



## Our Future of Our Federation

Congratulations to our outgoing Federation President, Johnny Rukab on a job well done. Congratulations to our new Federation President, Terry Ahwal-Morris. We wish her much success and we look forward to working with her and continuing our prosperous future.

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We are still seeking representatives for Alabama; San Jose, California; Santa Rosa, California; Chicago, Illinois; Lexington, Kentucky; Louisville, Kentucky; New Jersey; Hempstead, New York; North Carolina; Harrisburg Pennsylvania; Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; Ramallah; Chattanooga, Tennessee; Knoxville, Tennessee; and Houston, Texas. In addition, if your city and RBPN representative is not listed, please contact Julia Farhat at [julianrbpn@hotmail.com](mailto:julianrbpn@hotmail.com) ASAP so we may update your information.

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