



One Love Global

Transforming communities so Black children experience justice, peace, healing, opportunity, and abundance.

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results for boys & young men of color

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GIRLS POWERING CHANGE

SUMMIT 2024

OCTOBER 5

Lansing, MI

FREE TICKETS!



The purpose of the [2024 My Brother's Keeper and Girls' Equity Network Michigan statewide Summit](#) is to come together to support Black and Brown youth and to collectively organize around what they need to thrive in education and in their lives holistically.

What does it look like for youth to have opportunities to learn and grow that feed their whole being?

How can we change the narrative that education is only a pathway to labor and productivity (which is then equated to our value as people)?

How do we collectively foster youth entrepreneurship that uplifts young people's passions while contributing to the good of the world?

How do we address the significant gaps experienced by Black and Brown youth in education and prosperity?

Because there continue to be very real gaps.

In Michigan, [nearly 30% of third-graders aren't reading at grade level](#), with Black and Latinx students at disproportionately lower rates. Factors like underfunded schools, lack of access to quality early childhood education, socioeconomic challenges, and racial biases in educational practices all contribute to these gaps. We are working to illuminate these patterns with data via the [Lansing Racial Equity Scorecard](#).

Students who do not achieve literacy by the end of third grade are at a significant disadvantage in all subsequent learning. They struggle to keep up with more complex subjects, leading to a higher likelihood of academic failure, disengagement from school, and even dropping out.

Meanwhile, as we see a [decline in Black and Latinx student enrollment at notable US colleges](#) following the supreme court's decision on affirmative action, it's crucial to recognize what this means for the next generation of young leaders – a generation that could miss so many.

It's vital to tackle these disparities and ensure every child has the foundation they need to succeed. By doing so, we can help create a more inclusive and equitable future for

all.

Join us at the MBKGEN Michigan Summit on October 5, 2024 in Lansing!

[Free Registration Here](#)

Register Today for the CMF 52nd Annual Conference

Common Humanity, Common Ground, Uncommon Solutions

October 7-9, 2024
Traverse City



Join **Truth, Racial Healing & Transformation**
racial equity facilitators for our immersion session

A Nation Healing: The Imperative of Racial Equity

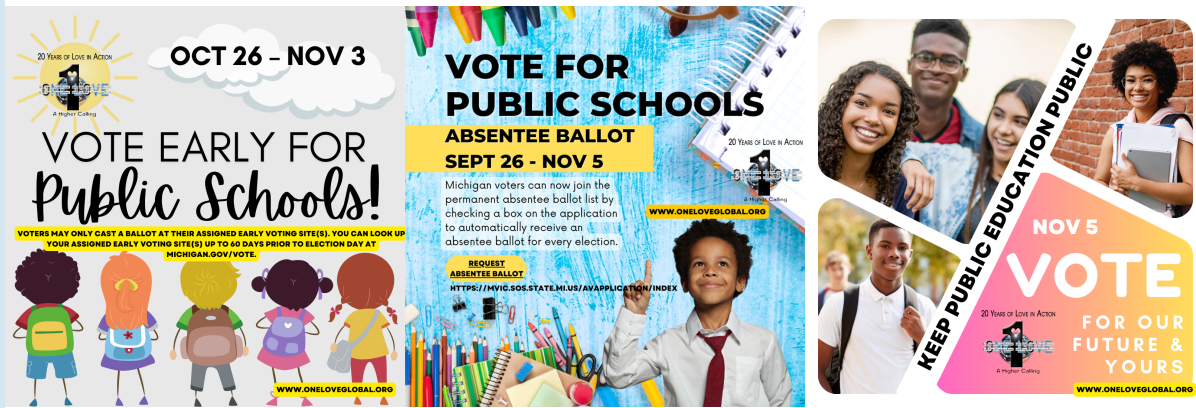
Monday, October 7 from 12-4pm

Calling all leaders in philanthropy!

Reserve your spot today for the CMF 52nd Annual Conference: [Common Humanity, Common Ground, Uncommon Solutions](#), taking place **October 7-9 in Traverse City!**

One Love Global's CEO Angela Waters Austin will join Truth, Racial Healing & Transformation racial equity facilitators from across Michigan to lead the session *A Nation Healing: The Imperative of Racial Equity* on October 7 at noon! Join us as we reconnect through courageous conversations and action-oriented workshops and together explore how philanthropy can embrace differences and bridge divides across race, socioeconomics, gender, faith and other identities.

[Register Today!](#)



This election will have a major impact on the future of early learning, K-12 education, curriculum, funding for public schools, private school choice, college affordability, and more. Leverage these graphics to get the word out and support students who are too young to vote!

Eligible individuals between 16 and 17.5 years old can now “pre-register” to vote. Register to vote online at mi.gov/vote. Once you turn 17 and a half, your pre-registration will automatically turn into a regular registration.

Vote early! Michigan voters now have the right to cast a ballot early and in person at an early voting site prior to the election. You can find an early voting location at <https://www.michigan.gov/sos/elections/voting/early-in-person-voting>

Vote from home! You can fill out your absentee ballot anywhere, including at home or in your city or township clerk’s office. Request an absentee ballot online at mi.gov/vote.

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