

# STATE OF MICHIGAN



## SPECIAL TRIBUTE

To

### **DR. OPADA ALZOHAILI, PRESIDENT American Human Rights Council (AHRC)**

Whereas, the American Human Rights Council (AHRC) was created as a non-profit organization dedicated to protecting, promoting, and defending human rights, as defined by the US Constitution and outlined in the United Nations' 1948 Universal Declaration of Human Rights (UDHR).

Whereas, a diverse, dynamic, and talented leadership team has been assembled to launch the AHRC.

*Executive board Members of the AHRC as of December 4, 2014 include: Imam Mohammad Mardini, Dr. Opada Alzohaili, Imam Mustapha Elturk, Professor Mike Thomas, Mr. Abdulhakem Alsadah, Dr. Husain Saleh, Mr. Nabeel Bahalwan, Dr. Saleh Muslah, Ms. Minnie Washington, Mr. Ron Yageman, Dr. Ihsan Khatib, Atty. Shereef Akeel and Atty. Mohammed Alomari.*

*Board Members at large as of December 4, 2014 include : Dr. Madi Shkoukani, Mr. Walid Fidama, Ms. Sarah Harakati, Dr. Jacoub Mansour, Mr. George (Jalil) Saad, Mr. Jessie Ontiveroz, Mr. Adnan Alkadari, Sgnt. Hassan Tligi, Mr. Bandar Bawazir, Mr. Shawn Williams, Mrs. K. Peracha, and Mr. Mohamad Alaoiue. Executive Director: Imad Hamad.*

Whereas, the AHRC will collaborate with other civil and human rights organizations and maintain positive relationships with courts, social service agencies, and various governmental agencies. AHRC will combine high-level legislative work, media outreach, and grassroots mobilization to shape and promote legislation to advance human rights and protect individuals who are at risk.

Whereas, an additional focus of the AHRC will be on prisoners' rights to ensure that the rights of prisoners, and their families, are recognized and defended.

Now Therefore, I, State Representative Rose Mary C. Robinson of House District 4 in Detroit and Hamtramck, do hereby recognize and give special recognition to the committed team of leaders who have come together to protect, promote and defend human rights in Michigan and the United States of America.

**Rose Mary C. Robinson, State Representative  
The Fourth District  
The Ninety-Seventh Legislature at Lansing  
Thursday, December 04, 2014**

