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COMPANION REPORT TO THE DRAFT ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING THE

SAINT PAUL RECOVERY ACT COMMUNITY REPARATIONS COMMISSION

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June 10, 2022

Reparations Legislative Advisory Committee Companion Report to Ordinance Establishing the Saint Paul Recovery Act Community Reparations Commission

INTRODUCTION

The Reparations Legislative Advisory Committee was a limited-term committee which met for 1 year: July 2021 through June 2022. The Advisory Committee's membership represented multiple perspectives, including education, faith, community activism, business, labor and health, youth and local historians. It met twice a month and conducted public meetings to receive feedback on its work. With the proposed ordinance and this companion report, the Advisory Committee lays the groundwork for the permanent establishment of the ***Saint Paul Recovery Act Community Reparations Commission***. Once established it will advise and recommend actions to support the creation of generational wealth for the American Descendants of Chattel Slavery and boost economic mobility and opportunity in the Black community.

The Reparations Legislative Advisory Committee envisions that the work of the Saint Paul Recovery Act Community Reparations Commission will be to ensure delivery of reparations to the members of the American Descendants of Chattel Slavery (ADOCS) community to establish the well-being of the ADOCS community. ***This Commission should be informed by the United Nations principles for reparations*** including acknowledgement with action through Restitution, Rehabilitation, Compensation, Guarantee of Non-Repetition and Satisfaction in the pursuit of economic justice.

The Reparations Legislative Advisory Committee points to the importance of funding for these reparations' endeavors. First, adequate funding and staff must be provided to fulfill its mission. Second, there must be funding identified to implement recommended programming and possible direct payments. The establishment of a commission means little if there is no budget to support implementation of policy and programmatic recommendations.

The Legislative Advisory Committee recommends that future programs be implemented in a way which measures their impact. Measuring change from an agreed upon baseline of conditions is critical for both identifying how programs should be improved and what programs need to be developed. The back and forth of measuring, evaluating and adjusting programs should be an open and transparent communication process between the Saint Paul Recovery Act Community Reparations Commission and involved city departments. The result of these discussions will inform the policy and programmatic recommendations the Commission makes to the Mayor and City Council.

The Legislative Advisory Committee's work was immensely informed by the cooperative undertaking of the Saint Paul Public Library and Saint Paul City Council in developing a broad and deep list of reparations resource material. Items include news stories, academic journals, law journals, videos, podcasts and a review of the library's "Saint Paul Collection." Moving forward, we strongly recommend this list be maintained and updated to inform the work of the Commission, the community at large.

ORDINANCE LANGUAGE COMMENTARY

Purpose of Commission

The Saint Paul Recovery Act Community Reparations Commission (hereinafter referred to as the "commission") serves as an advisory body to the mayor and city council on repairing the damage caused by public and private systemic racism in the City of Saint Paul which resulted in racial disparities in generational wealth, homeownership, health care, education, employment and pay, and fairness within the criminal justice system among the American descendants of chattel slavery.

The Saint Paul Reparations Legislative Advisory Committee recommends establishment of a permanent commission to deliver reparations to the members of the American Descendants of Chattel Slavery (ADOCS) community to establish the well-being of the ADOCS community. The commission will deliver acknowledgement with action through Restitution, Rehabilitation, Compensation, Guarantee of Non-Repetition and Satisfaction in the pursuit of economic justice. The commission will need to think of this in terms of the social, political and economic systems which created disparities in generational wealth.

The term American Descendants of Chattel Slavery (ADOCS) was considered carefully and reviewed by the committee. This is the term used originally in the resolutions passed by the City Council in January 13, 2021 beginning the City process of actively addressing the implications and responsibility for reparations. It was also used in the resolution establishing this advisory committee June 16, 2021. Another way to describe the identity of ADOCS for the Commission's purposes included American Descendants of Slavery (ADOS), which is a term used commonly throughout the country and even internationally.

The Saint Paul Recovery Act Community Reparations Commission will, via committed resources from the City of Saint Paul, shepherd monetary, geographic and political resources to the cause of reparations and generational wealth creation for the ADOCS Saint Paul community.

Establishment; Terms; Vacancies and Qualifications

a) Saint Paul Recovery Act Community Reparations commission established. There is hereby established a Saint Paul Recovery Act Community Reparations commission consisting of eleven (11) at-large members appointed by the Mayor of Saint Paul with the advice and consent of the city council.

b) Terms. Of the members first appointed, three (3) shall be appointed for a term of one (1) year, four (4) for a term of two (2) years, and four (4) for a term of three (3) years. Thereafter, the term of each member shall be three (3) years. Members shall serve no more than 2 consecutive terms.

c) Vacancies. Vacancies on the commission for whatever cause shall be filled by the mayor through the open appointment process for the unexpired term.

d) Qualifications. All members shall be residents of the City of Saint Paul.

- ***i. To the extent possible, members shall be representative of the city's diversity of neighborhoods, races, cultures, ages, abilities, incomes and sexual orientations consistent with city's diversity and equity goals.***
- ***ii. Preference shall be given to candidates who demonstrate lived experience as it pertains to the work of the commission, are engaged in the local community and understand the role of reparations in addressing the impacts of chattel slavery.***

The Advisory Committee intentionally described the qualifications to serve on the Commission in broad language to ensure a wide-ranging group of residents may apply to be of service. Given the history and

legacy of chattel slavery the City should seek a diverse body of individuals who bring a multiplicity of experiences, especially those relating to the ongoing impact of redlining, job discrimination, housing discrimination, encounters with the legal systems, as well as other historic discriminatory practices.

The Legislative Advisory Committee strongly recommends that the mayor and council privilege in terms (proportion of) representation those with the lived experience of racially discriminatory policies. The focus should be on those with direct lineage to chattel slavery and those from the City of Saint Paul who have been impacted by policies and practices and/or procedures which have caused intergenerational harm.

In addition to the Commission membership criteria listed in the proposed ordinance, the Advisory Committee would like to draw attention to several member characteristics which would benefit the work of the Commission.

- To the greatest extent possible, there should be community involvement in the Commission member appointment process.
- Commission members should demonstrate interest and involvement in the community and issues that affect the lives of people to be impacted by the work of the Commission.
- The Commission should be comprised of a broad variety of community and professional perspectives – such as educators, faith leaders, community activists and leaders from the business community, labor and health care.
- The Commission should also prioritize those with specialized expertise in the areas relevant to the work of the Commission; such as historians, economists, legal analysts and policy experts.
- Geographic representation of Commission members from throughout the city would strengthen overall community understanding and involvement of the work of the Commission.
- Both adult and youth should also be encouraged to apply to serve on the Commission.

The Legislative Advisory Committee recommends that the Commission be 75% ADOCS. However, it does so with the understanding that use of a specific proportion may not be consistent with government legal requirements. It is for this reason that there is such a strong emphasis on inclusion of those with actual lived experience as described above.

The Mayor and Council should actively consider consecutive terms to allow those with short terms to serve a full term in the beginning, thus providing that someone appointed to a 1-year term may be immediately appointed to serve a 3-year term thereafter.

Staff and Budget

a) Staff. The commission shall be staffed by Human Rights and Equal Economic Opportunity (HREEO). The responsibilities of this department staff include:

- ***i. Serving as staff and recording secretary to the commission;***
- ***ii. Reporting on departmental and/or citywide efforts on topics intersecting with or directly relating to the commission's work;***
- ***iii. Advising the commission on matters pertaining to reparations when requested;***
- ***iv. Administering the commission's budget; and***
- ***v. Providing additional support service as needed.***

b) Budget. For the operations of the commission, including staff salaries and other related expenses, such as travel, training, per diem, postage, copying and supplies, an annual proposed budget shall be submitted to the appropriate officials for inclusion in the city's budget.

The Legislative Advisory Committee notes that work on budgeting for the staffing of the Commission should be initiated soon, ideally as a part of the City's 2023 budget process, and happen in conjunction with Mayor and Council consideration of the proposed ordinance language.

The Legislative Advisory Committee emphasizes the importance of timely consideration for funding of programming and possible direct payments resulting for the deliberations and recommendations of the Commission. Such funding should include "set asides" for staffing and programming from ARP or other funds. The Advisory Committee notes the importance of immediately examining the use of the uniquely available ARP dollars, given the time sensitive nature of this money.

Meetings

a) The commission shall establish a regular time and place of meeting and shall meet monthly. At its first meeting each year, the commission shall elect its chair and vice chair.
b) The commission shall establish rules and procedures for the conduct of its business. Notice of all meetings shall be published in accordance with proper notice procedures. A majority of all qualified commissioners shall constitute a quorum, and all business may be transacted by a majority vote of such quorum. Unless otherwise provided, any action taken by the commission shall be by the affirmative vote of a majority of its members.
c) ***The commission shall keep a public record of its meetings. Copies of all minutes, motions, resolutions, findings and reports shall be available to the public upon request.***

The Commission should, in the establishment of its rules and procedures

- Explicitly state meetings are to be open to the public.
- Strongly consider providing a standing agenda item each month providing an opportunity for public input.
- Establish a public notification period in advance of meetings, such as 7 or 10 days.

Powers and Duties

The commission shall act in an advisory capacity to the mayor and city council in all policy and budget matters pertaining to reparations within the city through the following activities:
a) Shall be empowered to make short, medium and long-term policy, program and budget recommendations to specifically address the creation and sustainment of generational wealth for the American Descendants of Chattel Slavery and to boost economic mobility and opportunity in the American Descendants of Chattel Slavery community;
b) Shall establish a work plan annually which will serve to notify city officials of the commission's priorities and activities;
c) Shall develop time-based evaluations of city expenditures using quality of life metrics as indicators of progress on reparations;
d) Review and advise on city programming and budgeting related to reparations;
e) Serve as an advocate for reparation efforts within the City; and
f) Conduct all business in such a manner as to encourage and utilize maximum citizen participation.

The development of policies, plans, programs and their evaluation requires partnership between relevant city departments and the Commission. The Mayor and City Council should set the tone for this ongoing relationship.

The need for ongoing communication among the Mayor's Office, City Council and Administrative Departments was discussed thoroughly by the Legislative Advisory Committee. The Committee envisioned several aspects of this ongoing communication –

- The Commission should receive and review periodic reports from these city entities, as to key quality of life metrics. These metrics would inform the key areas for the Commission's focus and provide a baseline for measurement of improvement resulting from Commission recommendations and resulting city action.
- In addition to using the afore-mentioned metrics to inform Commission recommendations and actions, the Commission should actively seek input from the community to inform the prioritization of the Commission's work.
- As programs are established and implemented, the Commission should continue to act in partnership with city departments to ensure the metrics clearly identify both areas of success and areas where additional programming or program changes are necessary.

The Legislative Advisory Committee points to the vital importance of funding for reparations work in the City of Saint Paul through programming and direct cash payments for ADOCS. Sources for potential funding to be considered could include American Rescue Plan (ARP), sales taxes, land sale proceeds and philanthropic contributions.

These monies may be distributed by the city department staffing the work of the Commission, or perhaps more appropriately by the city department executing the program. An example of this may be the provision of city funds for reparations through housing and land policy and programs being implemented by the city's Department of Planning and Economic Development.

The ordinance specifies the Commission shall produce a report at least annually. The Legislative Advisory Committee notes that additional statements or reports may be needed from time to time to provide advice and input on current policy, legislation, planning and budget matters under consideration by the city.

The LAC strongly supports the use of Commission resources to assist in genealogical work necessary for effective reparations efforts.

Compensation

Each member of the Saint Paul Recovery Act Community Reparations Commission shall be paid seventy-five dollars ($75.00) for each meeting of the commission the members shall attend. In addition, the commission may, from time to time, delegate to another commission or committee member(s) having the responsibility of representing the commission at special meetings or public hearings. Those commission member(s) serving as delegates shall receive fifty dollars ($50.00) for such meetings or hearings that the member shall attend. The compensation set forth herein shall be the entire compensation to commission members for the performance of their duties. The City shall from time to time evaluate the compensation provided to commission members.

The Legislative Advisory Committee unequivocally recommends compensation be provided for Commission members to offset expenses such as parking, childcare and time away from work incurred related to the work of the Commission.

APPENDIX 1: COMMUNITY COMMENTARY

Virtual sessions co-hosted by East Side Freedom Library April 7 and April 29, 2022 with an estimated participation of approximately 125-150 individuals at the 2 events.

In-person sessions held at Dayton's Bluff Recreation Center April 14 and Rondo Library April 21, 2022 with an estimated participation of more than 50 individuals at the 2 events.

Note: the comments received in these sessions covered a variety of topics. Some of the topics are specifically addressed as components of the draft ordinance, while others pertain to the work the commission will be undertaking when it is seated. Finally, commentary also covered the roles of the mayor, city council and others. The Advisory Committee noted the scope of its mission was drafting the ordinance and committed to organizing and sharing commentary for future use by all interested parties.

Composition of Commission

- People off all ages should be included in commission.
- A majority of Commission member must be ADOCS/foundational Black Americans.
- Commission should include members who are knowledgeable about reparations, whether or not they are Saint Paul residents.
- Commission should be reflective of the (wealth/education/other demographic) diversity of the ADOCS population.
- "Preference shall be given" seems like weak language (Advisory Committee noted its vibrant discussion of this issue and its efforts to avoid discriminatory language.)

Importance of Genealogical Research

- Resources need to be made available to help residents research heritage and determine eligibility for reparations' programming
- In addition to assistance for genealogical research, it makes sense to help people find other records, lands deeds and so on that clarify and illuminate relevant history.

Key Recipients of Reparations Work in Saint Paul

- Keep focus on ADOCS, don't get broader in application
- Saint Paul should begin its efforts looking at Rondo
- Very helpful to target descendants of Rondo community.
- Reparations should be available to all Saint Paul residents descending from the trans-Atlantic slave trade.
- Need to cover those harmed by the maintenance of systemic racism in Saint Paul.
- The ordinance does not define ADOCS. Is this something that Commission will do?
- Implore city to focus on lineation and separating, so people can identify themselves.
- Need to be clear this should be foundational Black Americans, and not more recent immigrants who are not.

Nature of Reparations

- Reparations should be tangible and directed toward foundational Black Americans.
- Need to begin talking about the source of funding for reparations efforts, including ARP and other sources
- Need to be clear that reparations are (in large measure) repayment for free labor.

- Reparations is about addressing the disparity in generational wealth.
- Important to note foundational Black Americans have been denied the effect and accumulation of generational wealth.
- Reparations programming could include revised regulations on real estate transactions, such as nondisclosure of prospective homebuyer, pending purchase agreement or pre-approval letter.
- Need funding ideas that move beyond direct tax redistribution.
- We need to avoid approaching reparations programming/efforts/payments avoiding a "scarcity" or deficit mind-set.
- The first thing the commission does should be direct cash payments to foundational Black Americans. (Could do this based on content of 1870 census)
- Programming is not adequate. We have seen programs which end up benefitting others (not us as the intended population). Need to be direct with cash payments or land.
- Reparations needs to be more than an apology and include school loans, cash payments, etc.
- Goal is to close the racial wealth gap and address the harm done by the city to its Black residents.
- Legacy down-payment assistance fund, forgivable after 5 years.

