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**Equity Alliance of Michigan hosts its inaugural *Real Leaders Serve* brunch and book signing with April Ryan, American reporter, White House Correspondent, and author of Black Women Will Save the World: An Anthem.**

***(Detroit, MI)***In honor of Black History and Women History Months, Equity Alliance of Michigan is hosting a brunch and book signing to honor local African American women leaders with special guest, April Ryan, American reporter, White House Correspondent, and author of Black Women Will Save the World: An Anthem.

Ryan is currently the Washington D. C. Bureau Chief for TheGrio and a White House Correspondent. She is the longest serving Black female reporter in the White House Press Corps and holds a board position for the prestigious White House Correspondents Association. She is one of only four African American board members in the Association’s one-hundred year history. She is also a member of the esteemed National Press Club and has been featured in several publications including Essence, Vogue, Cosmopolitan, and Elle Magazine. Ryan is an award-winning author and recently published her latest book, Black Women Will Save the World: An Anthem.

Equity Alliance of Michigan is excited to announce the inaugural Real Leaders Serve Brunch, a celebration of the spirit of leadership that thrives in our community. Real leaders in our midst demonstrate love and humility, prioritizing the upliftment of others over personal accolades or power.  It's with great pride that Equity Alliance is able to host this event at our community center in the Midwest-Tireman area, highlighting the continuous efforts and contributions within this community.

April will be sharing excerpts from her book and providing signed copies to attendees.

This is a private invitation only event. For more details, please contact Lashantinette Whitaker at *lwhitaker@equityallianceofmichigan.org**.*