

DETROIT REVOLUTIONARY MOVEMENT RECORDS

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UAW LOCAL 961 ELECTIONS
PETITIONS TO UAW MAY 1971

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| <u>John L. Brown - 1780-9477</u> | <u>Barbara Lee 75-6804</u> |
| <u>Walter H. Morris 0711-0441</u> | <u>Samuel Brown 177-1402</u> |
| <u>Amnie L. ... 1736</u> | <u>Fredrick ...</u> |
| <u>Joseph L. ... 1758</u> | <u>... 75-11</u> |
| <u>LeRoy C. Caution 5798</u> | <u>Lenas Jackson 5057</u> |
| <u>Robert C. Caution 2618</u> | <u>William H. Smith 3102</u> |
| <u>M. Q. ... 6310</u> | <u>Edell Cook 4045</u> |
| <u>Lois L. Gates 1371</u> | <u>Herman J. Mitchell 5687</u> |
| <u>Mercedes Pe 25-7004</u> | <u>Lennie ... 5155</u> |
| <u>Dorris Dent 25-0111</u> | <u>J. B. D. W. E. 115-3992</u> |
| <u>Richard H. ... 78-7088</u> | <u>J. K. ... 2204</u> |
| <u>Blenda S. ... 9557</u> | <u>R. H. C. ... 2929</u> |
| <u>Margie L. ... 5948</u> | <u>Walter ... 5878</u> |
| <u>... 6222</u> | <u>William ... 12465</u> |
| <u>Blenda Smith 4080</u> | <u>Edna ... 5743</u> |
| <u>Julius E. Coleman 2185</u> | <u>Charles ... 5588</u> |

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| <u>Carlos Wilson</u> | <u>73-1455</u> |
| <u>Donald C. Turrell</u> | <u>25-8814</u> |
| <u>Robert W. Brown</u> | <u>48-8035</u> |
| <u>Simon Katsaris</u> | <u>73 20 93</u> |
| <u>Leise Trotter</u> | <u>73-2946</u> |
| <u>Bernard Poyad</u> | <u>73-9101</u> |
| <u>Charles H. Wilson</u> | <u>73-8818</u> |
| <u>Cecil W. Shaw</u> | <u>73-8114</u> |
| <u>Louis Patterson</u> | <u>73-2346</u> |
| <u>Eugene Faulkner</u> | <u>73 2314</u> |
| <u>Daniel Glan</u> | <u>73-3952</u> |
| <u>James M. Saborn</u> | <u>73-5674</u> |
| <u>Keroy Barrett</u> | <u>73-0968</u> |
| <u>William J. Linn</u> | <u>70-5051</u> |
| <u>James Lee Huel</u> | <u>70-8555</u> |

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| <u>Eugene Minchella 9272</u> | <u>Willy Nelson 1988</u> |
| <u>Beaver Army 2951</u> | <u>Earl W. Rudeton 4569</u> |
| <u>Thomas Johnson 3604</u> | <u>Kirkland C Peterson 2912</u> |
| <u>J. C. Thompson 2661</u> | <u>Jack Karsant 6756</u> |
| <u>Elijah Smith 8981</u> | <u>Harold D. Standard - 6698</u> |
| <u>James E Davis 1536</u> | <u>David Hardin 4497</u> |
| <u>Henry A Ford 1637</u> | <u>Frank Andrews 3587</u> |
| <u>William M. Goff 5698</u> | <u>Clarence Brown 2733</u> |
| <u>M. W. AMer 1096</u> | <u>Lloyd Kelley 3746</u> |
| <u>Robert C Collins 2723</u> | <u>Thomas J. Williams 8773</u> |
| <u>Rich Norma 5683</u> | <u>Willie C Plummer 9330</u> |
| <u>Wilbert Johnson 0001</u> | <u>Leon McCommons</u> |
| <u>Charles Davis 4520</u> | <u>Darrell Fredrick 5763</u> |
| <u>Amos Lawry 0810</u> | <u>Clopper Watson 3669</u> |
| <u>Donald Robinson 1031</u> | <u>Clifford C Bradley 8079</u> |
| <u>Tom Moore 70-0632</u> | |

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Pathological C. Rankin III

James Rankin

Comelius Webster III

John Robinson 17-1528

Bill Rankin 25-7669

Emmanuel 21-101 76-6093

Robert C. Young 76-1171

Carl D. Johnson 27-7176

J. J. Jackson 76-2292

Robert Miller 69-3042

William Freeman B.