Education

- Educational efforts need to begin with effectively laying the groundwork in the larger Saint Paul community to support the work of the commission. Leadership should come from a variety of places, including the mayor and other elected officials.
- Need to compile and share stories as a part of educating ourselves and the community.
- The commission needs to include in its core mission the importance of (ongoing) education on reparations. This should have a related benefit of developing support for those efforts.
- Do educational work in partnership with community organizations with knowledge and demonstrated commitment, via sponsorship, co-signing on and supporting reparations initiatives)

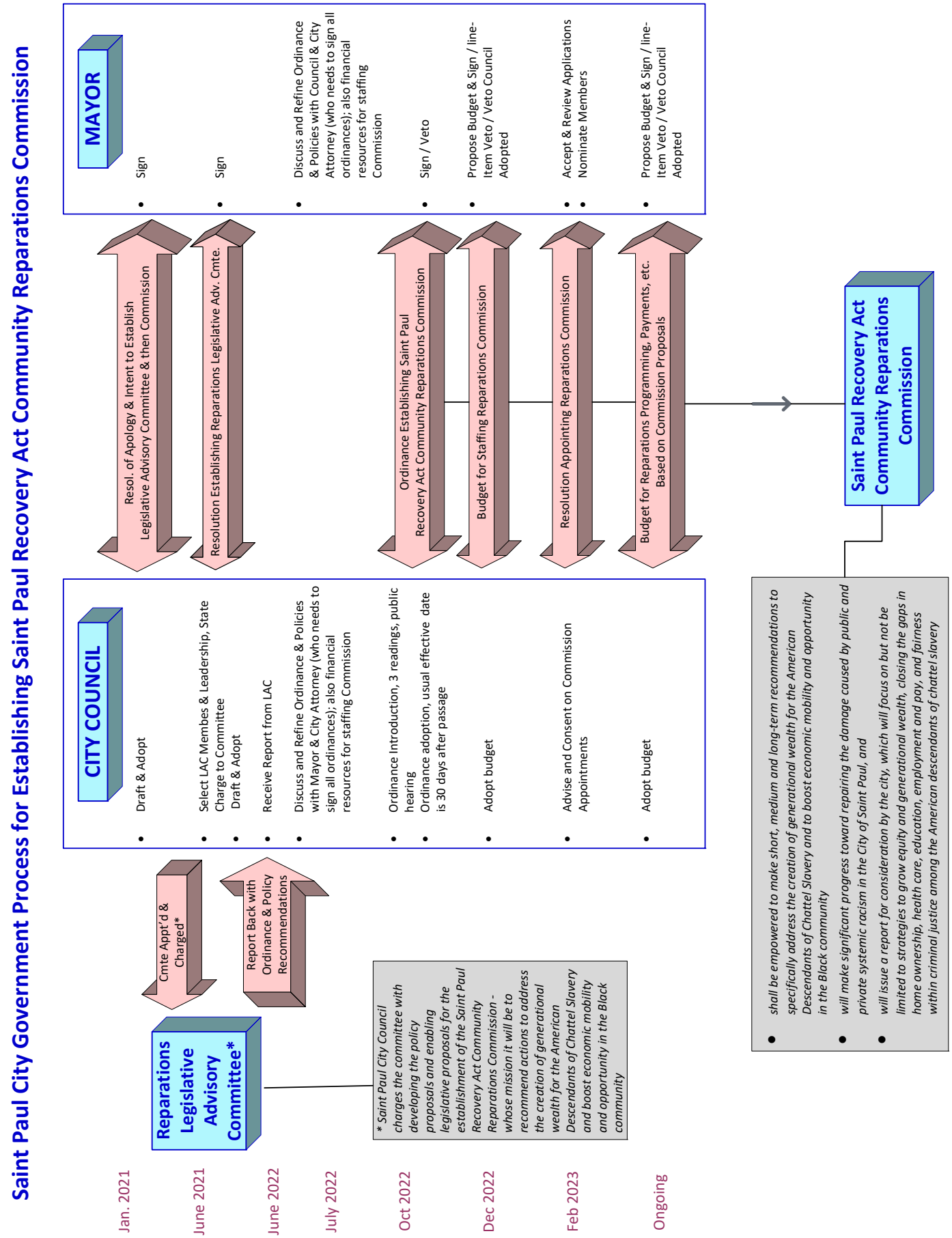
Ongoing Community Participation/Input

- A part of the community conversation (to be facilitated by the Commission) needs to involve a truth telling for experiences to be shared and community healing to begin.
- How can community members participate in the ongoing process to establish the commission and later with its efforts?

General Comments

- City should consider composition of commission in the context of other (educational, philanthropic, faith-based) institutions whose missions and work overlap.
- Needs to be partnership with local philanthropic organizations.
- Hope commission will address ADOCS, as well as structural trauma that has happened over time
- Commission needs to be formed as quickly as possible to begin this important work.
- The local action needs to spur a call to action for reparations at the state (and federal) levels.
- Important to look at models other communities (and states) have used in establishing reparations efforts to see what might also be a good fit for Saint Paul.
- What is the vision for the ongoing relationship between the Commission, Mayor, Council, City Departments, etc.?
- We have every reason to distrust government, but we are also using local government for the process. It requires us to be strategic. We need to find ways to push back and reimagine what it should look like for government to truly engage with our community.

APPENDIX 2: Saint Paul City Government Process for Establishing the Saint Paul Recovery Act Community Reparations Commission



APPENDIX 3

City of Saint Paul

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Resolution: RES 21-77

File Number: RES 21-77

Committing to racial healing through the exploration of reparations for American descendants of Chattel Slavery Living in Saint Paul.

WHEREAS, the institution of slavery in the United States, beginning in 1619 and continuing through 1863, enriched American industries, commercial and financial corporations and transformed the newly established United States into an international economic power through the oppressive, dehumanizing and torturous system of enslaved Black labor; and

WHEREAS, after slavery ended in the US, the slaveowners were compensated for the loss of their slaves, but those who had been held in bondage were never compensated for their labor, despite the promise of “40 acres and a mule”; and

WHEREAS, although slavery was illegal in Minnesota, Dred Scott and Harriet Scott were in bondage at Fort Snelling as well as other African Americans who were used for enslaved labor by US Army officers, which was in violation of the Northwest Ordinance of 1787 and the Missouri Compromise of 1820; and

WHEREAS, in the aftermath of slavery, African American citizens of this country continued to face brutal discrimination, as evidenced by Jim Crow, forced segregation, mass atrocities in Tulsa and Rosewood, the lynching period and to this day, mass incarceration; and

WHEREAS, in Saint Paul, systemic discrimination was perpetrated through redlining and racial covenants, access to housing, environmental injustice and the removal of Saint Paul’s Rondo neighborhood - the center of Saint Paul’s African American business, residential, spiritual and cultural life - for the construction of Interstate 94; and

WHEREAS, the pervasiveness of structural institutionalized racism in Saint Paul and all of American society has led to overwhelming black-white disparities in every area of endeavor, from housing to education and employment, business investment, economic prosperity, health and wellness, including life expectancy and infant mortality; and

WHEREAS, according to the November 2020 edition of the New England Journal of Medicine, reparations are now widely considered to be the most effective means of breaking down the societal structure related to power, money and access to resources, and indeed may be the only solution that can be applied intergenerationally that “would be an investment in the future and in reducing disparities that have been intractable for generations”; and

WHEREAS, local and state governments throughout the US have demonstrated a commitment to address these disparities by creating programs to generate public and private sources of funding, including dedicating tax revenues from enterprises that have historically profited from targeting African American consumers and other forms of discrimination that have fueled black-white disparities; and

WHEREAS, the tragic killing of George Floyd at the hands of Minneapolis police officers has led to local, national and international reckoning of the immorality of the racial hierarchy that exists under our so-called democratic institutions, and the founding values of this nation, “that all people are equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain inalienable Rights, that among these are Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of Saint Paul does affirm that there can be no further delay in engaging all of Saint Paul in a process of racial healing and righting these wrongs; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the City Council of Saint Paul, does herein apologize and commit to making amends for its participation in and sanctioning of institutional racism against the American descendants of chattel slavery; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the City Council of Saint Paul does herein apologize and commit to making amends for Dred Scott being held in bondage at Fort Snelling and its enforcement of institutional racism and its accompanying discriminatory practices; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the City Council of Saint Paul apologizes and commits to making amends for allowing the construction of Interstate 94 to destroy a vibrant Black community and successful Black businesses; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the City Council of Saint Paul calls on all organizations and institutions in Saint Paul that have advanced and benefited from racial inequity to join the city in these apologies and invites them to address racism within their own structures and programs and to work with the city to more comprehensively address systemic racism; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the City Council of Saint Paul calls on the State of Minnesota and our federal delegation to initiate policymaking and provide funding for reparations at the state and national level; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Saint Paul City Council commits to use its authority to establish, within the next six months, a legislative advisory committee to work with the Administration to create the roles and responsibilities for a new city commission to be known as the Saint Paul Recovery Act Community Reparations Commission; and be it further

RESOLVED, the Saint Paul Recovery Act Community Reparations Commission shall be empowered to make short, medium and long term recommendations to specifically address the creation of generational wealth for the American Descendants of Chattel Slavery and to boost economic mobility and opportunity in the Black community; and be it further

RESOLVED, the Saint Paul Recovery Act Community Reparations Commission, as envisioned, will make significant progress toward repairing the damage caused by public and private systemic racism in the City of Saint Paul, and will issue a report for consideration by the city, which will focus on but not be limited to strategies to grow equity and generational wealth, closing the gaps in home ownership, health care, education, employment and pay, and fairness within criminal justice among the American descendants of chattel slavery.

At a meeting of the City Council on 1/13/2021, this Resolution was Passed.

Yea: 7 Councilmember Brendmoen, Councilmember Thao, Councilmember Tolbert, Councilmember Noecker, Councilmember Prince, Councilmember Jalali, and Councilmember Yang

Nay: 0

Vote Attested by Council Secretary Trudy Moloney **Date** 1/13/2021

Approved by the Mayor Melvin Carter III **Date** 1/21/2021

Clerk Shari Moore **Date**

City of Saint Paul

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Resolution: RES 21-886

File Number: RES 21-886

Establishing the Saint Paul City Council Legislative Advisory Committee on Reparations.

WHEREAS, the Saint Paul City Council adopted Resolution 21-77 on January 13, 2021 committing to racial healing through the exploration of reparations for American descendants of Chattel Slavery Living in Saint Paul; and

WHEREAS, Resolution 21-77 specifically

1) apologized and committed to making amends for -
   a. its participation in and sanctioning of institutional racism against the American descendants of chattel slavery
   b. Dred Scott being held in bondage at Fort Snelling and its enforcement of institutional racism and its accompanying discriminatory practices
   c. allowing the construction of Interstate 94 to destroy a vibrant Black community and successful Black businesses
2) called on other to take action, including -
   a. all organizations and institutions in Saint Paul that have advanced and benefited from racial inequity to join the city in these apologies and invites them to address racism within their own structures and programs and to work with the city to more comprehensively address systemic racism
   b. the State of Minnesota and our federal delegation to initiate policymaking and provide funding for reparations at the state and national level
3) committed to establish a Legislative Advisory Committee -
   a. to use its authority to establish, within the next six months, a legislative advisory committee to work with the Administration to create the roles and responsibilities for a new city commission to be known as the Saint Paul Recovery Act Community Reparations Commission
4) described the role of the Saint Paul Recovery Act Community Reparations Commission which
   a. shall be empowered to make short, medium and long-term recommendations to specifically address the creation of generational wealth for the American Descendants of Chattel Slavery and to boost economic mobility and opportunity in the Black community
   b. will make significant progress toward repairing the damage caused by public and private systemic racism in the City of Saint Paul, and
   c. will issue a report for consideration by the city, which will focus on but not be limited to strategies to grow equity and generational wealth, closing the gaps in home ownership, health care, education, employment and pay, and fairness within criminal justice among the American descendants of chattel slavery

WHEREAS, under Section 3.01.8 of the City Charter, the Council has the authority to establish a legislative advisory committee for no longer than one year to bring forward policy and legislative recommendations for Council consideration on reparations; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, the Saint Paul City Council establishes the Saint Paul Reparations Legislative

Advisory Committee effective June 19, 2021 - also known as Juneteenth, the day which honors the end to slavery in the United States and is considered the longest-running African American holiday; and be it further

RESOLVED, the Saint Paul City Council appoints ***Veronica Burt, Trahern Crews and Yohuru Williams*** as conveners of the Reparations Legislative Advisory Committee; and be it further

RESOLVED, the Saint Paul City Council appoints ***Theresa Cunningham, Lynette Harris, Amber Jones, Benjamin Mchie, Nick Muhammad, Jessica Nickrand, Jose Perez, Khulia Pringle, Vic Rosenthal and Jerry Thomas*** as members of the Reparations Legislative Advisory Committee; and be it further

RESOLVED, the Saint Paul City Council determines it is in the public interest to provide a nominal stipend to support to these community advisors who bring valuable perspectives and whose presence builds public trust, ensures transparency and accountability; and be it further

RESOLVED, the Saint Paul City Council establishes a $50 stipend per meeting for the advisory committee conveners and members which is intended to help defray expenses associated with providing service to the committee for their time and effort spent participating; and be it further

RESOLVED, the Saint Paul City Council will provide professional and clerical staff support to the work of the Reparations Legislative Advisory Committee; and be it further

RESOLVED, the Saint Paul City Council charges the committee with developing the policy proposals and enabling legislative proposals for the establishment of the Saint Paul Recovery Act Community Reparations Commission - whose mission it will be to recommend actions to address the creation of generational wealth for the American Descendants of Chattel Slavery and boost economic mobility and opportunity in the Black community; and be in finally

RESOLVED, the Saint Paul City Council requests a written report from the Reparations Legislative Advisory Committee no later than Friday June 10, 2022, which shall be presented to the City Council Wednesday June 15, 2022 at 10AM and the Reparations Legislative Advisory Committee disbanded thereafter.

At a meeting of the City Council on 6/16/2021, this Resolution was Passed.

Yea: 7 Councilmember Brendmoen, Councilmember Thao, Councilmember Tolbert, Councilmember Noecker, Councilmember Prince, Councilmember Jalali, and Councilmember Yang

Nay: 0

Vote Attested by Council Secretary Shari Moore **Date** 6/16/2021

Approved by the Mayor Melvin Carter III **Date** 6/25/2021

Clerk Shari Moore **Date** _____

Shari Moore

APPENDIX 4: Resource List (SP Public Library & City Council Research)

Title	Author	Publication Date	Publisher	Format	Primary Theme	Secondary Theme	Notation/Summary	Access
The Wealth of Races: The Present Value of Benefits from Past Injustices	Richard F. America	2002	Praeger	Book	Economic Prosperity	Reparations	This collection of essays takes an economic approach to the issue of reparations by addressing the need to collectively redistribute wealth in response to the history of slavery, segregation, and racial discrimination in the United States. The essays take a variety of perspectives, but focus on proposals, justifications, and the possible effects of black reparations. The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://www.worldcat.org/title/wealth-of-races-the-present-value-of-benefits-from-past-injustices/oclc/877950254
Toxic Inequality: How America's Wealth Gap Destroys Mobility, Opens the Racial Divide and Threatens Our Future	Thomas M. Shapiro	2017	Basic Books	Book	Economic Prosperity	Parking Lot	Examines the growing wealth gap between the very wealthy in America and those with incomes which have stagnated or decreased over time, emphasing how Black Amercicans experience a disproportionately wider gap wealth gapand considers ways in which this could be addressed through race-conscious policies.	https://sppl.bibliocommons.com/v2/record/S138C2320772
What we get wrong about closing the racial wealth gap	William Darity Jr., Darrick Hamilton, Mark Paul, Alan Aja, Anne Price, Antonio Moore, and Caterina Chiopris	April 2018	Duke University: Samuel DuBois Cook Center on Social Equity Insight Center for Community Economic Development	PDF	Economic Prosperity	Parking Lot	Addresses commonly held misconceptions about how individual, rather than institutional change will decrease and eliminate the wealth divide between Black and White Americans.	https://socialequity.duke.edu/wp-content/uploads/2020/01/what-we-get-wrong.pdf
The Twin Cities Region's Areas of Concentrated Poverty Endure	Metropolitan Council	February 2017	Metropolitan Council	PDF	Economic Prosperity		Tracks trends and geographic patterns of poverty in the Twin Cities region 2000-2015.	https://metrocouncil.org/Data-and-Maps/Publications-And-
Racial inequality in Minneapolis is among the worst in the nation	Christopher Ingraham	May 30, 2020	Washington Post	Website	Economic Prosperity		The economic gulf between black and white families is higher in the Minnesota city than nearly anywhere else in America, data show	https://www.washingtonpost.com/business/2020/05/30/minneapolis-racial-inequality/
How to Reduce the Wealth Gap between Black and White Americans	Kedra Newsom Reeves	October 2020	Ted Talk	Video	Economic Prosperity	Wealth Creation	A short history on the origins and perpetuation of racial wealth inequality in the US -- and outlines four ways financial institutions can expand opportunity for Black individuals, families, entrepreneurs and communities.	Transcript and video available at link: https://www.ted.com/talks/kedra_newsom_reeves_how_to_reduce_the_wealth_gap_between_black_and_white_americans
How did Minn. become one of the most racially inequitable states?	Randy Furst and MaryJo Webster	September 6, 2019	StarTribune	Website	Economic Prosperity	Wealth Creation	Article and link to podcast. Analyzes disparities between whites and blacks, using the American Community Survey, which was conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau between 2013-2017.	https://www.startribune.com/how-did-minnesota-become-one-of-the-most-racially-inequitable-states/547537761/?refresh=true
Interactive map defining areas of inequity in Saint Paul			City of Saint Paul	Website	Economic Prosperity		Interactive map with St. Paul income demographic information	https://stpaul.maps.arcgis.com/apps/webappviewer/index.html?id=fb8748d9e0b94ab
Equity Considerations for Place-Based Advocacy and Decisions in the Twin Cities Region			Metropolitan Council	Website	Economic Prosperity	Housing	This dataset provides equity-relevant characteristics for each census tract in the Twin Cities region. Formerly known as the Areas of Concentrated Poverty dataset, it has been greatly expanded to provide a more nuanced portrait of neighborhoods, with data on: demographic and socioeconomic characteristics (including multiple income levels); racial/ethnic/cultural groups; historical data on discriminatory practices; facets of housing markets; land use, environment/climate, amenities, and employment/commuting patterns. Our intention is to call attention to broader patterns of economic segregation and their root causes, and to show that census tracts are much more multifaceted than a narrow focus on poverty rates would imply.	Equity Considerations for Place-Based Advocacy and Decisions in the Twin Cities Region - Resources - Minnesota Geospatial Commons (mn.gov)
Poverty Status in the Past 12 Months	US Census		US Census	Website	Economic Prosperity		American Community Survey 2010-2019 - Minnesota and Twin Cities area data.	https://data.census.gov/cedsci/table?g=0400000US27_310M400US33460&tid=ACSST1
Brown at 50: King's Dream or Plessy's Nightmare?	Newseditor	January 18, 2004	Harvard Graduate School of Education	Website	Education		There has been backward movement for desegregation in U.S. schools, especially for Latino and African-American students, and particularly in the South; and that Asian students are the most integrated and most successful students by far. The vast majority of intensely segregated minority schools face conditions of concentrated poverty, which are powerfully related to unequal educational opportunity.	https://www.gse.harvard.edu/news/04/01/brown-50-kings-dream-or-plessys-nightmare
A Statewide Crisis: Minnesota's Education Achievement Gaps	Rob Grunewald, Economist and Anusha Nath, Research Economist	October 11, 2019	Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis	Website	Education		This report shows that Minnesota's well-known educational disparities are evident across race, ethnicity, and socioeconomic status. Discusses examples in the United States where outcomes for minority and low-income students have significantly improved.	efa5db9734874f5384b95cc5e1ebb32e.ashx (minneapolisfed.org)
How Does Minnesota Compare to the Nation in Racial Equity	Kyeland Jackson		TPT Originals	Website	Education	Employment	Rates of inequity in Minnesota fall below national standards and show how historical divides have created ongoing consequences for people with darker skin.	https://www.tptoriginals.org/how-does-minnesota-compare-to-the-nation-in-racial-equity/?utm_source=facebook&utm_medium=post-tpt&utm_campaign=racism-
Michael Goh and Peter Demerath are one of several Generation Next/UROC Faculty Fellows working to find solutions to Minnesota's achievement gap	Robert J. Jones Urban Research and Outreach-Engagement Center		University of Minnesota	Website	Education		There is a very real gap between students when it comes to resource inequities. But the gaps in human relationships are equally as pressing, in particular the gap between teachers and kids, parents and communities. "Educational inequity" replaces "achievement gap." Highlights inequities in resources and relationships in education.	https://uroc.umn.edu/news-events/michael-goh-and-peter-demerath-are-one-several-generation-nexturoc-faculty-fellows
The Negro Worker's Progress in Minnesota	The Governor's Interracial Commission of Minnesota	June 30, 1949	State of Minnesota	Website	Employment	Parking Lot	Outlines the progress of African American Employments in 1949 through analysis of employment levels in several industries, emphasizing changes since their previous report in 1945.	Physical copy available in the Saint Paul Collection at the Library. https://www.leg.mn.gov/docs/nonmnpub/oclc05234677.pdf
The Negro Worker in Minnesota	The Governor's Interracial Commission of Minnesota	March 10, 1945	State of Minnesota	PDF	Employment	Parking Lot	Examines the state of African American employment in 1945 through analysis of employment levels in several industries.	Physical copy available in Saint Paul Collection
Black Business in Minneapolis and St. Paul: A Comparative Study of Black and White Owned Busniesses	David Wickstrom, John Holdridge	March 1971		Book	Employment	Parking Lot	An examination of black owned businesses in the Twin Cities and how they compare to white owned businesses.	https://conservancy.umn.edu/bitstream/handle/11299/207646/B1002-una.pdf?sequence=1&isAllowed=y

