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AMERICAN VISIONS II EXHIBIT AT WCCCD’S CURTIS L. IVERY DOWNTOWN CAMPUS FEATURES WORKS FROM ACCLAIMED ARTISTS FROM PRIVATE COLLECTORS

Featured Artists Include Jacob Lawrence, Bill Sanders, Richard Mayhew, Jocelyn Rainey, Sabrina Nelson and More from Collections of Noted Metro Detroiter

DETROIT, Mich. – Oct. 28, 2022 – American Visions II: The Art of Collecting exhibit will open Wednesday, November 2 at The Brown and Juanita C. Ford Art Gallery at Wayne County Community College District’s Curtis L. Ivery Downtown Campus. The exhibit is the second of a two-part series that features work from nationally celebrated artists on loan from noted metro Detroiter’s private collections.

Works created by Jacob Lawrence, Richard Mayhew, Jocelyn Rainey, Sabrina Nelson, Bill Sanders, Taurus Burns, and other noted artists will be on display to the public – in many cases for the first time.

The first series, which features work from artists including Allie McGhee, Benny Andrews, Shirley Woodson, and more, is currently on display at The Brown and Juanita C. Ford Art Gallery at WCCCD’s Northwest Campus through December 14.

All the works are on loan from noted private collectors including John Bolden, Harold Braggs, Leland Calloway, Dexter Fields, M.D., James and Shirley Jackson, Asha Walidah and David and Linda Whitaker.
The exhibit will open Wednesday, November 2, with a 5 p.m. reception at the gallery, located at the WCCCD Curtis L. Ivery Downtown Campus at 1001 West Fort Street in Detroit. The reception is open to the public at no cost. American Visions II: The Art of Collecting will be on view through December 14, 2022.

This exhibit is presented in partnership with the WCCCD School of Continuing Education. For more information, email artgallery@wcccd.edu or call 313-496-2704.

About WCCCD:
WCCCD, one of the largest urban community colleges in Michigan, is a multi-campus district with six campus locations and specialty campuses, including the Mary Ellen Stempfle University Center, the Heinz C. Prechter Educational and Performing Arts Center, the Michigan Institute for Public Safety Education (MIPSE), the Curtis L. Ivery Health and Wellness Education Center, and the Outdoor Careers Training Center. The District serves students across 32 cities and townships, and more than 500 square miles. WCCCD is committed to the continued development of innovative programs, workforce transformation, hosting community-based training sessions, and improving student facilities and services. www.wcccd.edu.