

1145-01-1821 **Dawn A Lott*** (dlott@desu.edu), Computational and Physical Sciences Division, 1200 N. DuPont Highway, Dover, DE 19904. *A Lott of History*.

The National Association of Mathematicians has been devoted to promoting excellence in the mathematical sciences and promoting the mathematical development of all underrepresented minorities. This organization has fostered the growth of and nurtured many prominent mathematicians, particularly mathematicians of color. Topics to be addressed include (i) the personal journey of an African-American , female, applied mathematician, Dr. Dawn A. Lott, who attributes her success to the support of NAM and its members and (ii) Dr. Lott's tenure as the Vice President of NAM. (Received September 24, 2018)