



[Subscribe / Unsubscribe](#)

January 20, 2020

NOW YOU KNOW

The Beloved Community

His advocacy for social justice through peaceful civil disobedience and nonviolent protest helped Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. become one of the most influential figures in American history. Over his lifetime, he delivered more than 2500 speeches - his "I Have A Dream" speech being his most famous. King delivered an impassioned message to end racism in the United States before a crowd of more than 250,000 people at the March on Washington for Jobs and Freedom August 28, 1963. A month earlier, President John F. Kennedy made a nationally televised address calling for more civil rights and was a supporter of the march after conferring with King.

Through his study of nonviolence, King's vision for the global society brought new meaning into an old concept called the Beloved Community. He spoke about it consistently: Justice was the birthright of every human being; poverty, hunger and homelessness would not be tolerated because human decency would not allow it and racism and discrimination would be replaced with inclusivity. According to King, the end of segregation was a step towards creation of the Beloved Community

Sources: HuffingtonPost.com; TheKingCenter.org; WeAretheBelovedCommunity.org



PORTS AMERICA

Jacobs



Ports America and Jacobs Engineering Outreach & Networking to WMBEs

Cruise Terminal Design, Construction and Operations
Port Terminal 46 (T46)

Thursday, January 23 – 4-7 p.m.
Tabor 100 Economic Development HUB
7100 Fort Dent Way
Tukwila, WA 98188

The Ports America and Jacobs Engineering team invites Women & Minority Owned Businesses (WMBEs) to learn about design, construction and cruise operations (tourism, food service, etc.) contracting opportunities.

The T46 Project will cost \$100 million and the Port has put in place WMBE aspirational goals of 12% for design and 15% for construction.

REGISTER AT <https://t46project.eventbrite.com>

For more information, contact: Henry Yates at Henry.Yates@comcast.net or call him at 206-669-2084

JANUARY TO NOVEMBER 2020



MONEY '20

FINANCIAL SUCCESS WORKSHOPS

**MONEY TIPS &
HABITS**

2ND MONDAY
5:30 TO 7:30

**BUILDING
CREDIT**

4TH MONDAY
5:30 TO 7:30

**ANALYZE
& REVIEW**

1ST SATURDAY
9:00 TO 11:00

PROFESSIONAL ADVICE

FINANCIAL ADVISORS · CREDIT COUNSELORS · WEALTH & ASSET MANAGERS · AND MORE

CALL 253-383-2007

**DINNER, CHILDCARE, AND \$50
COMPLETION STIPENDS PROVIDED**

REGISTER AT WWW.THETACOMAURBANLEAGUE.ORG

**The Tacoma Urban League Presents the
Money '20 Financial Success Workshop Series!**

**From January to November 2020, obtain free professional advice about
your money, building credit and more from financial advisors, credit
counselors, wealth & asset managers.**

**Dinner, childcare and a \$50 completion stipend provided!
Sign up today at TheTacomaUrbanLeague.org**



BLACK RADIO SOLIDARITY

FREE COMMUNITY TOWN HALL

January 25, 2020
11:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Shiloh Baptist Church
1211 S. I Street • Tacoma, WA 98405

TOPICS Let's Vote... Be Counted... Let's March!

Driving Souls To The Polls

From November 2019 to November 2020

BY UNITING THE POWER OF THE PUBLIC
AIRWAVES TO DRIVE PEOPLE TO VOTE

Saving Our Democracy... One Voter At A Time



Sheryl UNDERWOOD

Warren BALLENTINE

GUEST PANELISTS

T'wina Nobles
President & CEO,
Tacoma Urban League

Rhonda Tilford
Former, US
Census Bureau

Julie Anderson
Pierce County Auditor

Keith Blocker
Tacoma City Councilman

Kristine Reeves
Former, WA State Representative,
30th Legislative District

Lyle Quasim
Tacoma/Pierce County Black
Collective, Co-Chair

Nate Miles
Vice President for Strategic Initiative,
Eli Lilly and Company

Victoria Woodards
Tacoma Mayor

EVENT PARTNERS



Tacoma Urban League



FOR UPDATES, DETAILS OR TO DONATE, VISIT:

WWW.BLACKRADIOSOLIDARITY.COM

Connect on Social Media



@BRS20192020

Driving souls to the Polls! Saving Our Democracy One Voter At A Time
Join in the discussion at this free community town hall meeting with
Queen of Comedy, Entertainer, & Philanthropist Sheryl Underwood!