Jerome McCall

Claude Lewis 1026

Alexander M. Brown 2176

Mr. Rutledge 72-0804

James A. Williams 4531

Belmont H. Head 72-2934

Alphonse 72-5829

Ronald Cole 25-4666

Walter Davis 76-4804

Raymond 7116 4301

John Bell 69-5526

Belmont H. Bruce 27-9998

Robert T. Ekins 27-7112

Robert F. Frazier 76-0045

Henry Jones 25-9583

Elliot Henderson 86-1325

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| <u>John Smith 77-1102</u> | <u>Edward Montgomery 77-1103</u> |
| <u>Walter Henderson 77-1104</u> | <u>Albert Anderson 77-1105</u> |
| <u>James Martin 77-1106</u> | <u>Alfred Hendrick 77-1107</u> |
| <u>Frank White 77-1108</u> | <u>Paul Johnson 77-1109</u> |
| <u>John Doe 77-1110</u> | <u>J. J. Anderson 77-1111</u> |
| <u>Walter Harris 77-1112</u> | <u>Robert Taylor 77-1113</u> |
| <u>Harold Bennett 77-1114</u> | <u>Charles Smith 77-1115</u> |
| <u>Norman Hawkins 77-1116</u> | <u>Frank Carter 77-1117</u> |
| <u>Michael Williams 77-1118</u> | <u>John Miller 77-1119</u> |
| <u>John Williams 77-1120</u> | <u>Thomas C. Williams 77-1121</u> |
| <u>Robert Carter 77-1122</u> | <u>Walter Miller 77-1123</u> |
| <u>Robert Dukes 77-1124</u> | <u>Walter Miller 77-1125</u> |
| <u>Robert Jones 77-1126</u> | <u>Frank Johnson 77-1127</u> |
| <u>Rayton Myers 77-1128</u> | <u>Tom Jackson 77-1129</u> |
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Larry Holloway 80-4516

John Woodard 7090

Maxine A. Pusey 5571

Al Harris 2721

John W. [unclear] 9128

Harold Williams -80-967-5

Martha Mills 80-7249

Doris Patterson 80-3243

Wendy [unclear] 80-522

Bertha R. [unclear] 80-2346

Beverly A. Johnson 80-4631

Joseph [unclear] 83-5233

Altha M. [unclear] 5528

Robert Harris 5982

Joe [unclear] 9854

Edward Paris 4784

Manney [unclear] 27413

Stanley [unclear] 2910

Lynn [unclear] 6751

[unclear] 35-0191

[unclear] 14127

Charles [unclear] 7401

Chet [unclear] 27-2436

David C. [unclear] 69-2914

John [unclear]

Stanley [unclear]

Walter L. [unclear] 69-7062

Leroy [unclear] 72-8042

Thom [unclear] 22-2152

Walter [unclear] 3289

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| <u>Georgia L. Stephenson 5948</u> | <u>Katherine Smith 5878</u> |
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Kirk M. Pollock 4753
Cosmo D. Hackett 5292
John R. Benjamin 0935
Sid J. Allen 7956
Norman Stok 1145-
W. Watt 7120
Edie Lowell 9041
Althea Mae Anderson 3801
Malcolm D. J. 5512
Charles C. Powell 1944
Wishom Stok 2218
James Challen 2222
~~Robert D. Smith 11434~~
Robert D. Smith 2095
Nazel D. Poz 1022
~~0543~~
~~Walter Kinkele 11434~~

Jimmy J. Jones 5405
Penelope Jones 3652
Ronald R. D. 9125
Re. Hillman 3336
Edward Dorell
Charles E. Stok 6280
Robert D. Stok 6880
Clauvia Casper 3495
Richard W. Naves 3500
Howard L. Tiffin 9152
Eugene Cole Stok 2
Houston Kelly 46110
Mari Barks 9371
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Anthony Smith 2552 #75

