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TO: Detroit City Council 
FROM: David D. Whitaker 
Legislative Policy Division Staff
DATE: July 17, 2023
RE: **Industry Standards Board Nomination**

The Legislative Policy Division has received multiple nominations for the establishment of an industry standards board for sports arenas. We have attached the nominations for your Honorable Body's consideration. The following individuals have been nominated:

Worker or representative chosen by workers

Porcha' Perry
E. Joseph Miller
Brandice Mullen

Member of management or an employer association

Mike Bloom
Jeremy Bodary

Public At-Large

Branden Synder

NOMINATING APPLICATION FOR INDUSTRY STANDARDS BOARD

Nominating Entity: SEIU Local 1

Industry (if applicable) _____

CHECK ONE OF THE FOLLOWING:

The Nominee is:

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- A member of the public at large

Industry: _____

Connection or Relationship to Industry:

Been a janitor for 7 years and have worked all the Arenas since 2015

NOMINEE INFORMATION:

Name: Porcha' Perry

Address: 15606 Fordham St

Email address:

pperry080288@gmail.com _____

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Phone number: 313-870-

7386 _____

Employment information (include name of employer and job title of nominee): Comerica Park: Housekeeping

Ford Field: Team Member

City Shield: Security

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Detroit, MI 48205

Porcha' Perry

(313) 870-7386

porchaperry6@gmail.com

Summary

A strong communicator whose flexibility is her greatest asset. Demonstrated flexibility, ability to learn and willingness to work within teams in previous roles. Interested in positions where she can demonstrate her customer service skills and tech background.

Education

Henry Ford Community College (Dearborn, MI) Completed 30 credits towards an Associate Degree in Computer Programming	2012 to 2014
Kaplan University (Online) Web Development	2010 to 2011
Wayne County Community College (Detroit, MI) Early Childhood Education	2006 to 2007
Finney High School (Detroit, MI) High School Diploma	2003 to 2007

Work History

Ilitch Companies (Detroit, MI) Housekeeper	Apr. 2016 to Present
<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Clean restrooms, the concourse and other areas routinely and as needed to provide a better experience for customers at Comerica Park.	
City Shield Security (Detroit, MI) Security	Sep. 2018 to Mar. 2020
<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Inspected and patrolled premises regularly in order to report any suspicious behaviors and happenings.● Monitored property entrance, authorized entrance of people and vehicles and secured all exits, doors and windows.● While working multiple locations, provided assistance to individuals in need by suggesting directions, locations of buildings, etc.	
Safe Management (Detroit, MI) Team Member	Aug. 2015 to Dec. 2019
<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Greeted customers while checking and scanning tickets and, subsequently, directed them to their proper location at Ford Field.	
Party City (Roseville, MI) Sales Associate	Sep. 2015 to Nov. 2015
<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Assembled product displays, organized stockroom inventory and maintained store cleanliness during the busy Halloween season.● Helped customers with service and performed cashier duties as needed.	

Certifications

Microsoft Office Specialist Certification in Microsoft Excel 2019

Microsoft, 2020

Customer Service Certification

International Business Training Association, 2020

First Aid Certification

United Way for Southeastern Michigan Early Learning Communities, 2018

Expires: 2020

Child Care Certification

United Way for Southeastern Michigan Early Learning Communities, 2012

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Nominating Entity IATSE Local 38 - The Detroit Stage Employees Union

Industry (if applicable) Arts & Entertainment - Stagehands & Live Event Technicians

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Industry: Arts & Entertainment - Stagehands & Live Event Technicians

Connection or Relationship to Industry: (if applicable) _____

NOMINEE INFORMATION:

Name: E. Joseph Miller

Address: 26574 Park Court, Madison Heights, MI 48071

Email address: ba38@iatse38.org

Phone number: 313 870-9570

Employment information (include name of employer and job title of nominee):

Business Agent for the Detroit Stage Employees Union, The International Alliance of Theatrical Stage Employees, Local 38

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RESUME OF: Edwin Joseph Miller
26574 Park Court
Madison Heights, MI 48071
TEL: 248 840-1305
EML: ba38@iatse38.org

Education: Rochester Institute of Technology
Rochester, New York
BFA, Photographic Illustration
Graduated with Honors, 1981

MEMBER: IATSE Local 38, Detroit, Michigan

2023 – PRESENT: Trustee of the Wayne County Trades Alliance

2020 – PRESENT: Vice President of the Metro Detroit AFL-CIO.

