# PAST, PRESENT & ONGOING PROJECTS:

- African American Church History / Genealogy Project
- Local Host for ASALH Convention in Charlotte
- ASALH's Authors; Book Signing and Charlotte Night Out (Sponsored with CMLibrary)
- 2007 Annual Event: A Salute to Civil Rights Activists – From Then To Now
- African American Genealogy Workshop Sponsored Chris Haley (Kunta Kinte Alex Haley Foundation)
- Honor the Medical Profession (Healthcare)From Then To Now
- NO ROADMAP: Integrating the Charlotte Mecklenburg Medical Community 1951-1965 -- No Roadmap Exhibit: recognizing the integration of AA's in the local healthcare industry
- > Thereasea C. Elder Trailblazer Award
- African American Heritage Driving Tour
- African American Heritage Markers, and Historical Markers

Charlotte's history is rich with art, industrialism, business enterprises, and activism.

## INTERESTED IN JOINING CMBHC?

#### WE WELCOME YOUR PARTICIPATION

If you have an interest in lending your skills to support to the legacy of the African American historical community, we would love to have you join us!

#### Our Board Members are:

Thereasea B. Elder – Chairman Emeritus Kelley Eaves-Boykin, Chair

Delores Johnson Hurt, project coordinator for People's Archive of African American History Janet Mullins, Secretary LaJuan Pringle, Treasurer

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To explore membership possibilities, or to find out about upcoming activities and programs, please contact us at:

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Thank you so much for your interest! We look forward to connecting with you soon!

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# The CHARLOTTE MECKLENBURG BLACK HERITAGE COMMITTEE



"Vague memories and oral traditions aren't enough. The past must be recorded and documented to be truly useful to future generations." – author unknown -

### WHO WE ARE

The Charlotte Mecklenburg Black Heritage Committee (CMBHC) seeks to preserve and honorably present African American history and culture in the city of Charlotte and Mecklenburg County.

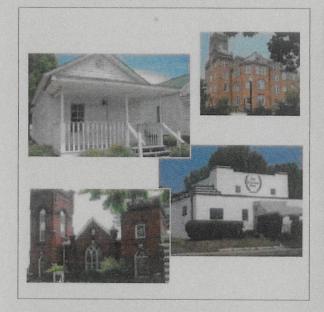
The CMBHC has been in existence for approximately twenty years and is led by six charter members of various professional backgrounds linked by a common reverence for the history, culture and contributions of African Americans to the development of Charlotte.

### **OUR VALUES**

- > Truth, Accuracy, Honesty, Passion
- Preservation, Commitment
- Standards of Excellence & Greatness
- > Professionalism & Integrity
- Drive, Congruency, and alignment with our Mission and Goals

#### **ONGOING ACTIVITIES**

CMBHC community activities include, but are not limited to, providing an organized tour of Black Charlotte, presentations of the oral histories of local participants in Charlotte's Civil Rights Movement, and the creation of an archive for historians, students, and the public at large.



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#### **OUR MISSION**

The mission of this organization is to promote, research, preserve, interpret, and disseminate information about African American life, history and culture to the global community.

We strive to foster the sharing of this region's history as it relates to African-Americans, taking particular note of communities that have been lost due to urban growth. The CMBHC also works with other community groups and organizations to enhance their efforts to preserve our history and to create and support other events, activities and programs consistent with our goals.

The CMBHC seeks to encourage awareness, conduct research, produce writings, and exhibit Charlotte's African American history at all levels. We believe that this will help to better inform all citizens of Charlotte on the contributions of African Americans in the city, region, and nation: thus fostering better overall community relations.