

An invitation to bring healing and community change in response to tragedy

Making the Dream a Reality

Spring into Volunteering at the Peace Garden!



As Spring approaches, the Peace Garden will be in full bloom soon! The Peace Garden is a wonderful place to enjoy sun, flowers, and reflect on the journey of turning tragedy into healing by honoring Philando's memory. We are always looking for volunteers to help us maintain the garden's beauty and preservation. To find out how you can help, visit: https://philandocastile-peacegarden.org

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Judge Glenda Hatchett Highlighted for Her Work on Philando's Case



Photo Credit: Judge Glenda Hatchett

A recent article highlighted the incredible journey of Judge Glenda Hatchett, who has overcome adversity in her own life and now works to address issues surrounding the disparities and inequities in the African American community. Judge Hatchett worked tirelessly representing Philando's family to obtain justice. Hatchett continues to live out Philando's legacy and turn tragedy into healing. To read the full article, visit: https://rollingout.com/2025/03/07/judge-glenda-hatchetts-journey-adversity

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Events in Minnesota this Month

***Justice* – *Reformed* Screening and Panel Discussion**

The Minneapolis Central library will be hosting a free screening of Justice-Reformed, a documentary of personal narratives of those negatively affected by the justice system and their work towards reform. Following the documentary screening will be a panel discussion of advocates, policy makers, and artists. For more information on the event happening on April 13, visit: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/justice-reformed-screening-and-panel-discussion-shifting-perspectives-tickets-1256851489639

The Black Market: 2025 Summer Series Opener



Photo Credit: The Black Market

The Black Market will be having their season opener for their 2025 Summer Series of events on April 26 from 11am-4pm. The Black Market is a marketplace for black-owned businesses to come together for food, music, and fun in the community. For more information on this free event, visit: https://theblackmarketmpls.com

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The Meaning Behind the Sculptures



Have you walked through the Philando Castile Community Peace Garden and noticed the large metal sculptures? These sculptures are actually West African Adinkra symbols. Each symbol represents its own guiding principle, and for the Peace Garden, honor and signify Philando and his values. The sculpture featured here is Together with Strength.

Join the Philando Castile Community Peace Garden on Social Media

The Philando Castile Community Peace Garden would love your support on social media. Follow, like and share our posts or tag us in photos of your Peace Garden visits. If you create original Philando Castile or Peace Garden art, tag us to be featured!

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