



ABC News: [Civil rights leaders demand meeting with Elon Musk](#)

Separately, NAACP President Derrick Johnson met with Musk on Tuesday “to express our grave concerns with the dangerous, life-threatening hate and conspiracies that have proliferated on Twitter under his watch,” according to an NAACP statement.

CNN: [Hear the NAACP CEO's takeaways from his meeting with Elon Musk](#)

Twitter CEO Elon Musk met with civil rights leaders, the Anti-Defamation League and others to discuss cracking down on hate speech on the social media platform. President and CEO of the NAACP Derrick Johnson gives his takeaways from the meeting.

NY Magazine: [Inside Elon Musk's 'Sincere' 45-Minute Zoom on Hate Speech](#)

Also discussed was next week's tightly contested election in the US, which will decide which party controls the House and Senate. “We talked about the importance, particularly around the election, not allowing for the platform to be used for misinformation to undermine our democracy,” Johnson of the NAACP said.

Politico: [Musk personally led call with civil rights groups to address hate speech on Twitter](#)

“We are cautiously optimistic, but more important than anything else, it is the outcome: Will the safeguards be in place for this election cycle that were already in place and can they be enhanced?” said NAACP President Derrick Johnson, who participated in the call.

MSNBC: [Claims from Stephen Miller's group are both odious and dubious](#)

NAACP President and CEO Derrick Johnson said he was “deeply troubled by the false and misleading radio advertisements transmitted through your radio station,” calling them “race-baiting advertisements” that are “obviously false.”

The New York Times: [Elon Musk Takes a Page Out of Mark Zuckerberg's Social Media Playbook](#)

At Tuesday's meeting with civil rights groups, which Mr. Musk held over a videoconferencing service, the discussions centered on next week's midterm elections and his approach to content moderation, said Derrick Johnson, the president of the N.A.A.C.P.; Rashad Robinson, the president of Color of Change; and Yael Eisenstat, who heads the Center for Technology & Society at the Anti-Defamation League.

Fox Business: [Elon Musk says Twitter suffered 'massive' revenue drop due to activist group pressure on advertisers](#)

A group of more than 40 organizations, including the NAACP and GLAAD, have sent an open letter calling on Twitter's top 20 largest advertisers to cease advertising on the platform if Musk rolls back its current content-moderation practices. The letter argues that within 24 hours of Musk taking ownership of Twitter, the platform

was "inundated with hate and disinformation."

The Washington Post: [Toxic metal pollution is 10 times worse in racially segregated communities](#)

"We now have an opportunity to invest significant federal funding into communities like Black communities that experience this harm the most," said Abre' Conner, the NAACP's director of environmental and climate justice. "We must continue to center Black communities and communities of color in any solutions and investments regarding environmental injustices."

CNN: [NAACP says it plans to have a strong presence in battleground Georgia in final days to election](#)

"NAACP attorneys will review reports, file any necessary claims, and be prepared to work with election officials, law enforcement and the DOJ, if necessary, to protect voters, poll workers and the right to vote. The NAACP will have an in-person command center with attorneys in Georgia," Jonah Bryson, spokesperson to the NAACP's national President and CEO, said.

NBC News: [Louisiana evokes blood purity laws in new effort to undercut Black vote](#)

And as Stuart Naifeh, manager of the NAACP Legal Defense Fund redistricting project and one of the attorneys involved in the Louisiana case, told me, multiracial Black Americans are not being double-counted in the redistricting process because they selected more than one race; however many identities they define themselves by, each resident can only be counted once for redistricting purposes.

NBC News: [An Arizona court seems to think voter intimidation isn't voter intimidation](#)

Volokh pointed to an earlier Supreme Court decision in NAACP v. Claiborne Hardware holding that the NAACP had a First Amendment right to engage in boycotts of white-owned stores that it said discriminated against African Americans, even when there was violence and threats of violence by some racial justice protesters against Black shoppers who would enter the stores. The court held that an injunction could not apply to constitutionally protected rights to boycott or protest, recognizing that an injunction is appropriate only against "unlawful conduct" like engaging in violent acts or threatening violence.

Politico: [Ads targeting transgender kids flood swing states](#)

"This is playing to the lowest common denominator of hate and otherizing, targeting the LGBT community," Johnson said. "When you create this type of negative reaction to individuals who [don't] present any societal grief, you only create space for people to feel justified for attacking them physically and through public policy."

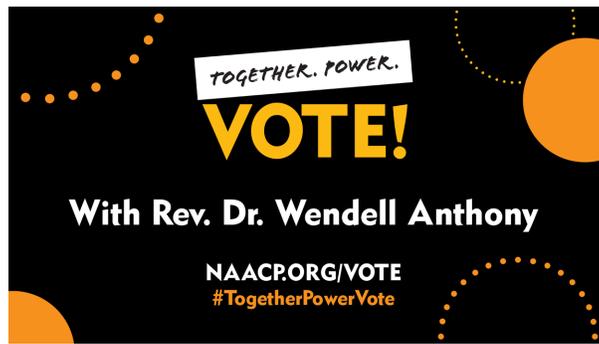
Daily Kos: [Racist Stephen Miller called out for his pathetic 'anti-white bigotry' ad](#)

In a letter, NAACP president Derrick Johnson said stations airing such ads make them "a knowing participant in the spread of disinformation designed to enrage and frighten white voters," NBC News reported.

STATEMENTS:

- [Statement by NAACP President Derrick Johnson on Meeting with Elon Musk](#)
- [NAACP Calls on Companies to Pause All Advertising on Twitter](#)

BLACK MEN VOTE: ROUNDTABLE CONVERSATION WITH MEN OF FAITH

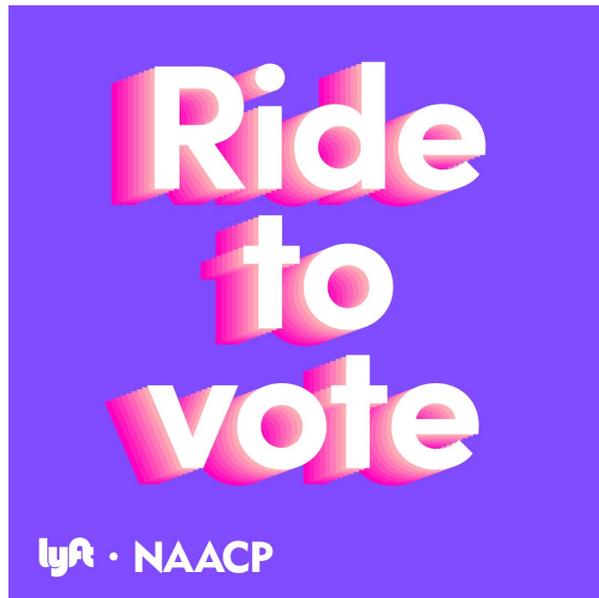


Black Men Voters: Changing the Narrative from Problem to Power

On Monday, November 7 at 5pm ET, NAACP will host an intergenerational dialogue with Black men of faith. Brought to you by the Faith Forward initiative, guests speakers will discuss what's at stake in this midterm election and what we must do to shift the trajectory of the future of those present and those who come behind us.



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