



Executive Council selects Detroit for 2018 convention

The newly installed Executive Council (see the January 2015 *Postal Record*) met at NALC Headquarters in Washington, DC, the week of Dec. 15 to discuss important issues facing letter carriers. Items covered included the grievance and arbitration process, safety and service initiatives, training, workers' compensation, carrier academy, organizing, the City Delivery Alternate Adjust-

ment Process (CDRAAP), key legislative issues and negotiations toward the next National Agreement.

The Executive Council has chosen the Cobo Center in Detroit as the site of the 71st biennial convention, July 16-20, 2018. This will mark NALC's sixth convention in the Motor City; the last was in 1966. "We're looking forward to meeting in the capital of the automobile industry and celebrat-

ing its important labor history," NALC President Fredric Rolando said.

The *NALC Constitution* requires the Executive Council to choose a convention city in a different geographical region, defined by the five USPS regions that existed before 1992, than the sites of the previous two conventions.

The 70th biennial convention will be held Aug. 21-25, 2016, at the Los Angeles Convention Center. **PR**