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The Negro Population in Minneapolis	Abrams L. Harris	Unknown	Minneapolis Urban League and Phyllis Wheatly Settlement House	PDF	Employment	Parking Lot	Historical examination of African Americans in Minneapolis, along with detailed information on employment, health, homes, etc.	Physical copy available in Saint Paul Collection
Health Dispaities in Medicine Based on Race	Dr. Richard Garcia	2018	Ted Talk	Video	Health		Dr. Garcia and his colleagues have woven together a series of personal and emotional essays that highlight the inequalities that continue to plague us and significantly contribute to our national disease and economic burden.	https://www.ted.com/talks/richard_garcia_health_disparities_in_medicine_based_on_race
Air Quality Effect on Covid-19	Janelle Guse, Iris Carroll, Erica Pronschinske	February 2021	St. Catherine University	Website	Health	Housing	Shows the impact of covenants on modern-day factors. Maps highlighting incidence of COVID-19 and poor air quality in Minneapolis align with racial covenants.	Stories – Welcoming the Dear Neighbor?
Beyond the White Coat Podcast- Racial Health Disparities: How COVID-19 Magnified a Public Health Emergency	Dr. David Skorton, Dr. Malika Fair	June 24, 2020	Association of American Medical Colleges	Video	Health		Podcast. A discussion on what forces are driving the disparities in health care access, how physicians can work to acknowledge and address racism against Black Americans, and what the academic medicine community can do to address institutional and systemic racism. Trancript: https://beyond-the-white-coat.simplecast.com/episodes/racial-health-disparities-how-covid-19-magnified-a-public-health-emergency-abpOVqgr/transcript	https://www.aamc.org/news-insights/podcast-racial-health-disparities-how-covid-19-magnified-public-health-emergency
Reparations as a Public Health Priority - A Strategy for Ending Black-White Health Disparities	Mary T. Bassett and Sandro Galea	November 26, 2020	The New England Journal of Medicine	Website	Health	Wealth Creation	Essay which argues reparations could provide resources to Black Americans to increase access to health care, decrease stress and its health impact and set the stage for a healthier next generation.	https://www.nejm.org/doi/full/10.1056/NEJMp2026170
Housing Discrimination as a Basis for Black Reparations	Jonathan Kaplan & Andrew Valls	2007	Public Affairs Quarterly 21.3	Website	Housing	Reparations	Rather than turning to slavery as a justification for reparations, Kaplan and Valls argue that a more compelling argument can be made by using the history of segregation, red-lining, and housing discrimination in the United States. The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://www.jstor.org/stable/40441462
A Research Note on Trends in Black Hypersegregation	Douglas S. Masseycorresponding author and Jonathan Tannen	2016	US National Library of Medicine National Institutes of Health	Website	Housing		In this note, we use a consistently defined set of metropolitan areas to study patterns and trends in black hypersegregation from 1970 to 2010. Over this 40-year period, 52 metropolitan areas were characterized by hypersegregation at one point or another, although not all at the same time. Over the period, the number of hypersegregated metropolitan areas declined by about one-half, but the degree of segregation within those areas characterized by hypersegregation changed very little. As of 2010, roughly one-third of all black metropolitan residents lived in a hypersegregated area.	https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PMC4886656/
It's the Law in Minnesota	Governor's Interracial Commission of Minnesota	1947	State of Minnesota	PDF	Housing	Parking Lot	Explaining what the laws were regarding Integration	Physical copy available in Saint Paul Collection
American Apartheid: Segregation and the Making of the Underclass	Douglas S. Massey & Nancy A. Denton	1998	Harvard University Press	Book	Housing		This powerful and disturbing book clearly links persistent poverty among blacks in the United States to the unparalleled degree of deliberate segregation they experience in American cities. American Apartheid shows how the black ghetto was created by whites during the first half of the twentieth century in order to isolate growing urban black populations. It goes on to show that, despite the Fair Housing Act of 1968, segregation is perpetuated today through an interlocking set of individual actions, institutional practices, and governmental policies. In some urban areas the degree of black segregation is so intense and occurs in so many dimensions simultaneously that it amounts to "hypersegregation."	Interlibrary Loan. https://mnlink.on.worldcat.org/oclc/27735568
The Rise and Decline of the American Ghetto	David M Cutler, Edward L. Glaser, Jacob L. Vigdor	1999	Journal of Political Economy	Website	Housing		By 1990, the legal barriers enforcing segregation had been replaced by decentralized racism, where whites pay more than Blacks to live in predominantly white areas.	https://dash.harvard.edu/bitstream/handle/1/2770033/Cutler_RiseandFall.pdf
Jim Crow of the North		2/25/2019	TPT	Video	Housing		Charts the progression of racist policies and practices from the advent of restrictive covenants after the turn of the last century to their final elimination in the late 1960s.	https://www.tpt.org/minnesota-experience/video/jim-crow-of-the-north-stijws/
Zoned in the USA	Sonia Hirt	2015	Ithaca, NY : Cornell University Press	Book	Housing	Other	Hirt explores municipal zoning from a comparative and international perspective, drawing on archival resources and contemporary land-use laws from England, Germany, France, Australia, Russia, Canada, and Japan to challenge assumptions about American cities and the laws that guide them.	Available via InterLibrary Loan: https://mnlink.on.worldcat.org/oclc/1042029757
The Color of Law A Forgotten History of How Our Government Segregated America	Richard Rothstein	2017	Liveright Publishing Corporation	Book	Housing		Offers "the most forceful argument ever published on how federal, state, and local governments gave rise to and reinforced neighborhood segregation" (William Julius Wilson). Exploding the myth of de facto segregation arising from private prejudice or the unintended consequences of economic forces, Rothstein describes how the American government systematically imposed residential segregation: with undisguised racial zoning; public housing that purposefully segregated previously mixed communities; subsidies for builders to create whites-only suburbs; tax exemptions for institutions that enforced segregation; and support for violent resistance to African Americans in white neighborhoods.	https://sppl.bibliocommons.com/v2/record/S138C2328725
Diversity of Gentrification: Multiple Forms of Gentrification in Minneapolis and St. Paul	Edward G. Goetz, Brittany Lewis, Anthony Damiano, Molly Calhoun	2019	University of Minnesota	Website	Housing	Infrastructure	Presents the findings of a study of gentrification between 2000 and 2015 in the cities of Minneapolis and St. Paul. We found significant evidence of gentrification in the two cities. Results from both the quantitative analysis of neighborhood change and the qualitative interviews with key informants and neighborhood residents support the notion that gentrification is a varied phenomenon that looks and feels different from one neighborhood to another.	http://drbrittanylewis.com/portfolio-items/the-diversity-of-gentrification-multiple-forms-of-gentrification-in-minneapolis-and-st-paul-2/?portfolioCats=21
HF51 Protected class restrictive covenants that are prohibited under state and federal law statutory form provided for making declarations.	Davnie ; Lee ; Wagenius ; Loeffler ; Hornstein ; Dehn ; Long ; Gomez ; Hassan ; Noor ; Youakim ; O'Neill ; Wolgamott	5/22/2019			Housing		MN House and Senate bills. Protected class restrictive covenants that are prohibited under state and federal law statutory form provided for making declarations.	https://www.revisor.mn.gov/bills/bill.php?b=House&f=HF0051&ssn=0&y=2019&keyword_type=all&keyword=covenant

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The Rise of Residential Segregation by Income	Richard Fry and Paul Taylor	August 1, 2012	Pew Research	Website	Housing	Economic Prosperity	Residential segregation by income has increased during the past three decades across the United States and in 27 of the nation's 30 largest major metropolitan areas1 , according to a new analysis of census tract2 and household income data by the Pew Research Center.	https://www.pewresearch.org/social-trends/2012/08/01/the-rise-of-residential-segregation-by-income/
Race and Housing Series: Redlining and Resistance – An Interview with Dr. Brittany Lewis	Blake MacKenzie	December 26, 2019	Habitat for Humanity	Website	Housing		An interview with Dr. Brittany Lewis about the legacy of redlining and racism in local housing policy.	Race and Housing Series: Redlining and Resistance – An Interview with Dr. Brittany Lewis (tchabitat.org)
With covenants, racism was written into Minneapolis housing. The scars are still visible.	Greta Kaul	Feb. 22, 2019	MinnPost	Website	Housing	Infrastructure	Detailed history of racial covenants in Minneapolis, and the attitudes that spawned them. On average, Minneapolis neighborhoods with racial covenants are 79 percent white, compared to 53 percent in the city overall. The median assessed value of homes in covenanted areas is $235,000, $10,000 more than the city as a whole.	https://www.minnpost.com/metro/2019/02/with-covenants-racism-was-written-into-minneapolis-housing-the-scars-are-still-visible/
Rezoning History	Kathleen McCormick	January 16, 2020	Land Lines	Website	Housing		Elimination of single-family zoning in Minneapolis.	https://www.lincolninst.edu/publications/a
Blockbusting	Brent Gaspaire	January 7, 2013	Blackpast	Website	Housing	Economic Prosperity	An explanation of blockbusting and the economic impacts on black homeownership.	https://www.blackpast.org/african-american-history/blockbusting/
Why do Saint Paul's Neighborhoods of Color Have a Disproporationate Number of Vacant Properties?	Kyeland Jackson	July 2,2020	TPT Originals	Website	Housing	Health	A Twin Cities PBS analysis found that more than half of all vacant buildings are located in neighborhoods where people of color make up the majority of residents – and dilapidated buildings can bring disastrous consequences when it comes to residents' health, property values and crime.	https://www.tptoriginals.org/why-do-saint-pauls-neighborhoods-of-color-have-a-disproportionate-number-of-vacant-properties/
How racism in property deeds affected generations	Teresa Boardman	July 30, 2020	Inman	Website	Housing		While volunteering to collect data for the Mapping Prejudice Project, one broker did a deep dive into the history of structural racism and the racially restrictive property deeds that affected generations in her hometown	https://www.inman.com/2020/07/30/how-racism-in-property-deeds-affected-generations/
Attacking the Black–White Opportunity Gap That Comes from Residential Segregation	Kimberly Quick and Richard D. Kahlenberg	June 25, 2019	Century Foundation	Website	Housing	Education	Black–white residential segregation is a major source of unequal opportunity for African Americans: among other things, it perpetuates an enormous wealth gap and excludes black students from many high-performing schools. Residential segregation matters immensely, because where people live affects so much of their lives, such as their access to transportation, education, employment opportunities, and good health care.	https://tcf.org/content/report/attacking-black-white-opportunity-gap-comes-residential-segregation/?session=1
Reflections on a year at Habitat: Learning from our history	Chris Coleman	June 5, 2019	Habitat for Humanity	Website	Housing		Former mayor Chris Coleman reflects on racial covenants and the present-day racial disparities caused by them.	https://www.tchabitat.org/blog/chriscolumn?hsCtaTracking=0a7e07f3-2d4e-4881-9909-f198aaaeb770%7Cf7da34c4-830f-
Minneapolis Had This Coming	Justin Ellis	June 9, 2020	The Atlantic	Website	Housing	Economic Prosperity	An overview of how racial disparities have affected development around Lake Street, and how Minneapolis is addressing the inequalities after the riots of 2020.	https://www.theatlantic.com/ideas/archive/2020/06/minneapolis-long-overdue-crisis/612826/
Race and Housing Series: the GI Bill	Matt Haugen	November 1, 2019	Habitat for Humanity	Website	Housing	Economic Prosperity	Details how the GI Bill was drafted to enforce and increase segregation.	https://www.tchabitat.org/blog/race-and-housing-series-the-gi-
Race and Housing Series: Racial Covenants – An interview with Kirsten Delegard	Becky Engen	November 21, 2019	Habitat for Humanity	Website	Housing		Details the Mapping Prejudice project, racial covenants, and racial disparities in Minnesota.	https://www.tchabitat.org/blog/racial-covenants?hsCtaTracking=cc9fde39-44ba-
Race and Housing Series: Government's Role in Housing Segregation	Blake MacKenzie	October 16, 2019	Habitat for Humanity	Website	Housing		Details ways New Deal programs created segregation where there formerly was none.	https://www.tchabitat.org/blog/housing-segregation-how-it-was-created-or-
Making the Invisible Visible A project at the U maps Minneapolis's history with racial housing covenants.	Taiyon J. Coleman	Spring 2018	Minnesota Alumni	Website	Housing		First person account of buying a home in a racially covenanted neighborhood.	https://www.minnesotaalumni.org/stories/making-the-invisible-visible
The Negro as a Neighbor in Minnesota	Governor's Human Rights Commission	Unknown	State of Minnesota	PDF	Housing	Parking Lot	Suggests that African Americans should have the right to live where they like.	Physical copy available in Saint Paul Collection
MURAJ: In Focus -Unearthing Bad Deeds	Cassie Varrige	Volume 3• Issue1	Minnesota Undergraduate Research & Academic Journal (MURAJ)	Website	Housing		Interview with Kirsten Delegard, Project Director of Mapping Prejudice, and Kevin Ehrman-Solberg, Digital and Geospatial Director of Mapping Prejudice, discussing their groundbreaking research with Mapping Prejudice and the value of interdisciplinary work.	https://pubs.lib.umn.edu/index.php/muraj/article/view/3260/2387
Mapping the Roots of Housing Disparities in Minneapolis: Jim Crow of the North offers a glimpse into structural racism in real estate.	Daniel Bergin		TPT Originals	Website	Housing	Economic Prosperity	Article about the film Jim Crow of the North	https://www.tptoriginals.org/mapping-the-roots-of-housing-disparities-in-minneapolis/
What Can Be Done About Affordable Housing in Saint Paul? A summer library series sparks the creation of the first-of-its-kind East Side Housing Summit.	Katie Carpenter		TPT Originals	Website	Housing		Article summarizing discussions during a film series at the East Side Freedom Library.	https://www.tptoriginals.org/what-can-be-done-about-affordable-housing-in-saint-paul/
The Mapping Prejudice Project			University of Minnesota	Website	Housing	Economic Prosperity	Exposes structural racism of racial covenants, redlining, and racial disparities in housing and home ownership in the Twin Cities.	https://mappingprejudice.umn.edu/
Mapping Inequality: Redlining in New Deal America				Website	Housing	Economic Prosperity	Mapping Inequality offers a window into the New Deal era housing policies that helped set the course for contemporary America. This project provides visitors with a new view, and perhaps even a new language, for describing the relationship between wealth and poverty in America. The website details the effects of redlining nationwide, analyzing data of the Home Owners Loan Corporation (HOLC)	https://dsl.richmond.edu/panorama/redlining/#loc=5/33.395/-83.145&text=about
Mapping Inequality: Redlining in New Deal America				Website	Housing	Economic	Interactive Map	https://dsl.richmond.edu/panorama/redlini
Interstate 94: A History and its impact		4/7/2017	TPT	Video	Infrastructure		The cities of St. Paul and Minneapolis were changed when Interstate 94 was routed through the neighborhoods of Rondo and Prospect Park. This documentary examines how each community has coped with the changes the Interstate brought. Co-produced with the Minnesota Department of Transportation.	https://www.tpt.org/interstate-94-a-history-and-its-impact/
Central Corridor: Sons of Rondo on opposite sides	Laura Yuen	April 20, 2010	MPR News	Website	Infrastructure		Here are three men who have emerged in the Central Corridor debate, and whose own lives have been touched by Rondo.	https://www.mprnews.org/story/2010/04/20/centcorridor-sonsofrondo
Central Corridor: In the shadow of Rondo	Laura Yuen	April 29, 2010	MPR News	Website	Infrastructure		The third in a four-part series examining the Central Corridor light rail project in St. Paul.	https://www.mprnews.org/story/2010/04/20/centcorridor3-rondo
I-35W Disrupted Minority Community, Boxed-in Phillips	Wizard Marks	August, 1990	PNN- Phillips Neighborhood Network	website	Infrastructure		I-35 construction disrupted Black- and Mexican neighborhoods in Minneapolis	http://www.pnn.org/History/Stories/35W.htm
Race and Housing Series: Rondo and I-94—A Conversation with Nick Khaliq	Blake MacKenzie	February 14, 2020	Habitat for Humanity	Website	Infrastructure	Housing	A personal account of growing up in the Rondo neighborhood, and displacement at the construction of I-94.	https://www.tchabitat.org/blog/rondo?hsCtaTracking=8b658625-5dc0-4291-9ff6-d677dd4f9ad5%7C01e1a6cf-4920-46a1-
Slave-built infrastructure still creates wealth in U.S., suggesting reparations should cover past harms and current value of slavery	Joshua F.J. Inwood and Anna Livia Brand	February 5, 2021	The Conversation	Website	Infrastructure		Explores the inital impact of slave labor in building infrastructure supporting the Amercian economy, how that inforastructure still functions and the ongoing wealth created therefrom benefitting the few.	https://theconversation.com/slave-built-infrastructure-still-creates-wealth-in-us-suggesting-reparations-should-cover-past-harms-and-current-value-of-slavery-153969