Saturday, January 25, 2020

11 AM - 2 PM

Shiloh Baptist Church

1211 S. I Street, Tacoma, WA 98405



The Kings Ball

CELEBRATING A LEGACY OF ACTIVISM FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE



JANUARY 25, 2020

SEATTLE AIRPORT MARRIOTT HOTEL

DINNER | AWARDS | DANCING | LIVE ENTERTAINMENT

6:00 - 7:00 PM | PRESIDENT'S RECEPTION

7:00 - 10:00 PM | EVENT

KEYNOTE SPEAKER: HONORABLE JOHNNY FORD

MISTRESS OF CEREMONY: PATRICIA B. LY

SINGLE \$80.00 | COUPLE \$150.00

BROCHURE ADS | SPONSORSHIPS AVAILABLE

CONTACT: CHARLES HORNE AT

TRISTAR89@HOTMAIL.COM

Join Blacks In Government at The Third Annual Kings Ball
recognizing the contributions of Dr. Martin and Coretta Scott King,
Activists and Advocates for Diversity and Inclusion.



Third Annual Kings Ball Celebrating a Legacy of Activism for Social Justice

**Saturday, January 25, 2020
Seattle Airport Marriot Hotel
6 PM to 10 PM**

Info: Tristar89@hotmail.com

Discover what a business plan can do for you at this free workshop. Make 2020 the year of your economic development!

**Tuesday, January 21, 2020
Noon to 4 PM
Tacoma Public Library
Wheelock Branch
3722 N. 26th St.
Tacoma, WA 98402**



Having Trouble With:

- ▶ Growing your business?
- ▶ Paying Higher Rent?
- ▶ Getting Funding?

**Get a FREE
Business Plan
in a Day**



Join Our Workshop in Tacoma This January!

Tuesday, January 21
Tacoma Library-
Wheelock Branch
3722 N 26th St
12:00pm to 4:00pm

**Register at:
[Facebook.com/
UrbanBizSPS](https://www.facebook.com/UrbanBizSPS)**



JPMORGAN
CHASE & CO.



YOUTH SUMMIT

Talk. Plan. Act.

**January 31st 3-5pm, 2020
Eastside Youth 15-25 Years Old**

Young people 15-25 years old - use your voice to make a difference here. Share your ideas and let's put them into action! Snacks provided. Childcare is available. Questions? Contact Stephanie 253-503-0460

**Community Healthcare Eastside Clinic
1708 E 44th St, Tacoma, Washington
98404
January 31, 2020
3 PM- 5 PM**

The Seattle MLK Youth Organizing Coalition Kick-Off Event is held the Sunday prior Dr. King Day - Sunday January 19th at Langston Hughes. Our Young Leaders will lead the way in song, dance, spoken-word, and more!

FREE and FAMILY FRIENDLY. There will be food, music, and fantastic fun celebrating our young people and their participation in the 38th Annual Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Birthday Celebration March and Rally!

We invite young people to register to be part of the programming for the day's events. The theme this year: "2020 Vision: _____"

Get involved!

**Sunday, January 19, 2020 at 12 PM – 5 PM
Langston Hughes Performing Arts Institute
104 17th Ave S, Seattle, Washington 98144**

MLK Youth Kick-Off!





LANGSTON
CULTIVATING BLACK BRILLIANCE

Cierra Sisters, in partnership with Langston,

World Cancer Day Celebration

As we celebrate Black History Month and World Cancer Day, we want to highlight the past, present, and future resilience of the Black/ African American strength and contributions to science.

Join us for an enlightening health discussion.

The Past, Present, & The Future



Dr. James Smith

Dr. Julie Gralow

Dr. Kemi Doll

Special Film Screening of:



Ms. Evers Boys:

A true story of the decades-long Tuskegee experiment

Honoree: Kibibi Monié

Free registration: <https://is.gd/WCD2020>

Questions, vendor, or sponsor request Contact

Cierra Sisters at 206-579-4521 or

via e-mail at cierrasistersinfo@gmail.com

Saturday,

February 8, 2020

1pm - 7pm

Langston Hughes Performing
Arts Institute

104 17th Ave South
Seattle, WA 98144

Doors open at 1:00 PM,
program begins at 1:30pm

Keynote Speaker:
Dr. Shawn Johnson

Presenters:
Dr. Julie Gralow
Dr. Kemi Doll
Dr. Rachel Issaka
Dr. Kim Holland

Dinner, door prizes and
more!

