



# **Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc.**

## **Great Lakes Region**

### **Michigan State Organization**



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Founders' Day Celebration  
97 Years of Service

Greetings Sorors:

To celebrate 97 years of Finer Womanhood and to continue the countdown to our Centennial Celebration, the Michigan State Organization will host our Founders' Day Celebration on Saturday, January 14, 2017 at the St. John's Banquet and Conference Center, located at 22001 Northwestern Highway, Southfield, Michigan 48075. Rededication will begin at 10:00 a.m. and the Founders' Day program will begin at 11:00 a.m. The cost of the luncheon is \$40 per person. The host chapter for the 2017 Founders' Day Celebration is Zeta Nu Zeta of Inkster, Michigan.

The Founders' Day Celebration will be an amazing time! This Founders' Day Celebration will feature Soror Norma C. Dartis, the National Historian of Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc., a National Education Foundation Presentation, the Michigan State Organization Scholarship presentation, a community service presentation to Orchards Children's Services, and a Ways and Means special fundraising event, with additional details to follow. You will not want to miss this event! The deadline to purchase tickets is Monday, December 19, 2016. The MSO will only accept chapter checks as payment. A list of chapter attendees must be included with your chapter payment. Please submit your chapter checks, along with the chapter list of attendees to the Tamias Grammateus, Soror Eboni Turnbow, at 78 W. Ferry St. #18, Detroit, Michigan 48202.

In order for this Celebration to be amazing, please adhere to the following:

1. All Sorors must wear uninterrupted white. No pants will be allowed.
2. Graduate Chapters are asked to donate \$200 and Undergraduate Chapters are asked to donate \$75 to the National Education Foundation. Chapter checks should be made payable to the Michigan State Organization and sent to Soror Eboni Turnbow at her address, which is listed above. The due date is Monday, December 19, 2016.
3. To ensure we donate 1920 hygiene products (sanitary napkins) to Orchards Children's Services (teens in Foster Care) each Chapter is asked to donate 5 packs of 24 female hygiene products (sanitary napkins). Please note each chapter donation will receive ZHOPE points.

Sorors, we are looking forward to an awesome time as we continue the countdown to Centennial. We will continue *"Building on the Principles of Zeta, While Blazing New Paths."* An invitation will be extended to the other Greek affiliates.

For more information, please email the Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Incorporated, Michigan State Organization Public Relations Team at [michiganzetaspr@gmail.com](mailto:michiganzetaspr@gmail.com).

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