



**Black Surfing Association
Celebrity Member
Questionnaire**

1. DOB and age when you began surfing (wave-riding)?

2. Why, what, who got you started surfing?

3. Where did you live when you started surfing – how did you get to the beach?

4. What was your 1st wave tool-body surf, air mattress, boogie board, surfboard, etc.

5. Were you a 'lone' Black surfer or did you join others?

6. When and where did you meet your 1st Black surf buddy? How did you feel?

7. (Surf) Influence(s)/mentor – Black/Hawaiian/White?

8. When and where was your 1st Black-Out with three (3) or more Black surfers? How did you feel?

9. Name two (2) or more Black surfer's you'd like to 'surfari' (travel) with.

10. Where would you like to 'surfari' (travel) to? What country, ocean, culture?

11. What is your favorite surf movie? Any movie? (Endless Summer, Surf's Up)

12. Which is your favorite magazine? Any Magazine?

13. As a Black surfer, have you experienced and 'racial' opposition/conflict from White folk, or Black folk?

14. Will you, or have you, introduced surfing to other Black folk?

15. How would you describe the "thrill" of surfing to other Black folk? 10 words or less.

16. What is it about the surfing life-style that you enjoy most and would like to share?

17. If James Brown had surfed, would he have been a short-boarder or long-boarder?

18. How about Al Roker, Tina Turner, Oprah, Queen Latifa, Kevin Ubanks, Bow Wow, Beyonce, Eddie Murphy, Kobi Bryant, Bobbie Bonds, IceT, Rodney King, Rick Fox?

19. Which Celebrity would you like to see take up surfing and why?

20. What can Black folk do to help protect our Oceans and Seas?
