

## **Barbara Bald, Assistant Treasurer**

Barbara resides in Warwick, New York and has two daughters, Robyn and Brittany. She served in numerous positions in her HOA community including President, Treasurer and is currently Chairperson of the Finance Committee. She is also Secretary of the Albert Wisner Library, Friends of the Library Board

Barbara is a retired partner of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP (PwC). Barbara began her career in the Philadelphia office of Coopers & Lybrand (which later merged with Price Waterhouse) in 1974 and joined the New York office in 1977. Barbara has over 30 years of experience in all aspects of employee benefits, specializing in pension and retiree health benefits and Medicare Part D. Barbara served numerous clients including the federal government, fortune 100 employers, and colleges and universities.

During her career at PwC, Barbara held numerous roles including head of the National Actuarial Unit which was responsible for new products and software for the actuarial practice, leader of the New York office health care benefits group, member of the Actuarial Practices Committee responsible for policies and practices impacting the actuarial group, and National Quality Control Director for the employee benefits practice. Barbara coauthored numerous articles and books including the Financial Executive Research Foundation study, *Retiree Health Benefits: Field Test of the FASB Proposal*.

Barbara graduated from the University of Pennsylvania with a Bachelor of Arts degree in mathematics and psychology. She is an Associate of the Society of Actuaries, Member of the American Academy of Actuaries and a member of Phi Beta Kappa. She also was an Enrolled Actuary and member of the Conference of Consulting Actuaries.

## **Cindy-Lee Dorcely, 1<sup>st</sup> Vice President**

Cindy-Lee Dorcely holds a BA in Political Science with a concentration in Pre-Law for SUNY University at Buffalo, and has worked as a paralegal for 24 years, in various genres of law while specializing in real estate. She has been a Real estate agent now for over 5 years. As a top real estate agent in her market center, she has become a successful entrepreneur and problem solver, committed to guiding clients through seamless transactions. Cindy-Lee serves on the Agent Leadership Council, where she chairs both the Agent Advocacy Committee and the Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI) Committee. The agent advocacy committee keeps their finger on the pulse of the changing laws, rules and regulations of the industry that will not only change the way in which we do business but will also have an effect on our clients. We attend meetings and lobby in Albany for our elected officials to hear and understand the housing needs of their constituents. She recently initiated local meetings with the Keller Williams (KW) Black Real Estate Network to create business-building initiatives, expand vendor lists, and organize educational programs and provide resources for community

empowerment. Cindy-Lee also has a business as an independent closer, representing lenders, title companies at closings as well as providing coverage for buyers and sellers attorneys also.

Passionate about closing the homeownership gap, which she identifies as a key factor in the U.S. wealth gap, Cindy-Lee authored the "Home to Harvest" seminar, presented primarily in churches. This seminar focuses on achieving generational wealth through property ownership, using Proverbs 13:22 as a guiding principle: "A good person leaves an inheritance for their children's children" as well as Proverbs 31:16, which says, "She considers a field and buys it; with the fruit of her hands she plants a vineyard." Not only should we be investing in real estate as the fastest way of growing wealth but being sure to use that wealth to benefit our families and communities for generations to come.

Cindy-Lee is also the Vice President of an organization established during COVID to support the houseless community in Spring Valley, NY when her church was not able to provide the service at that time. Beyond her real estate and advocacy work, she has held various leadership roles within her church for the past 24 years, including clerk, youth director, children's ministries leader and more, all were board positions and with each position she was able to grow and enhance the ministry as well cultivate and solidify strong relationships with those in which she served.

### **Donna Douglas, At-Large**

My formal degree is a B.S. in Human Service and 1 yr of Masters in Labor and social policy.

I retired as a substance abuse and mental health counselor. I have extensive training and experience with 1199 seiu as a delegate and contract administrator. I served as the Chairperson of the South Bloominggrove planning board.