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Rondo Neighborhood, St. Paul	Ehsan Alam	First published: June 14, 2017 Last modified: May 29, 2020	MNopedia	Website	Infrastructure		St. Paul's Rondo neighborhood ran roughly between University Avenue to the north, Selby Avenue to the south, Rice Street to the east, and Lexington Avenue to the west. African American churches, businesses, and schools set down roots there in the late nineteenth and early twentieth centuries, creating a strong community. Construction of Interstate-94 (I-94) between 1956 and 1968 cut the neighborhood in half and fractured its identity as a cultural center.	https://www.mnopedia.org/place/rondo-neighborhood-st-paul
Neighborhood Resistance to I-94, 1953–1965	Tom Beer	First published: November 12, 2019 Last modified: November 25, 2019	MNopedia	Website	Infrastructure		In the 1950s, planned construction of Interstate Highway 94 (I-94) threatened to fracture four Twin Cities neighborhoods: Rondo, Prospect Park, Merriam Park, and Seward. Although each community responded differently and achieved different results, all were models of persistence and resistance.	https://www.mnopedia.org/event/neighbor
New FTA rule may affect Central Corridor project	Dan Olson	January 14, 2010	MPR News	Website	Infrastructure		The Obama administration is making a rule change that would allow the FTA to factor in livability as it awards federal money for a project, and it could affect the Central Corridor light rail project.	https://www.mprnews.org/story/2010/01/13/new-fta-rules
Rondo area activists sue over Central Corridor	Madeleine Baran	January 19, 2010	MPR News	Website	Infrastructure		A group of civil rights activists, business owners and residents in St. Paul's Rondo neighborhood have challenged the legality of the Central Corridor Light Rail Transit Project's planning efforts, alleging that government planners have failed to fully address the impact of the transit project on businesses and residents in the historic African American community, in violation of federal law.	https://www.mprnews.org/story/2010/01/19/lrt-rondo-lawsuit
Group calls new Central Corridor stops an 'incomplete victory'	Tim Nelson	January 26, 2010	MPR News	Website	Infrastructure		Federal, state and local officials said Monday that they've struck a deal to add three new stations to the proposed Central Corridor light rail line.	https://www.mprnews.org/story/2010/01/25/light-rail-gets-new-stops
Urban planning as a tool of white supremacy – the other lesson from Minneapolis	Julian Agyeman	July 27, 2020	The Conversation	Website	Infrastructure		The legacy of structural racism in Minneapolis was laid bare to the world at the intersection of Chicago Avenue and East 38th Street, the location where George Floyd's neck was pinned to the ground by a police officer's knee. But it is also imprinted in streets, parks and neighborhoods across the city – the result of urban planning that utilized segregation as a tool of white supremacy.	https://theconversation.com/urban-planning-as-a-tool-of-white-supremacy-the-other-lesson-from-minneapolis-142249
Opponents file civil rights complaint against Central Corridor	Dan Olson and Laura Yuen	June 4, 2009	MPR News	Website	Infrastructure		A group called the Preserve and Benefit Historic Rondo Committee filed the complaint with the FTA, saying the Metropolitan Council has not adequately addressed concerns about business disruption and rising property values along University Ave. in St. Paul.	https://www.mprnews.org/story/2009/06/0
Preserving a "Fine Residential District.": the Merriam Park Freeway Fight	Tom O'Connel and Tom Beer	Winter 2013	Ramsey County History	Website	Infrastructure		In hope of ending their 3-year freeway campaign, Merriam Park residents ramped up the pressure on City Hall in early March of 1962. v 47 no. 4	https://publishing.rchs.com/wp-content/uploads/2015/11/RCHS_Winter2013_OConnellBeer.pdf
Rondo Neighborhood	Jane McClure		St. Paul Historical	Website	Infrastructure		Jane McClure, "Rondo Neighborhood," Saint Paul Historical	https://saintpaulhistorical.com/items/show/160
Looking to the Bottom: Critical Legal Studies and Reparations.	Mari Matsuda	1987	Harvard Civil Rights - Civil Liberties Law Review 22.2	Website	Other		In this article, Mari Matsuda argues that adopting the perspective of those who have been systematically excluded from the protection of the law could help guide legal studies in its efforts to think about justice. Matsuda uses Native Hawaiian and Japanese-American claims for reparations as a case study for this approach. The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://heinonline.org/HOL/LandingPage?handle=hein.journals/hcrcl22&div=21&id=&page=
House Bill 591: Florida Compensates Rosewood Victims and Their Families for a Seventy-One-Year-Old Injury	Jeanne C. Bassett	1994	Florida State Law Review 22.2	Website	Other		This article details the history of the Rosewood massacre, a series of violent crimes in 1923 against the African-American community in Rosewood, Florida, and the process through which House Bill 591 was researched and passed–a bill that paid reparations to the families of victims of the violence. The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://ir.law.fsu.edu/cgi/viewcontent.cgi?article=1498&context=lr
Race and Reparations: A Black Perspective for the Twenty-First Century	Clarence J. Munford	1996	African World Press	Book	Other		The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://books.google.com/books?id=B2IhPX0LdewC&lpg=PP1&pg=PP1#v=onepage&q&f=false
Between Vengeance and Forgiveness: Facing History After Genocide and Mass Violence	Martha Minow	1998	Beacon Press	E-Book	Other		In this book, Martha Minow highlights the variety of ways in which a society deals with collective violence moving from the Nuremberg trials, to Japanese-American internment, to the truth and reconciliation commission in South Africa. Ultimately, Minow argues that personal narratives and cultural reparations provide the best model for social healing in the aftermath of mass trauma. The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://books.google.com/books?id=kGAt3WpsvbMC&lpg=PP1&dq=Between%20Vengeance%20and%20Forgiveness%3A%20Facing%20History%20After%20Genocide%20and%20Mass%20Violence&pg=PR7#v=onepage&q&f=false
When Sorry Isn't Enough: The Controversy Over Apologies and Reparations for Human Injustice.	Roy Brooks	1999	NYU Press	E-Book	Other		The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://books.google.com/books?id=vbVqjF-HSmQC&lpg=PR1&dq=When%20Sorry%20I
I Never Owned Slaves': The Euro-American Construction of the Racialized Other. The Global Color Line: Racial and Ethnic Inequality and Struggle From a Global Perspective.	Amy Ansell & James E Statman	1999	Research in Politics and Society	Website	Other		In this article, Ansell and Statman study the ways that white racial discourse, meaning the way in which white people talk about race, engages with the racial history of the United States by framing whites as victims and displacing responsibility to slavery and segregation into the past through phrases like "I have never owned slaves." The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://www.worldcat.org/title/global-color-line-racial-and-ethnic-inequality-and-struggle-from-a-global-perspective/oclc/1010836285
The Essence of Reparations	Amiri Baraka	2003	House of Nehesi Publishers	Book	Other		In this collection of essays, Amiri Baraka ties the project of reparations to the wider struggle for civil rights and participation in American democracy. The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://www.worldcat.org/title/essence-of-reparations-afro-american-self-determination-revolutionary-democratic-struggle-in-the-united-states-of-america/oclc/229030592

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Reconstructing the Dreamland: The Tulsa Race Riot of 1921	Alfred L. Brophy	2003	Oxford University Press	Book	Other		In this book, Alfred Brophy revisits the Tulsa Race Riot of 1921 in which the black community of Greenwood, Oklahoma was destroyed and almost 150 people were killed. Brophy documents how the government failed to stop the looting and rioting, ultimately enabling violence against the black community. The book finishes with a discussion of reparations claims made by victims of the riots and the implications they have for the reparations movement more broadly. The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://books.google.com/books?id=WeSfPmuYROUC&lpg=PP1&dq=Reconstructing%20the%20Dreamland%3A%20The%20Tulsa%20Race%20Riot%20of%201921.&pg=PP1#v=onepage&q&f=false
Politics and the Past: On Repairing Historical Injustices	John Torpey	2003	Rowman & Littlefield Publishers	E-Book	Other		The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://books.google.com/books?id=bQNmTN2Tiu8C&lpg=PP1&pg=PP1#v=onepage&q&f=false
Slavery Reparations in Perspective	William Kweku Asare	2003	Trafford Publishing	E-Book	Other		In this book, William Kweku Asare returns to the slave trade as the source of many of the problems facing Africa today and argues that without substancially reckoning with and seeking to redress this history those problems are likely to remain unaddressed. The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://books.google.com/books?id=dsnNMCcquV0C&lpg=PP3&ots=zz7WUUrNHe&dq=Slavery%20Reparations%20in%20Perspective.%20Trafford%20Publishing&pg=PP1#v=onepage&q&f=false
My Face is Black is True: Callie House and the Struggle for Ex-Slave Reaparations	Mary Frances Berry	2005	Vintage	Book	Other		Berry's biography of Callie House details her struggle to establish a pension for ex-slaves in the 1890s. By establishing mutual relief societies throughout the South, House hoped to both provide a space from which to organize black communities as well as a political base from which to lobby for reparations. The book concludes by noting the US Government's repression and prosecution of her efforts. The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://books.google.com/books?id=dmwmXtCFAM8C&lpg=PP1&dq=My%20Face%20is%20Black%20is%20True%3A%20Callie%20House%20and%20the%20Struggle%20for%20Ex-Slave%20Reparations.&pg=PP1#v=onepage&q&f=false
Britain's Black Debt: Reparations for Slavery and Native Genocide	Hilary Beckles	2013	University of West Indies Press	Book	Other		In this book, Hilary Beckles argues that reparations are owed from Britain to present-day ancestors of slaves in Caribbean plantations. Noting both the spiritual, physical, and social remnants of slavery in contemoprary Caribbean nations, Beckles presuasively argues for the contemporary necessity of reparations. The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://www.worldcat.org/title/britains-black-debt-reparations-for-slavery-and-native-genocide/oclc/883419830
"Racial Exploitation" in Black rights/White Wrongs: The critique of racial liberalism	Charles W. Mills	2017	Oxford University Press	Book	Other		In this chapter, Mills conceptually differentiates racial exploitation from the more conventionally understood form of Marxian class exploitation. In doing so, he defends the position that demands for racial justice (like reparations) cannot be dismissed in favor of more "universal" class-based forms of justice. The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://books.google.com/books?id=CHcLDgAAQBAJ&lpg=PP1&dq=Black%20rights%2FWhite%20Wrongs%3A%20The%20critique%20of%20racial%20liberalism&pg=PP1#v=onepage&q&f=false
Race, Rights, Reparations: Institutional Racism and the Law.	Fernne Brennan	2017	Routledge	E-Book	Other		The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://books.google.com/books?id=IAcqDwAAQBAJ&lpg=PP1&pg=PP1#v=onepage&q&f=false
Towards transitional justice? Black Reparations and the End of Mass Incarceration.	Desmond S. King and Jennifer Page	2018	Ethnic and Racial Studies 41.4	Website	Other		There are many commonalities between the goals of transitional justice and domestic redress movements. We look at the movement for reparations for enslavement and Jim Crow in the United States as an example of a domestic reparations movement, and argue for the usefulness of the concept of transitional justice. The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://www.tandfonline.com/doi/abs/10.1080/01419870.2018.1381341
A "Freedom Budget" For All Americans	Philip Randolph Institute	Jan-67	A. Philip Randolph Institute	Website	other		This policy document, written by a group of black and socialist activists, proposed a budget to the United States government with the goal of eliminating poverty in America. Specifically, it proposed universal health care, a universal basic income, and a strong federal jobs program that resonate with progressive programs today. The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://www.prrac.org/pdf/FreedomBudget.pdf
Litigating the Legacy of Slavery	Charles J. Ogletree	31-Mar-02	The New York Times	Website	Other		In this article for The New York Times, Ogletree details the lawsuit filed by the Reparations Coordinating Committee against companies in the United States that profited from slave labor and the slave trade and offers some arguments for group-based reparations for African Americans. The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://www.nytimes.com/2002/03/31/opinion/litigating-the-legacy-of-slavery.html
The Case for Haitian Reparations	Westenley Alcenat	14-Jan-17	Jacobin	Website	Other		In this article, Westenley Alcenat offers arguments in favor of Haiti's call for reparations from France. Identifying the 150 million franc penalty France levied on Haiti after its independence as crucial to understanding current socio-economic conditions on the island, Alcenat argues for reparations by combining present conditions and past injustices. The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://www.jacobinmag.com/2017/01/haiti-reparations-france-slavery-colonialism-debt/
A black family go their beach back - and inspired others to fight against land theft	Danny Hajek, A Martinez, and Kelley Dickens	10/10/2021	NPR	Website	Other		The Bruces were run out of Manhattan Beach and forced to shut down their successful resort. Their property was seized by the city, and they lost their fortune. For years, the land was owned by the county of Los Angeles — until last month, when California passed a law that allowed the property to be transferred back to the couple's descendants.	https://www.npr.org/2021/10/10/1043821492/black-americans-land-history
George Floyd's Death and the Long History of Racism in Minneapolis	By Olivia B. Waxman	May 28, 2020	Time	Website	Other	Housing	Traces how racial covenents in Minneapolis directly lead to segregation and discriminatory policing, resulting in the death of George Floyd.	https://time.com/5844030/george-floyd-minneapolis-history/
Minneapolis' top cop sued the department in 2007. Here's why it matters today	Melissa Alonso	Mon June 1, 2020	StarTribune	Website	Other		Minnepolis Police Chief Medaria Arradondo was one of the plaintiffs in the 2007 complaint against MPD, alleging discriminatory conduct against people of color.	https://www.cnn.com/2020/06/01/us/minneapolis-police-chief-sued-department-2007-trnd/index.html

