



The Alabama Conference of Black Mayors

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PATRICK BRAXTON, THE FIRST BLACK MAN TO BECOME MAYOR OF NEWBERN STUNNING VICTORY

Slocomb, AL- Mayor Patrick Braxton was elected the first Black Mayor of Newbern, Alabama in 2020. The rights and privileges of being Mayor of Newbern have been consistently denied Mayor Patrick Braxton. A settlement agreement was referred to U.S. District Judge Kristi K. Dubose of the U.S. District Court for the Southern District of Alabama. The settlement agreement has been signed by District Judge Kristi K. Dubose.

The Alabama Conference of Black Mayors was instrumental in assisting Mayor Braxton with his official swearing-in and this tedious journey since 2020. The Alabama Conference of Black Mayors are preparing a celebratory program with the ceremonial swearing – in of Mayor Braxton. The program is scheduled to be held on August 3rd at 11:00 a.m. in Newbern, Alabama, at the First Baptist Church Life Center, located at 96 Beech Street, Newbern, Alabama. Immediately following the program, attendees will depart from First Baptist Church Life Center and go directly to Newbern City Hall for the ceremonial swearing-in of Mayor Patrick Braxton.

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