Bonny Watts 8438 #76

Clarence Johnson 0162 #76

John Schaefer 8890 #76

Russ Wainwright 1242 #76

Michael L. Hummel 6250 #75

Leonard Bonney 2043 #75

Myrl Elly 0264

Lester Lagon 4262

John Anderson 2383

Jim Francis 0928

John Bragg 1815

W. E. Wainwright 8488

A. E. Reed 6313

Gabriel S. Burnett 1816

Robert Thippen 8868

LOUIS BARDON 9577-75

E. Hamilton 8019-75

Bobby L. Stephens 5383-75

W. G. Crump 4696

Ocie L. Williams 8834

George Gougeon 2733

William L. Brackley 3303-73

Dickinson 8865-73

Dennis Crawford 1389

Sp. Bill Miller 9159

Robert Thomas 1318

General Wainwright 8464

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- George D. Lind 8548⁷³
- James Jackson 1034⁷³
- Bill Wilson 5966⁷³
- Frank Houston 8187
- Harold M. Jenkins 4442
- James J. Matthews 5884
- Charles White 3553-74
- Curtis Young 3157-74
- Raymond Burt 5190-73
- Orrell Edwards 9879-76
- Andrew G. Whelan 1780-76
- Alonzo Williams 6829-76
- Francis V. Long 76
- James J. Randall 76
- Manuel Ray Saha 76-8385

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Pete Dixon

Joseph J. Mihale

Frankie Collins 35-750

William Ward ~~35-750~~

Esquire Bell

Eric C. [unclear]

Harold Bailey

Ralph Jones

Thomas T. England

Joe E. Moore

Billie Lenson

Billie A. Bell

William P. Baker Jr.

Willie A. Sadler Jr.

Thomas Harris

C. Brown

Larry Wimberly

Ben [unclear]

Walter J. Screen

W. J. [unclear]

Willie Banks

James Gill

Ernest T. Hancock Jr.

Bye - G. M. Miller

Walter J. Johnson

William Johnson

Gene Brown

Carl D. Booth

Gene B. Furbush

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W. Lee [unclear]

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Norrell Hillman

Arthur W. Golay

William S. Sparks

Bobbie Smith

Albert Lee Davis

Thomas K. Middleton, Jr.

Ronald S. Nelson

Paul Ramsey

Ron Smith

Joe Swift

Paul Anderson, Jr.

John C. King

Edward K. Ward, Jr.

Jake Bryant

W. C. Shields

Bateman Boig

Alton L. Rosen

C. W. Greer

Ronald Smith

Julius Abbott

Frank Anderson

Jerry Parker

James R. Horrolic

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| <u>Allen Park Jr. 9225</u> | <u>Spencer Dandley</u> |
| <u>George Mason 6095</u> | <u>Joseph L. Booker 9247</u> |
| <u>Joe Kiper 0909</u> | <u>Willie Brown 0926</u> |
| <u>Louise Nook</u> | <u>Walter Dixon 4840</u> |
| <u>Ralph B. Towsey</u> | <u>Frank Hinton 9054</u> |
| <u>Perce L. Thomas</u> | <u>3506 Staley Dinkler 2575</u> |
| <u>Leard Brown 5964</u> | <u>Abound Nelson 3168</u> |
| <u>Willis Jones 2129</u> | <u>Donald Phillips - 7301</u> |
| <u>Morris Epton</u> | <u>W. William Hobbs 470</u> |
| <u>Carl L. Robertson 8316</u> | <u>Judy Green 5019</u> |
| <u>Walter Jones 9838</u> | <u>Tommy L. Smith 9201</u> |
| <u>Jose R. 1014</u> | <u>Willie Smith</u> |
| <u>Thomas Holder 3084</u> | <u>Charly C. John 4220</u> |
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| <u>Billie J. ...</u> | <u>73-5220</u> |
| <u>John ...</u> | <u>73-5030</u> |
| <u>John ...</u> | <u>73-5014</u> |
| <u>John ...</u> | <u>73-5420</u> |
| <u>Frank ...</u> | <u>75-7481</u> |
| <u>Bill ...</u> | <u>73-5432</u> |
| <u>James ...</u> | <u>73-5300</u> |
| <u>Robert ...</u> | <u>73-5029</u> |
| <u>Edward ...</u> | <u>0750-4123</u> |
| <u>Michael ...</u> | <u>73-5576</u> |
| <u>John ...</u> | <u>73-7198</u> |
| <u>Paul ...</u> | <u>73-4450</u> |
| <u>John B. ...</u> | <u>73-7493</u> |
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Benjamin F. Carter ⁶⁰²³

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