Thank you to our sponsors:



CANCER CONSORTIUM
Office of Community Outreach & Engagement

Public Health
Seattle & King County

Backyard Catering

World Cancer Day Celebration

Join Cierra Sisters to notate Black History Month and World Cancer Day. Highlighting past, present & future resilience, join in for an enlightening health discussion.

Langston Hughes Performing Arts Institute
104 17th Ave. South, Seattle, WA 98144
Saturday, February 8, 2020 Doors open at 1 PM



BMAAC
BLACK MALE ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT CONFERENCE
FEBRUARY 11-12, 2020
**GREATER TACOMA
CONVENTION CENTER**
WWW.BMAAC.ORG

**Focused Supports
Strong Partnerships**

Presented by LAUNCH Student Success, in partnership with the Tacoma Urban League, the City of Tacoma, Tacoma Community College and Black Education Strategy Roundtable, BMAAC will convene more than 300 college students, educators, higher education administrators, and business and civic leaders from throughout the Pacific Northwest.

The Black Male Academic Achievement Conference (BMAAC) seeks to improve outcomes for Black Males in Higher Education through networking, development, shared resources and strategies. The BMAAC is about strengthening and building communities of Black Males pursuing Higher Education and those who serve them at the many colleges and universities across the NW region. Come prepared to be:

**Inspired by our Dynamic Keynote Speakers
Educated by workshop presenters**

Empowered by being connected to a community striving for the same common goal-Success for Black Males. We chose the word Black because we are speaking to all Black Men not only those who identify as African American but also Afro-Latinos, Africans, Caribbean decent, etc. Though we are focused on Black Men, this conference is inclusive and all are welcomed.

**February 11-12, 2020 | 7:45 AM - 8 PM
Greater Tacoma Convention Center
Register / Information: www.bmaac.org**

SMALL BUSINESS/ DBE/ CONTRACTORS

WASHINGTON CHRISTIAN LEADERS COALITION
A. PHILIP RANDOLPH INSTITUTE

Charles Rolland African American

LEGISLATIVE

MOVE

2020

DAY

BRING IT TO THE CAPITAL

SAVE THE DATE to join us at the 12th Annual Charles Rolland African American Legislative Day to **MOVE** 2020 agendas. There will be open discussions, panels with our state officials and opportunities to have key issues be heard. We encourage youth to make their voices' heard in our youth programs and workshops.

FEBRUARY 17TH - 9 AM - 3PM
WASHINGTON STATE CAPITAL

FOR MORE INFORMATION VISIT APRISEATTLE.ORG/AALD
OR EMAIL CONTACT@APRISEATTLE.COM

APRISEATTLE

Meals are provided.
Bus transportation provided at various locations.
Bus schedule to be announced.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION VISIT APRISEATTLE.ORG/AALD
OR EMAIL CONTACT@APRISEATTLE.COM**

EMPLOYMENT/CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Please see our website for additional announcements

WWW.CAA.WA.GOV/Employment

WASHINGTON STATE DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN, YOUTH AND FAMILIES openings

WASHINGTON STATE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR & INDUSTRIES openings

WASHINGTON STATE DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING openings

Driver Examining Administrator, Olympia, WA. Open continuous

WASHINGTON STATE PATROL openings

WASHINGTON STATE EMPLOYMENT SECURITY DEPARTMENT openings

WASHINGTON STATE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL & HEALTH SERVICES openings

DSHS Summer Intern Program Applications accepted until February 6, 2020. Email jourdan.kovacs@dshs.wa.gov for announcement and instructions.

WASHINGTON STATE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Statewide Director of Transportation Operations, Olympia, WA. Closing 1/26/2020

Heavy Equipment Mechanic, Spokane, WA. Closing 1/27/2020

Secretary Senior, Real Estate Services, Shoreline, WA. Open continuous, first review 1/29/2020

Community Engagement & Environmental Justice Manager, Olympia, WA. Closing 2/9/2020

Materials Tester & Inspector Aide In-Trainin, Everett, WA. Open continuous

CITY OF SEATTLE

Multifamily Housing Lender, Seattle, WA. Closing 2/11/2020

FIRST FEDERAL

Universal Banker, Bellingham, WA.

Customer Service Rep. Entry-Level Floating Teller, Port Angeles/Sequim, WA.

CITY OF BELLEVUE openings

CITY OF TACOMA openings

KING COUNTY openings

PIERCE COUNTY openings

SPOKANE COUNTY openings

CLARK COUNTY openings

SOUTH PUGET SOUND COMMUNITY COLLEGE openings

OLYMPIC COLLEGE openings

SPOKANE COMMUNITY COLLEGES openings