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Days of Rondo	Evelyn Fairbanks	1990	Minnesota Historical Press	Book	Other		Personal memoir of growing up in the Rondo neighborhood. Evelyn Fairbanks grew up in the 1930s, '40s, and '50s along Rondo Avenue -- the heart of St. Paul's largest black neighborhood. Her book tells the warm and human stories she recalls from those years in the then-vibrant community that was doomed to disappear with the coming of the freeways in the 1960s.	Available for check out at Saint Paul Public Libraries: https://sppl.bibliocommons.com/v2/record/S138C1254916
Choice, Place and Opportunity: An equity assessment of the Twin Cities region	Metropolitan Council	2014	Metropolitan Council	Website	Other		A report to raise awareness of the complex interdependencies of income, race, place, and opportunity and to challenge both Met Council and others to think regionally and act equitably for a better region for all. Report sections include: regional disparities, regional poverty trends, racial trends in the region, place-based dynamics of racial disparities, racially concentrated areas of poverty, opportunity in the region, public policies and investments, metropolitan council's policy response, policy responses from across the region, and next steps.	https://metrocouncil.org/Planning/Projects/Thrive-2040/Choice-Place-and-Opportunity.aspx
The African Americans: Many Rivers to Cross	Henry Louis Gates	2014	PBS	Video	Other		Explore with Professor Henry Louis Gates, Jr., the evolution of the African-American people, as well as the multiplicity of cultural institutions, political strategies, and religious and social perspectives they developed-forging their own history, culture and society against unimaginable odds.	https://www.pbs.org/wnet/african-americans-many-rivers-to-cross/video/
Enough is Enough: a 150 year performance review of the Minneapolis Police Department	MPD 150	2017	MPD 150	Website	Other		Investigation into the conduct of the MPD over 150 years; its cuurrent role and impact on marginalized communities; and exploration into viable alternatives to the policing model.	MPD150 Report
Stony the Road: Reconstruction, White Supremacy, and the Rise of Jim Crow	Henry Louis Gates	2019	Penguin	Book	Other		Bringing a lifetime of wisdom to bear as a scholar, filmmaker, and public intellectual, Gates uncovers the roots of structural racism in our own time, while showing how African Americans after slavery combatted it by articulating a vision of a "New Negro" to force the nation to recognize their humanity and unique contributions to America as it hurtled toward the modern age.	https://sppl.bibliocommons.com/v2/record/S138C2464383
The Great Awokening: A hidden shift is revolutionizing American racial politics — and could transform the future of the Democratic Party	Matthew Yglesias	April 1, 2019	Vox	Website	Other	Parking Lot	Examines the Democratic Party's perceptions of racial-political issues and touches on reparations as a component issue.	https://www.vox.com/2019/3/22/18259865/great-awokening-white-liberals-race-polling-trump-2020
The Relationship Between Structural Racism and Black-White Disparities in Fatal Police Shootings at the State Level	Aldina Mesic B.S., Lydia Franklin, Alev Cansever, Fiona Potter, Anika Sharma, Anita Knopov B.A., Michael Siegel M.D., M.P.H.	April 2018	Journal of the National Medical Association	Website	Other	Health	These findings suggest that structural racism is an important predictor of the Black-White disparity in rates of police shootings of unarmed victims across states. Volume 110, Issue 2, April 2018, Pages 106-116.	https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/abs/pii/S0027968417303206
Controversy follows Minneapolis police union president: Lt. Bob Kroll is outspoken in his criticism of Mpls. officials over the Jamar Clark case.	Libor Jany	December 11, 2015	StarTribune	Website	Other		Lt. Bob Kroll as president of the Police Officers Federation of Minneapolis had numerous discrimination complaints against him.	https://www.startribune.com/controversy-follows-minneapolis-police-union-chief/361517061/?refresh=true
Community Development Research and Place-Based Equity	Metropolitan Council	December 11, 2019	Metropolitan Council	Website	Other		Presentation covers why the Met Council has studies areas of concentrated poverty, how the council is using the data, why they are rethinking studying these areas, and alternatives for thinking about place-based equity.	https://metrocouncil.org/Council-Meetings/Committees/Metropolitan-Council/2019/12-11-19/Info-Item-Community-Development-Research-and-Place.aspx
Complaint and Demand for a Jury Trial	United States District Court of Minnesota Fourth Division	December 2007	MPR News	Website	Other	Other institution	COMPLAINT AND DEMAND FOR A JURY TRIAL filed against the MPD by its black officers	https://minnesota.publicradio.org/features/2007/12/03_williamsb_copslawsuit/compl
Slaveholder Investment in Territorial Minnesota	Christopher P. Lehman	Fall 2017	Minnesota Historical Society	PDF	Other		Article describing the role of slavery in the establishment of Minnesota and its territorial economy.	http://collections.mnhs.org/MNHistoryMagazine/articles/65/v65i07p264-274.pdf
S.103 threatens digital history initiatives around race	Kirsten Delegard and Kevin Ehrman Solberg	February 27, 2017	National Council on Public History	Website	Other		On January 11, 2017, Senators Mike Lee (Utah) and Marco Rubio (Florida) introduced S.103–115th Congress, the "Local Zoning Decisions Protection Act of 2017." The language is blunt: "no Federal funds may be used to design, build, maintain, utilize, or provide access to a Federal database of geospatial information on community racial disparities or disparities in access to affordable housing." A similar bill was also proposed in the House of Representatives.	https://ncph.org/history-at-work/s-103-threatens-digital-history-initiatives-around-race/
Police Shootings Reflect Structural Racism	Michelle Samuels	February 5, 2018	Boston University	Website	Other	Health	Researchers found a strong association between the racial disparity in unarmed fatal police shootings and a range of structural racism indicators, with residential segregation showing the most pronounced association. For every 10 point increase in the state racism index, the researchers saw a 24 percent increase in the ratio of police shootings of unarmed victims. Looking at segregation alone, the researchers found the most dramatic association: for every 10 point increase in the state racial segregation index, there was a 67 percent increase in the state's ratio of police shootings of unarmed Black victims to unarmed White victims.	https://www.bu.edu/sph/news/articles/2018/police-shootings-reflect-structural-racism/
Race and Policing in the Twin Cities	Ianna Oatis, Renee Boney-Jett, and Acoma Gaither	First published: December 18, 2019 Last modified: April 12, 2021	Minnopedia-Minnesota Historical Society	Website	Other		A history of race relations with police in the Twin Cities and how many Minnesotans of color have responded to racial targeting and police brutality by forming community organizations and citizen patrols	https://www.mnopedia.org/race-and-policing-twin-cities
AIM Patrol, Minneapolis	Brianna Wilson	First published: December 28, 2016 Last modified: May 29, 2020	Minnopedia-Minnesota Historical Society	Website	Other		Formed in August of 1968, the American Indian Movement Patrol (AIM Patrol) was a citizens' patrol created in response to police brutality against Native Americans in Minneapolis. Patrollers observed officers' interactions with Native people and offered mediators that community members could call on for help. As of 2016, a similar but separate group operates under the same name.	AIM Patrol, Minneapolis | MNopedia
States with the Most Racial Progress	Adam McCann, Financial Writer	Jan 12, 2021	Wallethub	Website	Other		WalletHub measured the gaps between black people and white people across 21 key indicators of equality and integration in each of the 50 states and the District of Columbia. Overall, Minnesota ranked 47th out of 51.	https://wallethub.com/edu/states-with-the-most-and-least-racial-progress/18428
S.103 - Local Zoning Decisions Protection Act of 2017	Mike Lee	January 11, 2017	US Senate	Website	Other		"no Federal funds may be used to design, build, maintain, utilize, or provide access to a Federal database of geospatial information on community racial disparities or disparities in access to affordable housing."	https://www.congress.gov/bill/115th-congress/senate-bill/103
When flames of racial strife engulfed a Minneapolis street	Laura Yuen	July 19, 2017	MPR News	Website	Other		Explores racial tensions that led to violent demonstrations around the country in the summer of 1967 spread to Minneapolis' north side. Young blacks rebelled against an unjust power structure and set fire to storefronts. Hundreds of National Guard troops were deployed to the area.	https://www.mprnews.org/story/2017/07/19/minneapolis-plymouth-avenue-riots-anniversary

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Is Minneapolis prepared to dismantle — not just acknowledge — structural racism?	Michael J. Lansing, Kirsten Delegard and Kevin Ehrman-Solberg	June 1, 2020	Minnpost	Website	Other		Racial discrimination in policing in Minneapolis.	https://www.minnpost.com/community-voices/2020/06/is-minneapolis-prepared-to-dismantle-not-just-acknowledge-
How do we respond to anti-Black racism in urbanist practices and conversations?		June 10, 2020	Canadian Urban Institute	Website	Other	Other jurisdiction	Panel discussion- 5 key takeaways cover the Black experience, relevant regardless of geography.	https://canurb.org/citytalk-news/how-do-we-respond-to-anti-black-racism-in-
The 'Minnesota Paradox': A State Grapples With Stark Racial Disparities	Jennifer Jeanne Patterson	June 4, 2020,	US News and World Report	Website	Other	Housing	The historical inequities highlighted by George Floyd's death are hardly a secret in Minneapolis, where leaders have long called for change.	https://www.usnews.com/news/national-news/articles/2020-06-04/george-floyds-death-exposes-the-minnesota-
Mapping Police Violence	Samuel Sinyangwe, DeRay McKesson, Johnetta Elzie	Last updated 4/24/21		Website	Other	Health	Interactive map showing incidents of police violence in the United States since 2013	https://mappingpoliceviolence.org/
Amid attention and controversy, Minneapolis police union head has no regrets : Nearing the end of his term, Lt. Bob Kroll is still full of fight.	Libor Jany	November 3, 2019	StarTribune	Website	Other		Controversy over president of the Police Officers Federation of Minneapolis Bob Kroll's support of Donald Trump.	https://www.startribune.com/amid-attention-and-controversy-minneapolis-police-union-head-has-no-
Slavery's Reach: Southern Slaveholders in the North Star State	Christopher P. Lehman	October 1, 2019	Minnesota Historical Society Press	Book	Other		From the 1840s through the end of the Civil War, leading Minnesotans invited slaveholders and their wealth into the free territory and free state of Minnesota, enriching the area's communities and residents. Slaveholders' wealth was invested in some of the state's most significant institutions and provided a financial foundation for several towns and counties, at the same time that money generated by Minnesota investments flowed south supporting some of the South's largest plantations.	https://shop.mnhs.org/products/slaverys-reach
Segregation in 2020: Why Aren't We Moving Forward?	Gregory B. Fairchild	September 2020	University of Virginia Darden School of Business	Website	Other		American levels of segregation are comparable to only one nation in modern history: South Africa under apartheid.	https://ideas.darden.virginia.edu/segregation-in-2020
"Playground of the people"? Mapping Racial Covenants in Twentith-Century Minneapolis	Kirsten Delegard and Kevin Ehrman Solberg	Spring 2017	Open Rivers	Website	Other		Speaks to a growing body of research on the legacy of racism in American green spaces. Seemingly race-neutral parks and green spaces were racialized through interlocking practices such as racial covenants and redlining.	"Playground of the People"? Mapping Racial Covenants in Twentieth-century Minneapolis | Open Rivers Journal (umn.edu)
Callie House: The Pursuit of Reparations as a Means for Social Justice	James Turner	Summer 2006	Journal of African American History 91	Website	Other		Mary Frances Berry's most recent book My Face Is Black Is True is a compelling account of the long history of African Americans' claims for reparations. The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://www.journals.uchicago.edu/doi/abs/10.1086/JAAHv91n3p305?journalCode=jaah
A Calculation of the Black Reparations Bill	Julian Simon and Larry Neal	Winter 1974	Review of Black Political Economy 4	Website	Other		Given the present black rhetoric about" reparations", and given also the successful lawsuits by American Indians concerning tribal lands, it is not unlikely that sometime there will be a suit on behalf of American Blacks to be paid for their ancestors' labor when they were in slavery. While the question is fundamentally a legal one, this note calculates rough estimates of the economic magnitudes that may be involved in the appropriate size of the reparations bill. The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://journals.sagepub.com/doi/abs/10.1007/BF03040655?journalCode=rbpa
Freedom's Pension Bill	Walter Vaughn		H.R. 40, Introduced in House	Website	Other		Walter Vaughn, a Nebraska Democrat, argues that emancipated slaves should be paid a pension from the national government on the model of those paid to veterans from the Civil War. Vaughn believed that such an infusion of money into the South would help restart the economy and encourage recovery after the devastation of the war. The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://archive.org/details/vaughansfreedmen00vaug/page/n9/mode/2up
Minnesota Compass Location Data by City			Minnesota Compass	Website	Other		Interactive data for multiple cities and regions of Minnesota	https://www.mncompass.org/profiles/city/saint-paul
Rondo Neighborhood & I-94: Overview			Minnesota Historical Society	Website	Other		A guide to resources on the Rondo neighborhood.	https://libguides.mnhs.org/rondo
A Case for Reparations at the University of Chicago	Caine Jordan, Guy Emerson Mount, and Kai Parker		The Reparations at Uchicago Working Group	Website	Other	Reparations	Paper examines the history of the University of Chicago and makes the case for reparations. The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://app.box.com/s/bd9w85wam0pzwt0wngapkf66vojn9bwy
Britain's Black Debt: Reparations for Slavery and Native Genocide	Hilary Beckles	2013	University of West Indies Press	Book	Other jurisdiction	Reparations	In this book, Hilary Beckles argues that reparations are owed from Britain to present-day ancestors of slaves in Caribbean plantations. Noting both the spiritual, physical, and social remnants of slavery in contemoprary Caribbean nations, Beckles presuasively argues for the contemporary necessity of reparations. The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://www.worldcat.org/title/britains-black-debt-reparations-for-caribbean-slavery-and-native-genocide/oclc/811410943
Outside The Home	Governor's Interracial Commission of Minnesota	1947	State of Minnesota	PDF	Other jurisdictio	Parking Lot	Explaining that while intergration law doesn't apply at home, it does apply outside the home.	Physical copy available in Saint Paul Collection
The Tactful Speaker	Governor's Interracial Commission of Minnesota	1947	State of Minnesota	PDF	Other jurisdictio	Parking Lot	Explains how a person should be carefully when speaking publically so as not to offend others	Physical copy available in Saint Paul Collection
The Cost of Segregation National Trends and the Case of Chicago, 1990–2010	Gregory Acs, Rolf Pendall, Mark Treskon, Amy Khare	March 2017	Urban Institute	Website	Other jurisdiction		The article explores whether regional economic and racial segregation have negative effects not only on people with lower incomes or racial and ethnic minorities, but on all residents and the region as a whole. Our strongest and most consistent finding is that higher levels of economic segregation are associated with lower incomes, particularly for black residents. Higher levels of racial segregation are associated with lower incomes for blacks, lower educational attainment for whites and blacks, and lower levels of safety for all area residents.	https://www.urban.org/sites/default/files/publication/89201/the_cost_of_segregation_final.pdf
Crusaders for Justice: A Chronicle of Protest by Agitators, Advocates and Activists in their Struggle for Civil and Human Rights in St. Paul, Minnesota 1802-1985	Arthur C. McWatt	2009	Papyrus Publishing Inc.	Book	Parking Lot	Other	A book on the people who fought for civil and human rights in St. Paul.	Available for check out at Saint Paul Public Libraries; also a copy in the Saint Paul Collection
A Good Time for the Truth: Race in Minnesota	Sun Yung Shin (editor)	2016	Minnesota Historical Society Press	Book	Parking Lot	Other	Sixteen of Minnesotas best writers provide a range of perspectives on what it is like to live as a person of color in one of the whitest states in the nation.	Hard copy and digital copies available via the library. Available for purchase: https://shop.mnhs.org/products/good-
Voices of Rondo: Oral Histories of Saint Paul's Historic Black Community	Rondo Oral History Project and Kate Cavett	2017	University of Minnesota Press	Book	Parking Lot	Other	A collection of oral histories by African Americans who lived in Saint Paul, specifically in the Rondo Neighborhood. This book details the black experience in Saint Paul, the community that was built, and the struggles that they faced. There is a 2005 edition and a 2017 edition available at the library.	https://sppl.bibliocommons.com/v2/record/S138C2337260

