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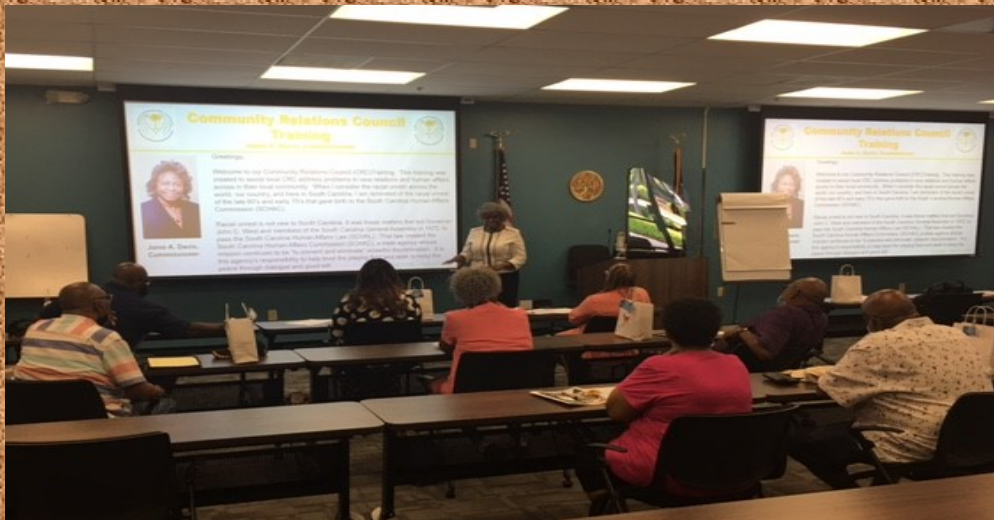
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LANCASTER COUNTY CRC: RETREAT



On May 21st-23rd, the Lancaster County Community Relations Council conducted their CRC retreat with the assistance of SCHAC. The purpose of their retreat was to plan, establish a vision and set priorities for their CRC.

Commissioner Janie Davis welcomed the group and assisted Deputy Commissioner Dan Koon and Community Relations Consultant Robert Snipes with the presentation. The Lancaster County CRC was pleased with the results of the training.

Please contact SCHAC Community Relations Division (803) 737-7838 to assist your CRC in developing a vision and planning activities.



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SCHAC: strives to alleviate these problems of discrimination through the enforcement of the South Carolina Human Affairs Law, the South Carolina Fair Housing Law, and the South Carolina Equal Enjoyment and Privileges to Public Accommodations Law. Additionally, the General Assembly mandated that the Commission would be responsible with the monitoring of South Carolina state government agency Affirmative Action Plans. The Commission also seeks to establish Community Relations Councils throughout the state to foster more effective community relations, goodwill and mutual understanding, and respect among the residents of South Carolina.

Time to Prepare in the Event of An Emergency:

Hurricane Season: June — November

Mobile Apps for Emergencies in South Carolina. The official app of SCEMD.

The app is designed for users to build their own emergency plans, to keep track of supplies and to remain connected to loved ones. In addition, coastal residents can now ***“Know Your Zone”*** instantly using the maps feature as well as locate the nearest emergency shelters when they open. The tools section features a flashlight, locator whistle and the ability to report damage to emergency officials. The SC Emergency Manager can function without the need of a data connection, which is useful when basic utilities are offline. For more resources, please view links below.

SCEMD: <https://www.scmd.org/who-we-are/>

For Apple users: <https://apps.apple.com/us/app/sc-emergency-manager/id1378105431>

For Google Play users: play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=org.scmd.app





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June 17, 2015

Nine church members at Emanuel AME Church in Charleston were tragically killed as a result of their race. It has been 6 years since this tragic day.

May we NEVER forget!

Annual Event Calendar for COMMUNITY RELATIONS COUNCILS

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