2017 – PRESENT: Business Representative for the Detroit Stage Employees Union, IATSE Local 38, Detroit, Michigan. Representing over 650 stagehands, film crew workers, and live event technicians in the Detroit area.

2005 – 2017: Secretary-Treasurer for the Detroit Stage Employees Union, IATSE Local 38, Detroit, Michigan.

1987 – 2017: Worked as a film crew worker, stagehand, video engineer, and live event technician. Over 30 years working in Detroit-area arenas, stadiums, theatres, and convention centers. A list of my motion picture credits may be found here on my IMDB page:
<http://www.imdb.com/name/nm0963038/> (I'm Joe Miller ✓)

Professional References:

Claude Molinari
President and CEO, Visit Detroit
313 498-7339
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Linda Lutz
Vice President and CFO, Detroit Symphony Orchestra
248 417-7998
llutz@dso.org

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Nominating Entity SEIU Local 1

Industry (if applicable) _____

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Industry: Property Service

Connection or Relationship to Industry: (if applicable) SEIU Local 1 Michigan State Director. Previous SEIU Local 1 member from Downtown Detroit with 15 years of service.

NOMINEE INFORMATION:

Name: Brandice Mullen

Address: 2211 E. Jefferson Detroit MI

Email address: mullenb@seiu1.org

Phone number: (313) 559-0451

Employment information (include name of employer and job title of nominee): SEIU Local 1 Michigan State Director

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Brandice Mullen
SEIU Local 1
Michigan Director

Brandice Mullen is a lifelong Detroit resident and the current Michigan Director of SEIU Local 1, which represents over 2,000 janitors in the Detroit area and over 45,000 workers across the Midwest. Mullen started her career as a janitor for 15 years before joining Local 1 as an organizer and later climbing through the ranks to director. As a union leader with experience working in both fast food and healthcare, she understands deeply the issues that underpaid workers face. Brandice is also a mother of 3 wonderful boys and appreciates spending time with them at any moment.



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Industry: Property Service

Connection or Relationship to Industry: (if applicable) Long time Human Resources Manager with various property service contractors in and around Detroit. Currently with The Professional Group, which provides janitorial and other services to Comerica Park, Little Caesar's Arena, Ford Field, and other venues.

NOMINEE INFORMATION:

Name: Mike Bloom

Address: 407 E. Fort St. Ste. #600 Detroit, MI 48226

Email address: mbloom@tpg-usa.com

Phone number: 248-916-7333

Employment information (include name of employer and job title of nominee): The Professional Group (TPG); Human Resources Director

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Industry: Property Service

Connection or Relationship to Industry: (if applicable) Oversees vast janitorial and other property services operations at Ford Field, Comerica Park, Little Caesar's Arena, and other sports and entertainment venues.

NOMINEE INFORMATION:

Name: Jeremy Bodary

Address: 407 E. Fort St. Ste. #600 Detroit, MI 48226

Email address: jbodary@tpg-usa.com

Phone number: 34-658-0397

Employment information (include name of employer and job title of nominee): The Professional Group (TPG); Vice President, Sports and Entertainment Venues

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JEREMY BODARY

Detroit, Michigan 48124 | (734) 658-0397 | JBODARY@TPG-USA.COM

Skills

- Employee performance evaluations
- Facilities maintenance
- Recruiting and interviewing
- Financial Management
- Contract Management
- Strategic planning

Work History

VP/Sports and Entertainment Venues

Oct 2019 - Current

The Professional Group/PBM

Detroit, Michigan

- Oversee day-to-day production activities in accordance with business objectives for all Sports and entertainment venues
- Assessed performance management structures and implemented enhancements to improve frameworks and strengthen results.
- Devised new promotional approaches to boost customer numbers and market penetration while enhancing engagement and driving growth.
- Evaluated performance, adjusted strategies and maintained agile, sustainable operations.
- Worked collaboratively with functional leaders to implement new procedures and corrective actions to improve quality.

Site Manager Little Caesars Arena

Sep 2018 - Sep 2019

The Professional Group/PBM

Detroit, Michigan

- Supervised contractor work processes and adherence to project schedule.
- Complied with safe operating practices and assessed operational procedures against best practices.
- Devised processes to boost long-term business success and increase profit levels.
- Attended numerous on-site meetings with team and clients per month.
- Developed training manual and on-the-job training programs.
- Delegated assignments based on plans, project needs and knowledge of individual team members.
- Oversaw employee attendance record, handled payroll and ordered new materials for sites.

