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#WeAreWatchingYOU

Jackson & Canton, MS – On Saturday April 2nd, 2016 The Black Caucus of the Young Democrats of America (@BlackCaucusYDA) will be participating in numerous events in Jackson and Canton, Mississippi to advocate for communities of color that have been displaced and disenfranchised.

Beginning at 9AM at The Chokwe Lumumba Center, located at 939 W. Capitol Street in Jackson, Mississippi, @BlackCaucusYDA will host community training sessions. Workshop instructors include leaders from @BlackCaucusYDA, YDA Labor Caucus, and local union organizers.

Starting at 1PM, @BlackCaucusYDA is pleased to join forces with The YDA Labor Caucus and the local affiliates of The United Auto Workers, along with many other supporters and a host of local community advocates and elected officials in a protest at The Nissan Plant. Our participation in the #WeAreWatchingYou rally and protest is to stand in solidarity with the displaced and disenfranchised workers at Nissan USA. All are welcome to join the movement at The Nissan Plant, located at 300 Nissan Drive in Canton, Mississippi.

Lastly, we would like to invite everyone who participated in any event throughout the day to join us for a Kickback with our Chairman, Ra Shad Frazier Gaines, and his executive team and cabinet. Join us in fellowship at The Penguin, located at 1100 J R Lynch Street in Jackson, Mississippi.

For more information regarding The Black Caucus of The Young Democrats of America, please visit our social media profiles on Facebook and Twitter. To schedule interviews prior to the day of the events or to request a press kit, please contact Communications Director, Jovan C. Richards. For all on site Questions and Answers, please contact Black Caucus YDA Chairman, Ra Shad Frazier Gaines. All contact information can be found below.

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