

Presentation: The Preserving Black Haddonfield History Project

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The Preserving Black Haddonfield History Project

Date/Time: Sunday, May 5, 2024 10-11 AM Worship; 11:15 Program

At: Haddonfield Friends Meeting,

47 Friends Avenue, Haddonfield

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Created to educate and celebrate the African American community that once thrived in Haddonfield, this project has created a walking tour and online map with information about churches, schools, businesses, and homes. Many of these historic buildings were located on or near Ellis Street, Lincoln, and Douglass Streets. The Project's website (accessed via the Haddonfield Library) includes oral histories from elders in the community, and a docu-series. Historical markers will be placed in different locations in town.

Project participants include Haddonfield Memorial High School alumni and Haddonfield Alumni Society members, as well as current and past residents and their descendants, educators, and like-minded leaders of local institutions. Joseph Serico, EdD, is President.