Address on Monday, February 12 at the State Capitol in the Joint Finance Room, 412 East. State legislatures and community leaders will discuss the many strides made by communities of color, as well as the many problems and concerns of minority communities in Wisconsin today.

“As a member of the one of the fastest growing constituencies in Wisconsin, I’m thrilled to be a member of this caucus and speak to the issues of Latino Wisconsinites,” said Rep. JoCasta Zamarripa (D-Milwaukee), Co-Chair of the Black and Latino Caucus. “We invite any and all Wisconsinites interested in our cause to join us for this important conversation.”

The following legislators make up the new Black and Latino Caucus:

Rep. David Crowley (Chair; D-Milwaukee)	Rep. JoCasta Zamarripa (Vice Chair; D Milwaukee)
Sen. Lena Taylor (D-Milwaukee)	Sen. LaTonya Johnson (D-Milwaukee)
Rep. Jimmy Anderson (D-Fitchburg)	Rep. David Bowen (D-Milwaukee)
Rep. Jason Fields (D-Milwaukee)	Rep. Leon Young (D-Milwaukee)

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