

State Senator Morris Hood III

State Senator Morris Hood III serves the people of Northwest Detroit, the City of Melvindale, and the City of Dearborn. He is currently the Senate Democratic Floor Leader and served in the House of Representatives for three terms.

Before elected office, Senator Hood worked on the assembly line at the Dearborn Engine Plant for seven years, and served as an alternate committeeman, helping to make sure his fellow workers' rights were protected. It was this experience, along with the inspiration of his grandfather (Morris Hood, Sr), father (Morris Hood, Jr.), and uncle (Raymond Hood), that inspired him to run for the 11th District State House seat.

Senator Hood is very passionate about improving community health and raising the bar for education for all students from pre-kindergarten on through to a college education. As Chairman of the Joint Capital Outlay Committee, Senator Hood negotiated bipartisan support of over \$200 million in state building projects, including \$7.5 million for Henry Ford Community College.

After leaving the House of Representatives, Senator Hood was hired by the County of Wayne to be a project manager with their Department of Human Services.

Senator Hood attended Wayne State University.