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With a heavy heart in regard to Coronavirus (COVID-19)

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I wanted to wait and give the stage to Elected Officials and other Community Leaders as they spoke to the Coronavirus (COVID-19) and closings as it relates to the public.

I have been exceptional proud of many of the panelists and initially asked panelist, NC Madame Chief Justice Cheri Beasley and how God has allowed leadership to look on them and ordered their steps.

I cannot think of endangering anyone so it is in following the wisdom and the leadership of my Sistas that with a heavy heart but wise mind I announce that the **Thursday, March 26th State of Black Women event is for now cancelled.**

Please continue to exercise good judgement and prayer.

There are steps everyone should take to minimize and prevent the spread of the Coronavirus:

- Washing your hands often with soap for at least 20 seconds
- Avoiding close contact with anyone who is sick
- Avoiding touching your face
- Staying home if you're sick
- Disinfecting surfaces at home and at work
- Covering your mouth when coughing or sneezing

If you, your family, or anyone you know has questions about Coronavirus, you can go to the [Centers for Disease Control COVID-19](#) website.

At 53, I was reminded as Corinthians talks about, there is nothing new under the sun. We have been here before with Swine Flu, Ebola, SARS and much more and by the grace of God we have survived.

I will humbly wait, watch, pray and keep you posted.

Colette Forrest

Reeder Memorial Social
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The State of Black Women

PANEL DISCUSSION

Thursday
March 26, 2020

Reeder Memorial Baptist
3725 Beatties Ford Road
Charlotte, NC 28216

6:00-6:30pm
Resource Fair

6:30-8:00pm
Panel Discussion

Panelists



Alma
S. Adams
NC 12th District
Congresswoman



Anita
Earls
NC Supreme Court
Associate Justice



Elisa
Chinn-Gary
Clerk of
Superior Court



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