

Racial Equity Working Group - 06/30/20

Education & Awareness

- **Richmond Free Library** - feature a reading list for adults, teens/tweens, and children on black history, culture, and current issues
- **MMCTV** - Streaming and sharing this group's meetings; Pastor Arnold Isidore Thomas, of Jericho's Good Shepherd Lutheran Church has been hosting a series called Racism in America. Check the archives to view.
 - Could we offer a viewing of a documentary and then host a discussion group afterwards? Either virtually or in the town center?
- **Richmond Town Website** - post available resources, data, etc.
- **Community Senior Center** -
 - A facilitated discussion of the book "Waking Up White: And Finding Myself in the Story of Race", by Debbie Irving. Here is a link to the description of the book <https://debbyriving.com/the-book/> .
 - We will meet virtually via Google Chat from 4:00 - 5:00 on July 7, 14, 20, and 27.

Relationships & Building Connections

- July 4 - Breakfast picnic and sign-making party

Policy

- Enact existing policy endorsed by recognized BIPOC organizations and representatives
- Work on identifying harmful policies and design changes that achieve shared goals
- Engage in state discussions on legislation and budgets

Priority is to accomplish change that will have direct and immediate impact on the quality of life and risks to the BIPOC community.