

GTAAAC NEWSLETTER

Greater Tulsa African American Affairs Commission

January 2025

EVENTS

3: First Friday, Downtown Tulsa - 6 p.m.

3: Let's Get Funky Live Show, The Colony - 8 p.m.

Multiple Dates: MLK Dream Mobile, Suburban Acres - 9 a.m.

Mondays: Monday Night Jazz, Vintage Wine Bar - 8 p.m.

Tuesdays: All Ages Karaoke, Mother Road Market - 6 p.m.

Tuesdays: Adult Karaoke, Retro Grill & Bar - 8 p.m.

10-12: Aries Spears Comedy Shows, Bricktown Comedy Club - 9 p.m.

11: Baddies That Brunch, My Momma's House - 1 p.m.

15: Travels with Tulsans - Africa, Rudisill Library - 12:10 p.m.

17-18: Marlon Wayans Comedy Shows, Bricktown Comedy Club - Multiple Times

18: A Voice of Hope Author Reading, Rudisill Library - 2 p.m.

20: Martin Luther King Jr. Day Parade, Downtown Tulsa - 11 a.m.

COMMISSION GOALS

General Commission: Increased visibility is a large goal for the commission overall. Attending events, tabling with other organizations, and the continued creation of this newsletter are just a few ways the commission hopes to be more visible within the community.

Education: The education committee is working to create quarterly op-eds to showcase significant issues impacting African American students across the Greater Tulsa area.

Policy: The policy committee is focused on their transportation initiative this year. Additionally, they have a goal to work with the Beyond Apology Commission to begin to make real policy changes.

Culture & Engagement: The culture committee is preparing their first large-scale event in conjunction with Tulsa Juneteenth. The goal is to make this an annual event.



EARLY 2025 MEETING DATES

January 14
February 11
March 11
April 8
May 13
June 10

All meetings are open to the public and held at City Hall in the 10 North Meeting Room. Meetings begin at 6:00 p.m.

Dr. Dickens, Chair of GTAAAC, served as an Elder at the Rudisill Library's annual Kwanzaa celebration in late December 2024.