



**Assemblywoman Linda S. Carter**

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Linda Carter, affectionately known as “New Jersey’s Wonder Woman” has spent her entire career fighting for the underprivileged and middle-class communities. She has served locally for nearly two decades, as a member of the Plainfield City Council and as a member of the Union County Board of Chosen Freeholders – earning a reputation as a bold progressive, and pragmatic trailblazer willing to take on a wide array of challenges that affect her communities. On May 24,

2018, Linda Carter, a lifelong resident of the City of Plainfield, was appointed to serve as a member of the New Jersey General Assembly representing the 22nd Legislative District, comprised of Union, Middlesex & Somerset Counties to fill the vacancy caused by the late Assemblyman Gerald B. Green.

Shortly thereafter, Assemblywoman Linda Carter was elected at a special election held on November 6, 2018, to fill the unexpired term. She currently serves on the Science, Innovation, and Technology Committee, the Telecommunications and Utilities Committee, the Law & Public Safety Committee and was recently selected to serve on the New Jersey Legislative Black Caucus 2020 Census Reapportionment Policy Committee. The youngest of her siblings, she graduated from the University of Maryland, Eastern Shore where she earned her Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration. Assemblywoman Carter also holds a Master of Science degree in Management, Information Management from Stevens Institute of Technology in Hoboken.

As a member of the Plainfield City Council representing the First and Fourth wards, Linda Carter served as a liaison to the Housing Authority, Board of Education, Cable Advisory Board, Chair of the Public Safety Committee and Neighborhood and City Services Committee. She served as Chair of the Committee of the whole and was quickly elevated to lead the Governing Body as Plainfield City Council President.

As a three-term member of the Union County Board of Chosen Freeholders, Linda Carter has served on a host of committees -- including the County’s Fiscal Committee which oversaw a half a billion dollar budget, the Homeland Security Committee which partnered with federal, state, and local law enforcement agencies that help monitor the NY/NJ Port Authorities and the Shared Services Committee which help to find innovates ways for local government agencies in Union County to combined services to save tax dollars. She also served as Vice-Chairman of the Freeholder Board and became the first African American female to serve as Chairman of the Union County Board of Chosen Freeholders.

With a focus on assisting youths and seniors, Assemblywoman Carter has received numerous awards. She has been a volunteer mentor and a Big Sister and has helped to ensure that homeless persons receive food.

Currently, Assemblywoman Carter is employed by the Passaic Board of Education as a High School Business Education Teacher. Prior to her career in education, she worked at AT&T in Access Management of the CFO Division, and as Portfolio Asset Manager for ATT&T Credit Communication.

Assemblywoman Carter is a proud member of the Theta Phi Omega Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. a sorority that has been at the forefront of effective advocacy and social change for over a century. She has served in many leadership positions including Chapter President for four terms. Assemblywoman Carter is a member of the New Jersey Board of Realtors. As the only educator to serve in the New Jersey General Assembly, Linda Carter is proud to stand with the New Jersey Education Association (NJEA) to advance and protect the rights, benefits and interest of educators across this state and to promote a quality system of public education for all students.



February 26, 2019

Chairman Kevin McCabe  
Middlesex County Democratic Committee  
266 Fernwood Rd.  
Edison, NJ 08837

Dear Chairman McCabe,

We are running for re-election to the New Jersey General Assembly in the 22<sup>nd</sup> Legislative District, and request the support of the Middlesex County Democratic Committee.

As longtime members of the Democratic Party, we are excited at the recent gains made in Middlesex County under your leadership. As incumbent members of the General Assembly, we have been fighting hard to build a fairer New Jersey for working families in the state, and plan on campaigning on behalf of ourselves as well as Democratic candidates across the ballot.

We will be attending your convention and look forward to coordinating our appearances with your staff. As requested, enclosed please find copies of our biographies. Obviously, please feel free to reach out for any further information you may need.

Sincerely,

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James J. Kennedy

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