### **Kevin Fair, At-Large**

Hi, I am Kevin E. Fair, a current at large Executive Board Member of the Middletown Branch of the NAACP.

I am married to my wife Heather, six adult children, ten grandchildren and one great grandchild. I live in Bloomingburg, New York- Town of Crawford in Orange County. I am a retired law enforcement supervisor. After retirement I owned a security firm and a training school. I was also a licensed private investigator. I am currently a Maxwell Leadership certified speaker, teacher, trainer, and coach. I am passionate about personal development in all forms, but my specialties are teaching and training.

I am a member of a few civic/fraternal organizations including the NAACP. At one time, I was an active member and an Executive Board member of a NAACP chapter in New York City.

When I was informed of the reorganization of the Middletown Branch (NAACP), I reactivated my membership and chose to assist this Chapter. I can't wait to continue to add value to the Chapter and positively impact our communities in whatever way possible.

**Christopher Keelty, Secretary**  
**(Pronouns: he/him/his)**

Christopher Keelty is a writer and artist with nearly 25 years experience as a nonprofit fundraiser. He has worked as a fundraiser for organizations including the ACLU, City Harvest, and the Visiting Nurse Service of New York. It was while working with the ACLU in the late 2000s that Chris came to recognize racism remains the most pervasive threat to civil rights and civil liberties in the United States. Today, Chris works to end the death penalty in the United States with the 8th Amendment Project. He also serves as Corresponding Secretary for the Warwick Town Democratic Committee, and is the founder and lead organizer of the New York City Writers Critique Group. Chris and his wife have lived in Warwick Village since 2021.

**Jeanne Marron, Ph.D., At Large**  
**(Pronouns: she, her, hers, they, them)**

Jeanne's involvement in activism dates back to her teen years; her embracing service and community engagement even earlier. While long involved in various social justice issues, in 2012 Jeanne turned her primary focus to the public health and safety issues related to child sexual assault (CSA) and sexual assault (SA). Her activism goals in this realm primarily focus on decreasing risk to youth in the future and increasing current survivors' access to justice, accountability and recovery resources. Jeanne is a perpetual learner and educator. She integrates her knowledge and experience gained from survivors, fellow activists, law or policy influencers, systems' analyses, research, literature, the arts, media and many other sources to examine, understand and (hopefully) contribute to the eradication of rape culture in general and CSA specifically.

Additional areas of focus in Jeanne's volunteer activism efforts include but are not limited to: child protection in general, education, personal body autonomy, access to resources for those from impoverished environments or marginalized groups, disabilities, gun safety and reduction of gun violence, domestic violence, interpersonal violence, trauma, separation of church and state, freedom of press, education for and protection of journalists (especially in conflict ridden and war torn parts of our world), refugee support, mental health and well-being resources and support, affordable housing, reducing poverty and its impact, identity inclusiveness, bias regarding sexual orientation, gender bias, inequality and inequity, racial and ethnic bias, family constellation bias, ageism, immigration, corporate exploitation, corruption, etc.

In her activism efforts, Jeanne also integrates her training and experience as a clinician, diagnostician, director, lead responder to traumatic events, and community mental health educator. Jeanne has a Ph.D. in clinical psychology from FDU in NJ and advanced (post-doc) training in neuropsychology and medical liaison from St. Vincent's Medical Center in NY. She holds various clinical and instructional certifications in respect to many aspects of mental health and has extensive experience in developing, implementing and overseeing clinical programs. Jeanne spent decades working in the NFP community mental health system. She also has significant professional experience working in research, assessment, and teaching domains.

### **Moses Mugulusi, Second Vice President**

*Moses provided a resume, which is included at the end of this document.*

### **Orlando Rodriguez, Assistant Secretary**

Orlando Lee Rodriguez is an English as a new Language teacher at Middletown High School. Previously, Mr. Rodriguez was a district manager for English Language teachers in Texas and a teacher leader and ESL coordinator in the New York City school system. A second career educator, Orlando worked for many years in journalism and public relations before becoming a full time educator. He lives with his family in Westtown, NY.