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The Problem of the Past: How Historic Wrongs Became Legal Problems	Mayo Moran	Fall 2019	University of Toronto Law Journal	PDF	Parking Lot	Reparations	Moran, Mayo. "The Problem of the Past: How Historic Wrongs Became Legal Problems." University of Toronto Law Journal, vol. 69, no. 4, Fall 2019, pp. 421–472. Compensation for historic wrongs was once legally unthinkable. Now such claims are increasingly commonplace and count among law's most difficult cases. This article tells the story of how historic wrongs became legal problems and seeks to provide the foundations for a more robust understanding of redress.	**Peer reviewed journal article (SPPL Library Card required).** https://search-ebscohost-com.content.elibrarymn.org/login.aspx?direct=true&db=keh&AN=138934249&site=ehost-live
Why we must confront the painful parts of US History	Hasan Kwame Jeffries	February 2020	Ted Talk	Video	Parking Lot		Hasan Kwame Jeffries emphasizes the need to weave historical context, no matter how painful, into our understanding of modern society -- so we can disrupt the continuum of inequality massively affecting marginalized communities. Transcript and video available via link.	https://www.ted.com/talks/hasan_kwame_jeffries_why_we_must_confront_the_painful_parts_of_us_history/transcript
Africa Versus the West on Reparations	Ademola Kazeem Fayemi and Olusegun Steven Samuel	July 2014	Peace Review	PDF	Parking Lot	Reparations	Fayemi, Ademola Kazeem, and Olusegun Steven Samuel. "Africa Versus the West on Reparation." Peace Review, vol. 26, no. 3, July 2014, pp. 380–387. The article evaluates the issue of Africans' demands for reparation from Western countries which depends entirely on the moral, cultural, metaphysical and psychological experiences of the victims of slavery	**Peer reviewed journal article (SPPL library card required).** https://search-ebscohost-com.content.elibrarymn.org/login.aspx?direct=true&db=keh&AN=97655748&site=ehost-live
The Impact of Fiscal Disparity on Metropolitan Municipalities and School Districts	Metropolitan Council	March 1971	Metropolitan Council	Book	Parking Lot	Economic Prosperity	A breakdown of the fiscal disparities in the Twin Cities and recommendations on what to do about these disparities.	Physical copy available in Saint Paul Collection
IRS Receives Thousands of Claims for Slavery Reparations		October 1996	Journal of Accountancy	PDF	Parking Lot	Reparations	"IRS Receives Thousands of Claims for Slavery Reparations." Journal of Accountancy, vol. 182, no. 4, Oct. 1996, p. 34. The article reports that the U.S. Internal Revenue Service has received and denied thousands of claims for slavery reparations filed under the form Form 2430, entitled 'Notice to Shareholders of Undistributed Long-term Capital Gains.'	**Peer reviewed journal article (SPPL Library Card required).** https://search-ebscohost-com.content.elibrarymn.org/login.aspx?direct=true&db=keh&AN=9610123057&site=ehost-live
Giving the Dead their Due	Michael Ridge	October 2003	Ethics	PDF	Parking Lot	Reparations	Ridge, Michael. "Giving the Dead Their Due." Ethics, vol. 114, no. 1, Oct. 2003, pp. 38–59. Discusses the idea of duties of reparation to the dead. Grant awarded by the U.S. Supreme Court to several Sioux tribes in 1980; Problems for traditional accounts; Kinds of reparative duties; Grounds for a statute of limitations on reparative claims; Implications of the account for the case of slavery in the U.S.	**Peer reviewed journal article (SPPL Library Card required).** https://search-ebscohost-com.content.elibrarymn.org/login.aspx?direct=true&db=keh&AN=12984990&site=ehost-live
The Growth of Minority Business in the Twin Cities Metropolitan Area 1969-1975	Earl P. Scott	September 1976	Center for Urban and Regional Affairs	Book	Parking Lot	Wealth Creation	Information and statistics on minority businesses in the Twin Cities.	Physical copy available in Saint Paul Collection
The Multijurisdictional Disparity Study of Minority/Women Business Enterprises	BBC Research and Consulting	September 1995	(Prepared for) Ramsey County Affirmative Action Division	Book	Parking Lot	Wealth Creation	A report on the disparities seen in businesses owned by minorities and women in the Twin Cities.	Physical copy available in Saint Paul Collection
Black Cloud: The Struggles of Saint Cloud's African American Community, 1880-1920	Christopher P. Lehman	Summer 2019	Minnesota History Magazine	PDF	Parking Lot	Other	A small community of refugees from the Jim Crow South found their way to St. Cloud by 1910. In the aftermath of the 1917 expulsion of James Boozer, an African American man who had engaged in an interracial relationship with a white St. Cloud woman, the fragile community dispersed, not to be revived for decades.	http://collections.mnhs.org/MNHistoryMagazine/articles/66/v66i06p234-243.pdf
The HistoryMakers				Website	Parking Lot	Other	The Nation's largest African American video oral history collection. Includes prominent community members in the Twin Cities talking about their experiences.	**Library card needed to access database. Will only have database for a year (end date TBD).** https://connect.liblynx.com/wayf/2e7825e
The Ten-Point Program	Black Panther Party	1966		Website	Reparations		Issued in October 1966, this ten point program lays out a broad vision for black reparations that engages with systemic and institutional racism in the United States. The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://www.marxists.org/history/usa/workers/black-panthers/1966/10/15.htm
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Black Manifesto: Religion, Racism and Reparations	Robert S Lecky	1969	Sheed and Ward	Book	Reparations		The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://www.worldcat.org/title/black-manifesto-religion-racism-and-reparations/oclc/45379
Black Manifesto	James Forman	1969	The Black Economic Development Conference	Website	Reparations		The Black Manifesto, the first major call for black reparations in the twentieth century, issued by the BEDC, April 26, 1969. The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://episcopalarchives.org/church-awakens/exhibits/show/specialgc/item/202
The Case for Black Reparations	Boris Bittker	1972	Beacon Press (Boston)	Book	Reparations		This classic legal study argues that the history of slavery and segregation in the United States justifies claims for black reparations. Bittker examines the development of laws designed to address group injustice and finds that they provide a model through which nation-wide reparations could be considered. The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://books.google.com/books?id=omtBJfQxB_wC&lpg=PP1&pg=PP1#v=onepage&q&f=false
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Paying the Social Debt: What White America Owes Black America	Richard F. America	1993	Westport: Praeger	Book	Reparations		In this book, Richard America argues that White America owes a debt to Black America and attempts to calculate it economically. He then shows how this debt arose and suggests ways in which it could be repaid. The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://books.google.com/books?id=soQh03TWh0UC&printsec=frontcover&source=gbs_ge_summary_r&cad=0#v=onepage&q&f=false
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Reparations Yes!: The Legal and Political Reasons Why New Afrikans, Black People in the United States, Should Be Paid Now for the Enslavement of Our Ancestors and for War Against Us After Slavery.	Chokwe Lumumba, Imari Abubakari Obadele, Nkechi Taifa	1995	House of Songhay, Commission and the Malcolm Generation, Inc	Book	Reparations		The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://www.worldcat.org/title/reparations-yes-the-legal-and-political-reasons-why-new-afrikans-black-people-in-the-united-states-should-be-paid-now-for-the-enslavement-of-our-ancestors-and-for-war-

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Many Billions Gone: Is It Time to Reconsider the Case for Black Reparations?	Robert Westley	1998	Boston College Third World Law Journal 19.1	Website	Reparations		In this article, Robert Westley revisits legal debates over reparations and argues that reparations should be endorsed as a program of social justice that avoids some of the pitfalls of affirmative action. The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://lawdigitalcommons.bc.edu/cgi/viewcontent.cgi?referer=https://www.google.com/&httpsredir=1&article=1189&context=twlj
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The Burden of Memory, The Muse of Forgiveness	Wole Soyinka	2000	Oxford University Press	Book	Reparations		In this book, Wole Soyinka asks whether reparations is possible–whether there can be any form of apology, redress, or reconciliation for centuries of colonial and imperial violence. Ultimately, Soyinka turns to art and culture as one possible source of reconciliation. The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://books.google.com/books?id=hNAJCAAAQBAJ&lpg=PP1&dq=The%20Burden%20of%20Memory%2C%20The%20Muse%20of%20Forgiveness.&pg=PP1#v=onepage&q&f=false
Slavery, Racist Violence, American Apartheid: The Case for Reparations.	Sundiata Keita Cha-Jua	2001	New Politics - Vol. 8	Website	Reparations		he movement's surging growth has predictably provoked renewed opposition. Recently critiques of the escalating reparations movement have come from two very different sources: Adolph L. Reed, Jr., a justly-respected African American radical, and David Horowitz, an unrespected neoconservative ideologue. This paper has three interconnected objectives: (1) to explicate Reed's and Horowitz's arguments; (2) to contextualize their arguments; and (3) to suggest an alternative reading of the reparations movement. The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://archive.newpol.org/issue31/chajua31.htm
Uncivil Wars: The Controversy Over Reparations for Slavery	David Horowitz	2002	Encounter Books	Book	Reparations		David Horowitz analyzes the case for reparation for slavery and concludes that it is 'morally questionable and racially incendiary,' he points out that only a tiny minority of Americans every own slaves and that most Americans living today (white and otherwise) have no lineal connection to slavery at all. He notes that the GNP of the African-American community makes it the tenth most prosperous 'nation' in the world. The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://www.worldcat.org/title/uncivil-wars-the-controversy-over-reparations-for-slavery/oclc/47849447
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Reparations for Slavery: A Reader	Ronald Paul Saltzberger & Mary C. Turck	2004	Rowman & Littlefield Publishers	E-Book	Reparations	Other	Saltzberger and Turck's text is an excellent primer to the topic of reparations, combining primary documents detailing demands for reparations with critical and theoretical essays that contextualize the history and controversy surrounding this issue. The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services	https://books.google.com/books?id=rKkYifcUSVYC&printsec=frontcover&source=gbs_ge_summary_r&cad=0#v=onepage&q&f=false
Getting to Reparations: Japanese American and African Americans	Rhoda E. Howard-Hassmann	2004	Social Forces 83.2	Website	Reparations		In this article, Rhoda Howard-Hassman asks why the Japanese American reparations movement succeeded while the African American reparations movement has not. Howard-Hassman catalogues several problems standing in the way of a successful claim that did not face Japanese Americans after internment. The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://academic.oup.com/sf/article-abstract/83/2/823/2234773
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Restorative Justice and Reparations	Margaret Urban Walker	2006	Journal of Social Philosophy 37.3	Website	Reparations		In this article, Margaret Walker argues for an approach to reparations that emphasizes restorative, rather than compensatory justice. The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://epublications.marquette.edu/cgi/viewcontent.cgi?article=1161&context=philfac
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The Handbook of Reparations	Pablo De Greiff	2006	Oxford University Press	Book	Reparations		This book is a study of reparations proposals from an international perspective, cataloguing and analyzing the successes and limitations of these programs. The final part of the book contains an extensive archive of primary sources on reparations, including legislation and government reports. The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://books.google.com/books?id=HwsUDAAAQBAJ&lpg=PP1&dq=The%20Handbook%20of%20Reparations&pg=PP1#v=onepage&q&f=false
Redress for Historical Injustices in the United States: On Reparations for Slavery, Jim Crow, and Their Legacies.	Michael Martin & Marilyn Yaquinto eds.	2007	Durham: Duke University Press	E-Book	Reparations	Other	This collection brings together primary and secondary texts on black reparations in the United States. Taking an interdisciplinary perspective, the essays cover the historical and legal justifications for reparations from a national and international perspective. The primary sources include legislative acts and resolutions, proposals from activist groups like the NAACP and Black Panthers, and government reports from commissions studying violence against African Americans. The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services	https://books.google.com/books?id=rjmJv389P_sC&lpg=PP1&pg=PP1#v=onepage&q&f=false
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Long Overdue: The Politics of Racial Reparations	Charles P. Henry	2009	NYU Press	Book	Reparations		In this book, Charles P. Henry recounts the history over the fight for reparations in the United States from 40 acres and mule, to the reparations lawsuits in Florida and Oklahoma, and finally to considering the influence of global reparations movements. The book concludes by considering the aftermath of Hurricane Katrina and the continued legacy of racism and segregation today. The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://books.google.com/books?id=oicgS83HXuMC&lpg=PP1&pg=PP1#v=onepage&q&f=false
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Heirs of Oppression: Racism and Reparations.	Angelo J. Corlett	2010	Rowman & Littlefield Publishers	E-Book	Reparations		"Heirs of Oppression comprises a philosophical analysis of particular features of some of the most severe forms of oppression (genocide, slavery, and massive and violent land left, for example) and the ethical problems that they pose for both its offenders (on the one hand) and vitims (on the other)." The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://books.google.com/books?id=DTQX4CNYoZsC&printsec=frontcover&source=gbs_ge_summary_r&cad=0#v=onepage&q&f=false

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Can Reparations Save American Politics	Guy Mount Emerson	2017	Black Perspectives	Website	Reparations		In this blog, Mount states that "the problem with our current discourse on reparations is not that it is too bold but, rather, that it is not bold enough." He argues that reparations can be a fundamentally new, "existensional way of being." In short, reparations can (and should) do much more than redistribute material resources, it can improve politics itself. Instead of dividing us, it can unite us. The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://www.aaihs.org/can-reparations-save-american-politics/
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Marxism, Reparations, and the Black Freedom Struggle	Monica Moorehead	2017	World View Forum	E-Book	Reparations		In this collection of essays, reparations is framed as a part of the struggle for black liberation. Monica Moorehead puts together a remarkable study of reparations as a part of the struggle for black liberation. The collection begins by discussing the material basis for reparations and the history of racial oppression in the United States before broadening to consider black reparations from an international and intersectional approach that considers the position of women and working people in this struggle. The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://www.workers.org/reparations/reparations-marxism_bk.pdf
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Ten Reasons Why Reparations for Blacks is a Bad Idea for Blacks - and Racists Too	David Horowitz	3-Jan-01		Website	Reparations		David Horowitz's list appeared as a full-page padi advertisement in several college newspapers around the country in 2001. The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://wmpeople.wm.edu/asset/index/cvance/reparations
Core Elements of Reparations	Public International Law & Policy Group	Jun-13	Public International Law & Policy Group	Website	Reparations		The purpose of this memorandum is to outline the international legal framework concerning reparations for victims of atrocity crimes and to discuss models for and implementation of reparation and compensation mechanism	https://syriaaccountability.org/wp-content/uploads/PILPG-Reparations-Memo-2013_EN.pdf
How to Win Reparations	Yana Kunichoff and Sarah Macaraeg	1-Jun-17	Belt Magazine	Website	Reparations		Article on reparations in Chicago for racist police violence. The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://beltmag.com/how-to-win-reparations/
The Debt: What America Owes to Blacks	Randall Robinson	2001	Penguin	Book	Reparations	Reparations	Both an unflinching indictment of past wrongs and an impassioned call to America to educate its citizens about the history of Africa and its people, The Debt says in no uncertain terms what white America owes blacks—and what blacks owe themselves.	https://sppl.bibliocommons.com/v2/record/S138C1449441
Should America Pay? Slavery and the Raging Debate over Reparations	Raymond A. Winbush (editor)	2003	Amistad	Book	Reparations	Reparations	Reparations for Slavery: A Reader is a collection of essays on the topic of reparations for slavery in the United States. Unlike many other readers on such topics, this book includes a substantial number of essays designed to provide the entire discussion with an historical context by giving the reader a vivid sense of the injuries inflicted by slavery, its aftermath, and the continuing history of state-supported discrimination.	https://sppl.bibliocommons.com/v2/record/S138C1552616
Tragedy and Remedy: Reparations for Disparities in Black Health	Kevin Outterson	2005	DePaul Journal of Health Care Law	PDF	Reparations	Health	A history of the disparities in health care for Black Americans and how it ties in to the reparations movement.	https://scholarship.law.bu.edu/cgi/viewcontent.cgi?article=1399&context=faculty_scholarship
Multiracialism and Reparations: The Intersection of the Multiracial Category and Reparations Movements	Angelique M. Davis	2006	Thomas Jefferson Law Review	PDF	Reparations		An essay on the Multiracial Category Movement (MCM) and how it could effect the Reparations Movement.	https://scholar.google.com/citations?view_o
The Debate Over African American Reparations	John Torpey, Maxine Burkett	2010	Annual Review of Law and Social Science	PDF	Reparations		An overview of the reparations debate, giving insight on why there is such a dissensus on the topic and how to potentially achieve consensus.	https://www.annualreviews.org/doi/abs/10.1146/annurev-lawsocsci-102209-152901?journalCode=lawsocsci

