

AMAYA WAYMON



maya Waymon is a Tallahassee, FL native attending Tuskegee University, a second year political science major.

As a member of her campus section of NCNW, Amaya supported programming by leveraging social media and targeted outreach to drive fundraising. To serve her community more broadly, Amaya established the Girl Flo—a non-profit organization focused on menstrual health advocacy, education, and resources. She has worked with legislators to effect change, including speaking at committee meetings and press conferences. Over the past four years, she has donated 100,000 menstrual products secured through use of personal funds and grants. To assist with expanding her reach, Amaya launched an HBCU Ambassadors program—she will work with 40 students to provide menstrual products and dispensers nationwide. Amaya recently published a children's book, Oh No, My Period Started! It's Okay, to demystify menstruation.

Amaya is an aspiring attorney and politician. In this capacity, she will commit her life to public service with a focus on creating more equitable access and opportunity for the Black community, with a particular focus on women and girls. More specifically, she intends to focus on education, healthcare, and housing.

Amaya is, a NCNW Bethune-Height rising changemaker!