### **Manolin "Manny" Tirado, Treasurer**

Manolin "Manny" Tirado along with the late Terry Anderson was one of the original organizers that spearheaded the effort to reestablish our Middletown NAACP branch. Since the reactivation of our Branch in Dec 2023, Manny has served as our Branch Treasurer. The following are key Bio data highlights.

- Master's Degree in Political Science, Brooklyn College; BA in History-Sociology from Columbia University
- Treasurer of the Middletown/West Orange County branch of the NAACP
- More than 35 years' experience in public administration with NYS and NYC agencies, including as an MTA planner and Budget Analyst.
- 17 years as an adjunct lecturer in Political Science at Brooklyn College, CUNY, and Metropolitan College of New York
- US Army Reserve veteran, with service as an intelligence analyst between 1982 and 1989. He is also active with three veteran organizations.
- Personal Interests includes world travel and playing the clarinet.

### **Yaa Yaa Whaley-Williams, At-Large**

Mrs. Whaley-Williams was born and raised in New York City and calls both Harlem and Brooklyn her home. Currently the owner of Sadie's Books & Beverages ( the 1st black-owned bookstore in Orange County) she has over 20 years experience in

education. She began her journey as a High School mathematics teacher in Brooklyn, New York and has since served as both a building and district level administrator in New York City, Poughkeepsie, Newburgh, Middletown & Monticello. A graduate of Brown University and Pace University she holds a BS in Business Economics and Africana Studies as well as two Master's degrees in Secondary Education and School Leadership making her a first generation college graduate. At the height of the pandemic and in response to the social injustice and unrest she co-founded ...because it matters 24/7! LLC with her husband, Anthony Williams, in hopes of bridging the gap between community and school as well as empowering the community with information and events that will strengthen community ties. An UNapologetic bookworm and creative, she will continue to commit her time and energies to lifelong learning and service through the partnership with her community members...because community is a VERB!

She currently works as a Supervisor for Instructional Services with Ulster BOCES and as a DEI/JAB consultant with school districts facilitating professional development workshops for teachers and administrators. Look for her online at [sadiesforthepeople.com](https://sadiesforthepeople.com) or on IG/Facebook @Sadies\_booksnbeverages.

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## **EDUCATION**

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### **Long Island University, New York**

- MBA - Accounting / Finance

### **Nyack College, Nyack, New York**

- BS - Accounting

### **Internal Revenue Service (IRS)**

- **Registered Tax Agent**

## **Professional experience**

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### **NYS Department of Financial Services (DFS) 2018-present.**

Regulator financial institutions

- Performs Fiduciary risk management examination to assess the System's policies, procedures, and controls to identify, measures in place to prioritize risks, and to manage and monitor those risks likely to have a material adverse effect upon the System's financial condition, liquidity, or ability to meet its obligations to its members and beneficiaries.
- Performs fiduciary examinations to evaluate the System's governance, core system functions including implementation, and monitoring of compliance with fiduciary standards and other applicable state and federal laws.

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### **NYS Office of The Medicaid Inspector General New York, 2008 -2017**

#### **Senior Auditor**

- Performed systemic examinations and appraisals of accounting records and financial affairs for profit and non-profit organizations and businesses to

ensure financial records are maintained in compliance with governing laws, rules, regulations, and contracts including evaluating internal control and practices.

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## **NAACP**

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- Member of the Executive Committee Middletown Chapter
- Chair of the Economic Sustainability Committee

### **Forward looking and interest with NAACP Middletown Chapter**

- All my professional work has been to look out for/protect the everyday people, those who are less advantaged and this puts me inline with NAACP core function, to fight/work for the empowerment of the everyday people socially, economically and workforce development.
- I'm hardworking and dependable, with my abilities and skills if given the opportunity I can strongly advocate for our communities on behalf of this chapter and I can deliver the intended results.

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