

THE CRC NEWSLETTER

COMMUNITY RELATIONS COUNCILS

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Lancaster County CRC *Active in the Community*



Newly hired Community Relations Consultant Robert Snipes visited the Lancaster County Community Relations Council (CRC) in November.

Snipes found that the CRC has had a very active and productive year in their community. In August, a back-to-school bash was held providing free school supplies and food to community residents and in October, the CRC sponsored local football players. The CRC also partnered with the Sheriff's office to provide classes on safety.

While no two CRCs are exactly alike in their programming, they do share a general purpose of improving all phases of community life. All of our CRC members throughout the State are volunteers and the SC Human Affairs Commission thanks each and every one of you!

If you would like to become a member of a CRC in your County or assist in establishing a CRC, please contact Robert Snipes at 803-737-7838 or rsnipes@schac.sc.gov.



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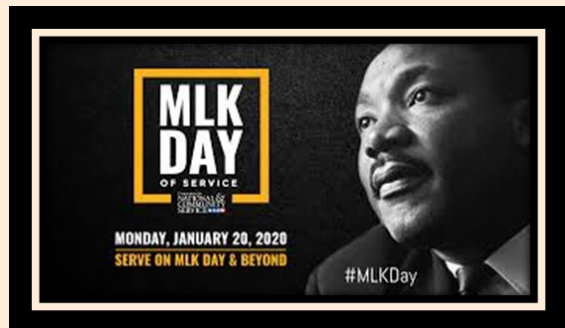


Annual Event Calendar for <u>COMMUNITY RELATIONS COUNCILS</u>	
January	MLK/Interfaith Awareness
February	African American History
March	Women's History/End Racism Day
April	Fair Housing
May	Law Enforcement/Community Relations
June	Disaster Preparedness/ Emanuel 9 Remembrance Day, Peace & Reconciliation
July	Employment Discrimination/ Economic Opportunity
August	Youth Project/Back to School
September	Hispanic Heritage/ Cultural Diversity
October	Disability Employment Awareness
November	American Indian Heritage/ Veterans' Appreciation
December	Aging & Poverty Issues

MLK Day 2020: A Day of Service

The Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. holiday is Jan. 20, 2020.

Observed each year on the third Monday in January as “a day on, not a day off,” MLK Day is the only federal holiday designated as a national day of service to encourage all Americans to volunteer to improve their communities.



PLEASE SEND US YOUR PICTURES!

CRCs are encouraged to share your events with Robert Snipes, SCHAC Community Relations Consultant via email at: rsnipes@schac.sc.gov .