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Historic and Modern Social Movements for Reparations: The National Coalition of Blacks for Reparations in America (N'COBRA) and its Antecedents	Adjoa A. Aiyetoro, Adrienne D. Davis	2010	Texas Wesleyan Law Review	PDF	Reparations		A history of reparations activism and how it has changed over the years. Includes a history of the National Coalition of Blacks for Reparations in America (N'COBRA), which works to revitalize the reparations movement.	https://openscholarship.wustl.edu/cgi/view
Let's talk About Reparations	Nkechi Taifa	2019	Columbia Journal of Race and Law	PDF	Reparations		A transcribed speech of a presentation by Taifa on the history of the reparations movenent.	https://academiccommons.columbia.edu/d
Reparations Now Tool Kit	Andrea Ritchie, Deirdre Smith, Janetta Johnson, Jumoke Ifetayo, Marbre Stahly-Butts, Mariame Kaba, Montague Simmons, Nkechi Taifa, Rachel Herzing, Richard Wallace, and Taliba Obuya	2019	Moement for Black Lives (M4BL)	PDF	Reparations		Explores the history of struggles for reparations for Black people, laying out key facts, concepts, and international human rights law underlying reparations demands, and provides case studies of struggles for reparations at the institutional, local, state, and international levels. Toolkit provided foundational definition of reparations, advances reparations argument.	https://m4bl.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/05/Reparations-Now-Toolkit-FINAL.pdf
Atonement and Forgiveness: A New Model for Black Reparations	Roy L. Brooks	2019	University of California Press	Book	Reparations		Offering a comprehensive discussion of the history of the black redress movement, this book puts forward a powerful new plan for repairing the damaged relationship between the federal government and black Americans in the aftermath of 240 years of slavery and another 100 years of government-sanctioned racial segregation.	Available through Interlibrary Loan. https://mnlink.on.worldcat.org/v2/search/detail/1107881775?queryString=Atonement%20and%20Forgiveness%3A%20A%20New%20Model%20for%20Black%20Reparations&clusterResults=true&groupVariantRecords=false
The History of Reparations	Daniele Bainbridge	2020	PBS Digital Studios; Origin of Everything	Video	Reparations		An overview of the history of reparations, including cases of reparations from around the world and the arguments for and against reparations.	https://www.youtube.com/watch?app=desktop&v=98u7NNBWsMU
From Here to Equality: Reparations for Black Americans in the 21st Century	William Darity Jr. and A. Kirsten Mullen	2020	University of North Carolina Press	Book	Reparations		A book detailing the economic impact of descendents of slavery. Includes a plan for a reparations program.	**NPR Interview**: https://www.npr.org/2020/06/17/879041052/william-darity-jr-discusses-reparations-
Reparations for Slavery and other Historical Injustices	Eric A. Posner and Adrian Vermeule	April 2003	Columbia Law Review	PDF	Reparations	Reparations	Posner, Eric A., and Adrian Vermeule. "Reparations for Slavery and Other Historical Injustices." Columbia Law Review, vol. 103, no. 3, Apr. 2003, p. 689-747. This paper analyzes the various design options for reparations programs, their legal and constitutional bases, and their relationship to the standard moral and political arguments about reparations.	**Peer reviewed journal article (SPPL Library Card required).** https://search-ebscohost-com.content.elibrarymn.org/login.aspx?direct=true&db=keh&AN=9670609&site=ehost-live
Juneteenth, Black Texans and the Case for Reparations	Judson L. Jeffries	April 2004	Negro Educational Review	PDF	Reparations	Reparations	Jeffries, Judson L. "Juneteenth, Black Texans and the Case for Reparations." Negro Educational Review, vol. 55, no. 2–3, Apr. 2004, pp. 107–115. Provides information pertaining to the Juneteenth, a day to commemorate the official ending of American slavery. History; Events leading up to the proclamation; Black reparations in the late 1960s; Reasons for delayed freedom; Reasons why some oppose reparations; Explanation why descendants of the enslaved are entitled to reparations.	**Peer reviewed journal article (SPPL Library Card required).** https://search-ebscohost-com.content.elibrarymn.org/login.aspx?direct=true&db=keh&AN=13907356&site=ehost-live
Why we need reparations for Black Americans	Rashawn Ray and Andre Perry	April 2020	Brookings	Website	Reparations	Wealth Creation	Policy brief that examines American history of exploiting Black labor and impact of policies which created intergenerational wealth gaps between Black and White Amercians. Lays out ideas for means of providing reparations.	https://www.brookings.edu/wp-content/uploads/2020/04/BigIdeas_Ray_Perry_Reparations-1.pdf
Do Black Lives Matter? A Psychoanalytic Exploration of Racism and American Resistance to Reparations	Jeffrey Prager	August 2017	Political Psychology	PDF	Reparations		This article assesses current debates on reparations for African Americans, applying psychoanalytic ideas to account for American resistance to engage in a process of reconciliation.	**Periodical Article (SPPL Library Card required).** https://web-a-ebscohost-com.content.elibrarymn.org/ehost/detail/detail?vid=0&sid=61af4a92-de84-45c6-ad44-
Debating the Wages of Slavery	Vern E Smith, et.al.	August, 2001	Newsweek	PDF	Reparations	Reparations	Smith, Vern E., et al. "Debating the Wages of Slavery." Newsweek, vol. 138, no. 9, Aug. 2001, p. 20. Discusses the idea of paying African-Americans reparations from the United States government and corporations for legal and moral wrongs committed under the institution of slavery.	**Periodical Article (SPPL library card required)** https://search-ebscohost-com.content.elibrarymn.org/login.aspx?direct=true&db=keh&AN=5032080&site=ehost-live
Legacy of the Trans-Atlantic Slave Trade	The Subcommittee on the Constitution, Civil Rights, and Civil Liberties of the Committee on the Judiciary	December 18th, 2007	United States Government	PDF	Reparations	Reparations	Government hearings on the possibility of establishing a commission to study reparations	http://www.jpanafrican.org/docs/vol9no5/9.5-14-newLegacy-House%20Hearing.pdf
Sartre, Fanon, and the Case for Slavery Reparations	Chris Buck	December 2004	Sartre Studies International	PDF	Reparations	Reparations	Buck, Chris. "Sartre, Fanon, and the Case for Slavery Reparations." Sartre Studies International, vol. 10, no. 2, Dec. 2004, pp. 123–138. Uses the lens of the political philosophies of Sarte and Fanon to examine the case for reparations.	**Peer reviewed journal article (SPPL Library Card required).** https://search-ebscohost-com.content.elibrarymn.org/login.aspx?direct=true&db=keh&AN=15796554&site=eho
Towards a Shared Redress: Achieving Historical Justice Through Democratic Deliberation	Sara Amighetti and Alasia Nuti	December 2015	Journal of Political Philosophy	PDF	Reparations	Reparations	Amighetti, Sara, and Alasia Nuti. "Towards a Shared Redress: Achieving Historical Justice Through Democratic Deliberation." Journal of Political Philosophy, vol. 23, no. 4, Dec. 2015, pp. 385–405. Offers a "Principle of Shared Redress" as a new lens through which to examine and calculate reparations.	**Peer reviewed journal article (SPPL Library Card required).** https://search-ebscohost-com.content.elibrarymn.org/login.aspx?direct=true&db=keh&AN=110525562&site=ehost-live
Why the Comparity Utility Argument is a Red Herring	Peter A. Sutton	December 2017	Journal of Social Philosophy	PDF	Reparations	Reparations	Sutton, Peter A. "Why the Comparative Utility Argument Is a Red Herring." Journal of Social Philosophy, vol. 48, no. 4, Dec. 2017, pp. 499–506. The article discusses slavery in the U.S. and the objection to American slave reparations. It focuses on the comparative utility argument and its defending by Booker T. Washington and David Horowitz. It further discusses the comparative utility argument that states that the descendants of slaves were actually helped by slavery suffered by their ancestors.	**Peer reviewed journal article (SPPL Library Card required).** https://search-ebscohost-com.content.elibrarymn.org/login.aspx?direct=true&db=keh&AN=126599150&site=ehost-live
Atonement and Redemption	Jamal Eric Watson	December, 2015	Diverse: Issues in Higher Education	PDF	Reparations	Reparations	Watson, Jamal Eric. "Atonement and Redemption." Diverse: Issues in Higher Education, vol. 32, no. 22, Dec. 2015, pp. 18–19. The article reports on the campaign to provide reparations to the descendants of African slaves.	**Periodical Article (SPPL library card required).** https://search-ebscohost-com.content.elibrarymn.org/login.aspx?direct=true&db=keh&AN=111438732&site=ehost-live
The Rise of the Reparations Movement	Martha Biondi	Fall 2003	Radical History Review	PDF	Reparations	Reparations	Biondi, Martha. "The Rise of the Reparations Movement." Radical History Review, no. 87, Fall 2003, pp. 5–18 Traces the recent legal history of the reparations movement.	**Peer reviewed journal article (SPPL Library Card required).** https://search-ebscohost-com.content.elibrarymn.org/login.aspx?dir
Reparations 4.0: Trading in Older Models for a New Vehicle	Valorie E. Douglas	Fall 2020	Arizona Law Review	PDF	Reparations		An examination of past efforts of reparations, why reparations are needed, and how they could become a vehicle for change.	https://arizonalawreview.org/pdf/62-3/62arizlrev839.pdf
Reparations Roundtable	Barrett Holmes Pitner (moderator), Anna Myriam Roccatello, Nkechi Taifa, Keeshea Turner Roberts (panelists)	February 9, 2021	American Bar Association	Video	Reparations		A panel discussing various aspects of reparations, including the US history of efforts to face, make amends and direct redress for chattel slavery and a current-day example of a municipality or institution undertaking a reparations program.	https://www.americanbar.org/groups/crsj/events_cle/recent/reparations-roundtable/
Slavery: The Case for Reparations	Kwesi Quartney	February, 2008	New African	PDF	Reparations	Reparations	Quartey, Kwesi. "Slavery The Case for Reparations (2)." New African, no. 470, Feb. 2008, pp. 48–53. The article focuses on the concept behind setting the legal basis for slavery reparations.	**Periodical Article (SPPL Library Card required).** https://search-ebscohost-com.content.elibrarymn.org/login.aspx?direct=true&db=keh&AN=29418728&site=eho

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Sweep Around Your Own Front Door: Examining the Argument for Legislative African American Reparations	Tuneen E. Chisolm	January 1999	University of Pennsylvania Law Review	PDF	Reparations	Reparations	Chisolm, Tuneen E. "Sweep around Your Own Front Door: Examining the Argument for Legislative African American Reparations." University of Pennsylvania Law Review, vol. 147, no. 3, Jan. 1999, p. 677. Makes the point that discrimination continued after abolition and that in calculating reparations that later discrimination should be considered	**Peer reviewed journal article (SPPL Library Card required).** https://search-ebscohost-com.content.elibrarymn.org/login.aspx?direct=true&db=keh&AN=1693860&site=ehost-live
A Lockean Argument for Black Reparations	Bernard R. Boxill	January 2003	Journal of Ethics	PDF	Reparations	Reparations	Boxill, Bernard R. "A Lockean Argument for Black Reparations." Journal of Ethics, vol. 7, no. 1, Jan. 2003, pp. 63–91. This is a defense of black reparations using the theory of reparations set out in John Locke's The Second Treatise of Government.	**Peer reviewed journal article (SPPL library card required for access).** https://search-ebscohost-com.content.elibrarymn.org/login.aspx?direct=true&db=keh&AN=17039571&site=ehost-live
Achieving Democratic Equality: Forgiveness, Reconciliation, and Reparations	Howard McGary	January 2003	Journal of Ethics	PDF	Reparations	Reparations	McGary, Howard. "Achieving Democratic Equality: Forgiveness, Reconciliation, and Reparations." Journal of Ethics, vol. 7, no. 1, Jan. 2003, pp. 93–113. This paper provides an account of reparations in general and then presents briefly one explanation of why many present day African Americans believe they are entitled to reparations from the U.S. Government.	**Peer reviewed journal article (SPPL library card required).** https://search-ebscohost-com.content.elibrarymn.org/login.aspx?direct=true&db=keh&AN=17039570&site=ehost-live
Reparations and the Rectification of Race	Naomi Zack	January 2003	Journal of Ethics	PDF	Reparations	Reparations	Zack, NaomiZack. "Reparations and the Rectification of Race." Journal of Ethics, vol. 7, no. 1, Jan. 2003, pp. 139–151. The rectification of slavery includes restoring full humanity to our ideas of the slaves and their descendants and it requires disabuse of the false biological idea of race.	**Peer reviewed journal article (SPPL Library Card required).** https://search-ebscohost-com.content.elibrarymn.org/login.aspx?direct=true&db=keh&AN=17039568&site=ehost-live
On Reparations to Blacks for Slavery	Walter Block	July 2002	Human Rights Review	PDF	Reparations	Reparations	Block, Walter. "On Reparations to Blacks for Slavery." Human Rights Review, vol. 3, no. 4, July 2002, p. 53. Another point by point refutation of David Horowitz's article "Ten Reasons."	**Peer reviewed journal article (SPPL Library Card required).** https://search-ebscohost-com.content.elibrarymn.org/login.aspx?dir
What's so Bad about Slavery? Assessing the Grounds for Reparations	Stephen Winter	July 2007	Patterns of Prejudice	PDF	Reparations	Reparations	Winter, Stephen. "What's so Bad about Slavery? Assessing the Grounds for Reparations." Patterns of Prejudice, vol. 41, no. 3/4, July 2007, pp. 373–393. Assessing historical injury in terms of reparative potential, Winter looks at some of the difficulties facing a reparative claim for slavery in the United States.	**Peer reviewed journal article (SPPL Library Card required).** https://search-ebscohost-com.content.elibrarymn.org/login.aspx?direct=true&db=keh&AN=25507433&site=ehost-live
Ten Reasons: A Response to David Horowitz	Ernest Allen Jr., and Robert Chrisman	June 2001	Black Scholar	PDF	Reparations	Reparations	Allen Jr., Ernest, and Robert Chrisman. "Ten Reasons: A Response to David Horowitz." Black Scholar, vol. 31, no. 2, June 2001, p. 49. A point by point refutation of David Horowitz's article "Ten Reasons."	**Peer reviewed journal article (SPPL Library Card required).** https://search-ebscohost-com.content.elibrarymn.org/login.aspx?direct=true&db=keh&AN=5230584&site=ehos
A New War over Slavery	Margot Rose	June 2003	TIME Magazine	PDF	Reparations	Reparations	Roosevelt, Margot. "A New War over Slavery." TIME Magazine, vol. 161, no. 23, June 2003, p. 20. Discusses the campaign by African Americans for slavery reparations	**Peer reviewed journal article (SPPL library card required for access).** https://search-ebscohost-com.content.elibrarymn.org/login.aspx?dir
The Case for Reparations	Ta-Nehisi Coates	June 2014	The Atlantic	Website	Reparations	Wealth Creation	Critically acclaimed article which focuses on redlining and housing discrimination through the eyes of people who have experienced it and the devastating effects it has had on the African-American community. Credited with being an inflection point in the national conversation on reparations.	https://www.theatlantic.com/magazine/archive/2014/06/the-case-for-reparations/361631/
Estimating Slavery Reparations: Present Value Comparisons of Historical Multigenerational Reparations Policies	Thomas Craemer	June 2015	Social Science Quarterly	PDF	Reparations	Reparations	Craemer T. Estimating Slavery Reparations: Present Value Comparisons of Historical Multigenerational Reparations Policies. Social Science Quarterly (Wiley-Blackwell). 2015;96(2):639-655. Attempts to estimate the current market valuation of reparations.	**Peer reviewed journal article (SPPL Library Card required).** https://search-ebscohost-com.content.elibrarymn.org/login.aspx?direct=true&db=keh&AN=102749171&site=ehost-live
Reparations –Has the Time Finally Come?	Nkechi Taifa	June 2019	American Civil Liberties Union	Website	Reparations		Summary of reparations movement in the U.S.	https://www.aclusocal.org/en/news/reparations-has-time-finally-come
Designing Slavery Reparations	A. Mechele Dickerson	June 2020	Texas Law Review	PDF	Reparations	Reparations	Dickerson, A.Mechele. "Designing Slavery Reparations: Lessons from Complex Litigation." *Texas Law Review* , vol. 98, no. 7, June 2020, pp. 1255–1282	**Peer reviewed journal article (SPPL library card required).** https://search-ebscohost-com.content.elibrarymn.org/login.aspx?direct=true&db=keh&AN=78174504&site=eho
A Blueprint for Reparations in the US	William Darity	June 30, 2020	TedTalk	Video	Reparations		An explanation on how reparations for descendants of enslaved people would work -- and why it's necessary that the US engage in this act of compensation and redemption to make progress towards true equality.	https://www.ted.com/talks/william_sandy_darity_a_blueprint_for_reparations_in_the_us?utm_campaign=tedspread&utm_medium=referral&utm_source=tedcomshare
The Economic Case for Reparations to Black America	Robert S. Browne	May 1972	American Economic Review	PDF	Reparations	Reparations	Browne, Robert S. "The Economic Case for Reparations to Black America." American Economic Review, vol. 62, no. 2, May 1972, p. 39. Examines some of the economic questions raised by the subject of reparations	**Peer reviewed journal article (SPPL Library Card required).** https://search-ebscohost-com.content.elibrarymn.org/login.aspx?direct=true&db=keh&AN=17039571&site=eho
Framing Reparations	Thomas Craemer	May 2009	Policy Studies Journal	PDF	Reparations	Reparations	Craemer, Thomas. "Framing Reparations." Policy Studies Journal, vol. 37, no. 2, May 2009, pp. 275–298. Discusses how to measure public opinion regarding reparations.	**Peer reviewed journal article (SPPL Library Card required).** https://search-ebscohost-com.content.elibrarymn.org/login.aspx?dir
Should the Federal Government Pay Reparations for Slavery?	George Schedler	October 2003	Social Theory and Practice	PDF	Reparations	Reparations	Schedler, George. "Should the Federal Government Pay Reparations for Slavery?" Social Theory & Practice, vol. 29, no. 4, Oct. 2003, pp. 567–588. The author reflects on the contention that the government is liable to pay reparations for slavery. He asserts on certain basis that the government cannot be held obligated to pay injuries of slavery for it did not cause the damage and it does not owe compensation. Moreover, his reasons is based from the causal principle to slavery are posted. Furthermore, he emphasizes that if the government is proven involved in slavery, the obligation is just a fraction of the total damage.	**Peer reviewed journal article (SPPL Library Card required).** https://search-ebscohost-com.content.elibrarymn.org/login.aspx?direct=true&db=keh&AN=11803339&site=ehost-live
Reparations, Once Again	Wilton Alston, and Walter Block	September 2008	Human Rights Review	PDF	Reparations	Reparations	Alston, Wilton, and Walter Block. "Reparations, Once Again." Human Rights Review, vol. 9, no. 3, Sept. 2008, pp. 379–392. Argues that both the "left" and the "right" perspective are inconsistent regarding reparations and property rights and only libertarianism allows for a consistent framework to discuss the two issues.	**Peer reviewed journal article (SPPL Library Card required).** https://search-ebscohost-com.content.elibrarymn.org/login.aspx?direct=true&db=keh&AN=33005633&site=ehost-live
Forty Acres and a Mule in the 21st Century	William Darity	September 2008	Social Science Quarterly	PDF	Reparations	Reparations	Darity, William. "Forty Acres and a Mule in the 21st Century." Social Science Quarterly (Wiley-Blackwell), vol. 89, no. 3, Sept. 2008, pp. 656–664. Argues that reparations should have three goals: acknowledgement, redress, and closure.	**Peer reviewed journal article (SPPL Library Card required).** https://search-ebscohost-com.content.elibrarymn.org/login.aspx?direct=true&db=keh&AN=33208255&site=eho