Assistant Manager, Post Event, LCA

Mar 2018 - Sept 2018

The Professional Group/PBM

Detroit, Michigan

- Performed post-event tasks such as breaking down areas, removing trash and cleaning facilities.
- Developed loyal and highly satisfied customer base through proactive management of team customer service strategies.
- Help Develop weekly Schedules
- Follow-up with supervisors and pros to ensure satisfactory results
- Learn the business and client needs
- Developed strong relationships in the industry

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Industry: Service & Hospitality Industry

Connection or Relationship to Industry: (if applicable): Detroit Action is a union of working-class Black and Brown Metro Detroiters fighting for racial and economic justice. Detroit Action's constituency consists of workers, the unemployed, renters, homeowners & neighbors, those impacted by the criminal legal system and young adults.

NOMINEE INFORMATION:

Name: Branden Snyder

Address: 10210 Byron Street, Apartment 6, Detroit, MI 48202

Email address: branden@detroitaction.org

Phone number: (313)4920-7696

Employment information (include name of employer and job title of nominee):

Name of Employer: Detroit Action, a project of Tides Advocacy

Job Title: Executive Director

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BRANDEN SNYDER

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EDUCATION

University of Michigan, Spring 2009

Bachelor of Arts: Political Science and Afro-American and African Studies

Ann Arbor, MI

Minor: Urban and Community Studies

EXPERIENCE

Director

December 2016 - Present

Detroit Action & Detroit Action Education Fund

Detroit, MI

- Lead and managed merger of 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) non-profit organizations to create new community-based organization in Detroit
- Coached executive board, staff volunteers on skills to become community and political organizers through individualized professional development programs
- Raised and managed yearly budget of \$6M between various tax entities from national foundations, individuals and organized labor to develop the political and economic power of the organization throughout Detroit
- Shaped Detroit Action policy platform and campaigns through research, analysis and stakeholder engagement
- Launched Michigan Action SuperPAC, Detroit Campaign School and other entities within Detroit Action to expand independent political power in Michigan

Deputy Organizing Director (State Youth Vote Director)

August - November 2016

Michigan Coordinated Campaign – Hillary For Michigan

Detroit, MI

- Developed statewide strategy to mobilize non-student youth, high school and college students around voter registration, education, volunteering and GOTV at universities, community colleges, and high schools across Michigan
- Managed 10 campus organizers and worked with 200+ staff to effectively target youth across Michigan and at 25 colleges and universities across Michigan
- Increased voter turnout of college students at Tier 1 program schools by more than 20 percent from 2012 voter totals

Organizing Director

2015 – August 2016

Michigan United

Detroit, MI

- Managed Metro-Detroit organizing staff, interns and volunteers implementing faith, immigration and electoral organizing strategies
- Maintained local and statewide coalition relationships, including major labor unions, faith organizations and service agencies
- Cultivated the talents and skills of career organizers through comprehensive professional development and training plans

State Field Director

August – November 2014

Michigan For All, Grassroots Solutions

Southfield, MI

- Supervised and trained a team of Regional Directors and over 300 canvassers in six offices across Michigan reaching over 250,000 voters in the 2014 Gubernatorial race.
- Designed and trained on best practices for data management using the campaign's voter file software (VAN)
- Managed VAN Activist Codes, Bulk Uploads, Events, Permissions, Survey Questions, Targets, Users and incoming Voter Registration data.

ADDITIONAL

Additional Employment

- Campaign Manager, *Rebecca Thompson for Michigan State Representative*, Detroit, MI (2014)
- Organizer, *Indianapolis Congregation Action Network (IndyCAN) PICO National Network*, Indianapolis, IN (2012-2014)

Honors & Awards

- *Winter 2016 Mentor, Great Lakes Consortium for International Training & Development – U.S. State Department Professional Exchange Program*
- *2016 New Leaders Council – Detroit Fellow, New Leaders Council*
- *2015 Local Campaign Manager & Candidates Fellow, Center For Progressive Leadership*
- *2014 Progressive 100 (P100) Alumni of the Month, Progressive Change Campaign Committee*