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What is Owed	William P. Jones	September 8, 2021	The Nation	Website	Reparations		Review and summary of William Darity and A Kirsten Mullen's book From Here to Equality. In From Here to Equality, William A. Darity Jr. and A. Kirsten Mullen draw on both journalistic and scholarly sources to make a strong case for cash payments to Black descendants of slaves. To those who dismiss reparations as a recent claim for an ancient crime, they point out that African Americans have been demanding compensation since the end of slavery and that the debt has been redoubled by officially sanctioned violence and discrimination since abolition.	https://www.thenation.com/article/culture/
The Case for Reparations to African Americans	Adrenne D. Davis	Spring 2000	Human Rights Brief 7, no. 3	Website	Reparations		The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://digitalcommons.wcl.american.edu/cgi/viewcontent.cgi?article=1542&context=hrbrief
Documenting the Costs of Slavery, Segregation, and Contemporary Racism: Why Reparations are in Order for African Americans	Joe R. Feagin	Spring 2004	Harvard BlackLetter Law Journal	PDF	Reparations		An article examining why large-scale reparations needs to be done and how that task might be accomplished.	https://openscholarship.wustl.edu/cgi/viewcontent.cgi?article=1029&context=csd_research
Racial Reconciliation or Retreat? How Legislative Resolutions Apologizing for Slavery Promulgate White Supremacy	Angelique M. Davis	Spring 2012	Black Scholar	PDF	Reparations	Reparations	Davis, Angelique M. "Racial Reconciliation or Retreat? How Legislative Resolutions Apologizing for Slavery Promulgate White Supremacy." Black Scholar, vol. 42, no. 1, Spring 2012, pp. 37–48. Argues that government apologies for slavery without reparations covertly promulgate white supremacy and thwarting any push toward reparations.	**Peer reviewed journal article (SPPL Library Card required).** https://search-ebscohost-com.content.elibrarymn.org/login.aspx?direct=true&db=keh&AN=78174504&site=ehost-live
Achieving Reparations while Respecting our Differences: A Model for Black Reparations	Adjoa Aiyetoro	Spring 2020	Howard Law Journal	PDF	Reparations		An article that presents a brief history of the demand for reparations and a class and race analysis of the resistance to these demands. Tie-in to an unavailable panel and a book by Roy L. Brooks.	**PDF available for committee members only.** Located in "Howard Law Journal Reparations" From Ramsey County Law Library Database.
African American Reparations: A Rough Sketch of the Road to Educational and Economic Restoration	Carlton Waterhouse	Spring 2020	Howard Law Journal	PDF	Reparations		This article presents proposals for remedying community harms and identifies critical pathways to reparations. Tie in to an unavailable panel and a book by Roy L. Brooks	Located in "Howard Law Journal Reparations" PDF; From Ramsey County Law Library Database
Racial Reconciliation Through Black Reparations	Roy L. Brooks	Spring 2020	Howard Law Journal	PDF	Reparations		This article explains and defends a reparations model that answers complex questions on the topic. Tie in to an unavailable panel and a book by Roy L. Brooks	Available via the Ramsey County Law Library Database
Republican, Rebellious Reparations	Eric J. Miller	Spring 2020	Howard Law Journal	PDF	Reparations		A brief history on the Tulsa Race Massacre and how rebellion and resistance demonstrates that litigation and apology are useful. Tie in to an unavailable panel and a book by Roy L. Brooks.	https://scholar.google.com/citations?view_op=view_citation&hl=en&user=oDxydgQAAAAJ&pagesize=80&citation_for_view=oDxydgQAAAAJ:k_IJM867U9cC
The Legal Basis of the Claim for Slavery Reparations	Anthony Gifford	Spring, 2000	Human Rights	PDF	Reparations	Reparations	Gifford, Anthony. "The Legal Basis of the Claim for Slavery Reparations." Human Rights, vol. 27, no. 2, Spring 2000, p. 16. But with imagination and legal creativity, the reparations claim can be formulated, recognized, and eventually vindicated. This article attempts to conceptualize the legal framework for the claim, by reference to seven propositions.	**Periodical Article (SPPL Library Card required).** https://search-ebscohost-com.content.elibrarymn.org/login.aspx?direct=true&db=keh&AN=3119053&site=ehost-live
Past Due: The African American Quest for Reparations	Robert L. Allen	Summer 1998	Black Scholar 28m no. 2, Black Social Issues (2-17)	PDF	Reparations		In this article, Robert Allen begins by recounting the history of the struggle for black reparations in the United States. He then proceeds to take on reparations from the perspective of political economy, arguing that systemic racial inequality in capital and underdevelopment call for forms of economic reparations. The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	Access to the article is restricted. https://www.tandfonline.com/doi/abs/10.1080/00064246.2014.11641237
Railroads, Race and Reparations	Theodore Kornweibel Jr	Summer 2003	Souls 5	Website	Reparations		This article examines the role of slave labor in building railroads throughout the United States, using this history as the basis for contemporary reparations lawsuits against corporations. The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://www.tandfonline.com/doi/abs/10.1080/713905998?journalCode=usou20
Rectification and Reparation: What Does Citizen Responsibility Require?	Paul M. Hughes	Summer 2004	Journal of Social Philosophy	PDF	Reparations	Reparations	Hughes, Paul M. "Rectification and Reparation: What Does Citizen Responsibility Require?" Journal of Social Philosophy, vol. 35, no. 2, Summer 2004, pp. 244–255. This article analyzes and assesses a proposal that U.S. citizens have a moral duty to help rectify the aforementioned injustices by contributing to reparations for African Americans.	**Peer reviewed journal article (SPPL Library Card required).** https://search-ebscohost-com.content.elibrarymn.org/login.aspx?direct=true&db=keh&AN=12981444&site=ehost-live
The Reparations Argument: A Reply	Robert K. Fullinwider	Summer 2004	Journal of Social Philosophy	PDF	Reparations	Reparations	Fullinwider, Robert K. "The Reparations Argument: A Reply." Journal of Social Philosophy, vol. 35, no. 2, Summer 2004, pp. 256–263. This article presents a reply to the article Rectification and Reparation: What Does Citizen Responsibility Require?, by Paul Hughes, which criticized the essay titled, The Case for Reparations, which sketches a framework that would allow public debate about reparations for slavery and racial segregation to proceed as fruitfully as possible. As Hughes notes at the end of his essay, nothing about the civic-responsibility argument is inconsistent with a second track for reparations.	**Peer reviewed journal article (SPPL Library Card required).** https://search-ebscohost-com.content.elibrarymn.org/login.aspx?direct=true&db=keh&AN=12981443&site=ehost-live
Repairing the Past: Polarities of Restorative Justice	Donald W. Shriver	Summer 2007	CrossCurents	PDF	Reparations	Reparations	Shriver, Donald W. "Repairing the Past: Polarities of Restorative Justice." CrossCurrents, vol. 57, no. 2, Summer 2007, pp. 209–217. In this article the author examines issues surrounding the re-examinination of past events, with an eye towards righting old wrongs. A number of issues are addressed, including he question of financial reparations for slavery, the meaning inherent in apologies for historic tragedies, the revision of history and personal as well as collective guilt.	**Peer reviewed journal article (SPPL Library Card required).** https://search-ebscohost-com.content.elibrarymn.org/login.aspx?direct=true&db=keh&AN=26338025&site=ehost-live
Why Reparations to African Descendants in the United States are Essential to Democracy	Adjoa A. Aiyetoro	Summer 2011	Journal of Gender, Race and Justice	PDF	Reparations		This Article focuses on the exclusion of African descendants from U.S. democra cy due to their oppression. It argues that the way to correct the oppression and continuing consequences of the oppression suffered by African descendants in the United States is to identify the injuries and formulate remedies that will make them whole--reparations.5	https://lawrepository.ualr.edu/cgi/viewcontent.cgi?article=1020&context=faculty_scholarship
Black Reparations	Bernard R. Boxill	Summer 2016 Edition	The Standford Encylopedia of Philosophy	Website	Reparations	Other	In this entry, Bernard Boxill examines reparations from a philosophical perspective, considering the history reparations proposals alongside the work of John Locke, W.E.B. Du Bois, Thomas Rawls, and others. The entry concludes by considering the two main arguments for reparations on the basis of past harm and inherited inequality. The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services.	https://plato.stanford.edu/archives/sum2016/entries/black-reparations/

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Affirmative Action As a Form of Reparation	Albert Mosley	Winter 2003	The University of Memphis Law Review, Vol 33. #2	Website	Reparations		The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://heinonline.org/HOL/LandingPage?handle=hein.journals/umem33&div=22&id=&page=
Reconceiving Reparations: Multiple Strategies in the Reparations Debate	Eric J. Miller	Winter 2004	Boston College Third World Law Journal	PDF	Reparations		This Article examines and exposes the confrontation model's shortcomings, proposing as an alternative a "conversational" model for reparations debate and advocacy.	https://www.bc.edu/content/dam/files/schools/law/lawreviews/journals/bctwj/24_1/05_TXT.htm
Black Reparations for Twentieth Century Federal Housing Discrimination: The Construction of White Wealth and the Effects of Denied Black Homeownership	Jane Kim	Winter 2019	Boston University Public Interest Law Journal	PDF	Reparations	Housing	This article focuses on the government's participation in housing discrimination against black-Americans and how the government should compensate black-Americans in the form of reparations due to this discriminatory practice.	https://papers.ssrn.com/sol3/papers.cfm?abstract_id=3615775
CARICOM Ten Point Plan for Reparatory Justice	CARICOM Reparations Commission		CARICOM Reparations Commission	Website	Reparations		This ten point plan was developed as a part of the commission on reparations established by the Caribbean Community (CARICOM) countries. The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://caricom.org/caricom-ten-point-plan-for-reparatory-justice/
The Deed	Uncivil		Gimlet Media	Podcast	Reparations	other	In this podcast, Jack Hitt and Chenjerai Kumanyika look back on the promise of 40 acres and a mule in the United States and how the failure to pay reparations to emancipated slaves continues to have effects into the 21st century. The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services	https://gimletmedia.com/shows/uncivil/kwh
Reparations For Slavery: The Fight for Compensation	Sarah Goldy-Brown		Lucent Press	Book	Reparations	Reparations	Detailing all the angles of the reparations debate, this subject is explored through rich main text, engaging sidebars, primary sources, and annotated quotes from influential figures. Readers get a nuanced understanding of the arguments both for and against reparations for slavery, enhancing what they learn in their social studies classes.	https://www.amazon.com/Reparations-Slavery-Compensation-Library-History/dp/1534562974
Reparations: A Blueprint to Address Systemic Police Violence.	Joey Mogul		People's Law Office	Website	Reparations		Article on reparations in Chicago for racist police violence. The Reparations Syllabus is published by the University of Minnesota Libraries Publishing Services: https://reparations.lib.umn.edu/	https://peopleslawoffice.com/reparations-a-blueprint-to-address-systemic-police-violence/
Diving Deeper: Understanding Disparities between Black and White Residents in the Twin Cities Region	Metropolitan Council	April 2016	Metrostats	Website			Metropolitan Council's report on racial disparities in the 16-county Twin Cities metropolitan area. The gaps between our metro's Black and White residents' level of education, employment, poverty rates, and homeownership are particularly striking: the Twin Cities have the largest disparities across U.S. metros.	Diving-Deeper-Understanding-Disparities-Between-B.aspx (metrocouncil.org)
Income Inequality in the Twin Cities Region: Part 1	Metropolitan Council	April 2017					Analyzes income inequality in the Twin Cities region between 1990 and 2015. Part 1 of 3	https://metrocouncil.org/Data-and-Maps/Publications-And-
Concentrations of Poverty: Growing and Suburbanizing in the Twin Cities Region	Metropolitan Council	December 2015	MetroStats				Analyzes growth of Areas of Concentrated Poverty year 2000-2014.	Concentrated-Poverty-Growing-and-Suburbanizing-in.aspx (metrocouncil.org)
Areas of Concentrated Poverty in 2016	Metropolitan Council	February 2018					Concentrated poverty intersects with race and ethnicity. Tracks trends and geographic patterns of poverty in the Twin Cities region 2000-2016.	Areas-of-Concentrated-Poverty-in-2016.aspx (metrocouncil.org)
Minneapolis is proud of its liberal politics, but its black population is still struggling	Hasit Shah	June 1, 2020	Quartz	Website				Available via subscription or free trial. https://qz.com/1862610/minneapolis-is-a-
Areas of Concentrated Poverty in the Twin Cites region	Metropolitan Council	June 2015	Metrostats	Website			2000-2013 overall poverty increased, as well as Areas of Concentrated Poverty, with POC overrepresented in both datasets.	https://metrocouncil.org/getattachment/59e72e05-559f-4541-9162-7b7bf27fdebf/.aspx
Income Inequality in the Twin Cities Region: Part 3	Metropolitan Council	March 2018					Analyzes income inequality in the Twin Cities region between 1990 and 2015. Part 3 of 3	https://metrocouncil.org/Data-and-Maps/Publications-And-
Regional Economic Indicators	Metropolitan Council	May 2015	Metrostats	Website			Annual tracking of the Twin Cities region's economic growth, education, income, workforce characteristics, and housing production and affordability.	59d141fd-1b1e-44e0-861c-bb40924db9ec.pdf (metrocouncil.org)
Income Inequality in the Twin Cities Region: Part 2	Metropolitan Council	November 2017					Analyzes income inequality in the Twin Cities region between 1990 and 2015. Part 2 of 3	https://metrocouncil.org/Data-and-Maps/Publications-And-
Visualizing Regional Inequities	Metropolitan Council	October 2018; Updated 2020					Includes 2018 Data. Interactive data visualization showing disparities in employment, poverty, income, and homeownership by race and ethnicity persist in the Twin Cities.	https://metrocouncil.org/Data-and-Maps/Research-and-Data/Research-by-topic/Visualizing-Regional-Inequities.aspx
Welcoming the Dear Neighbor?	Kyeland Jackson		St. Catherine University	Website			Building on the work of Mapping Prejudice, this project works to "humanize the map," by understanding the context of housing inequality in Ramsey County through telling stories about our history and providing opportunities to amplify stories that exist in our community.	https://welcomingthedearneighbor.org/about-us/