

January 9, 2023

New year, same CAJM!

The CAJM family has long been known for its persistence and we want to kick off 2023 with a strong reminder that ***we aren't going anywhere*** in the fight to save Gadsden Creek!

How can you help to show our community that this remains true in 2023? **You can join our flooding committee tomorrow, Tuesday, January 10, at the Charleston City Council meeting!**

It's time for Charleston City Council to re-evaluate their new year's resolutions! Join us tomorrow as we head to Charleston City Council to present them with some new-and-improved new year's resolutions! Since it is a New Year's theme, if you have any leftover New Year's hats, sashes, sparkly dresses, we want you to wear them! We will also present City Council with our signed postcards from the CPA.

The pre-meeting is at 4:00pm in the park by City Hall (80 Broad Street, Charleston). City Council begins at 5:00pm.

Email anna@thedartcenter.org or treva@thedartcenter.org to sign up or with any questions.

Did you miss our end-of-year thank you message from our Co-Presidents?

You can still watch it! Just click the image below to watch.



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Upcoming CAJM Events

It's almost time for Network Meetings! Check in with your congregation's Team Leader to see which date your congregation is signed up to attend.

Upcoming Research Visits



City Council Meeting (Flooding)

What: Come out and let Charleston City Council know that we aren't going away, and that we will continue fighting to save Gadsden Creek!

When: January 10, 2023

Pre-Meeting: 4:00pm

Where: Park next to Charleston City Hall (80 Broad Street)

RSVP: Email trevva@thedartcenter.org to sign up to attend or if you have any questions.



Housing Full Committee Meeting

What: Come out and get updates on our Housing Campaign and help to determine its direction moving forward!

When: January 12, 2023

Pre-Meeting: 5:45pm

Where: Mt. Moriah Missionary Baptist Church (7396 Rivers Ave, N. Charleston)

RSVP: Email amber@thedartcenter.org to sign up to attend or if you have any questions.



County Council Meeting (Housing)

What: This will be the first meeting of the two new Council Members who are replacing Anna Johnson and Dickie Schweers. We will invite them to partner with us as we work toward the establishment of an affordable housing trust fund. We need to pack the place and let them know CAJM is still here in the new year! We are also still looking for folks to give public comments. Reach out to Amber if you are able.

When: January 17, 2023

Pre-Meeting: 5:45pm

Where: Lonnie Hamilton Building (4045

Bridgeview Dr.)

RSVP: Email amber@thedartcenter.org to sign up to attend or if you have any questions.



Check-In with Roper St. Francis (Healthcare)

What: Join us for our quarterly check-in with Roper St. Francis to see where they are on the mobile unit project.

When: January 18, 2023

Pre-Meeting: 9:00am *(You must attend the pre-meeting to attend the meeting!)*

Meeting: 10:00am

Where: Zoom

RSVP: [Click here to register and get a Zoom link](#)



January Flooding Full Committee Meeting

What: The steering committee met and has some exciting things planned, but they need your input! We also had a fascinating meeting with hydrologist, Joshua Robinson and learned a lot of very important information in our fight to restore Gadsden Creek!

When: January 19, 2023 @ 6:00pm

Where: Zoom

RSVP: [Click here to register and get a Zoom link](#)



South Carolina Environmental Law Project (Flooding)

What: The Flooding Committee will meet with Ben Cunningham of the South Carolina Environment Law Project. Ben has been leading the fight in the courtroom to save Gadsden Creek! We want every congregation represented at this meeting!

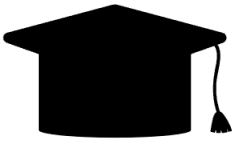
When: January 26, 2023

Pre-Meeting: 2:00pm *(You must attend the pre-meeting to attend the meeting!)*

Meeting: 3:00pm

Where: Zoom

RSVP: [Click here to register and get a Zoom link](#)



Education Full Committee Meeting

What: Come get an update about our education work and learn how to get involved!

When: January 26, 2023 @ 7:00pm

Where: Zoom

RSVP: [Click here to register and get a Zoom link](#)



February Flooding Full Committee Meeting

What: We are planning a mini-action so please join to give input and see how to participate!

When: February 12, 2023 @ 1:30pm

Where: Location TBD

RSVP: Email treva@thedartcenter.org to RSVP

Community Events

Do you love to sing? Participate with the Charity Community Choir sing at the Community-Wide MLK Ecumenical Service!

Rehearsal:

Tues 1/10 (7-8p)

Charity Baptist

1544 East Montague Ave

Ecumenical Service:

Sun 1/15 (3pm reception)

Service to follow after at 4:00pm

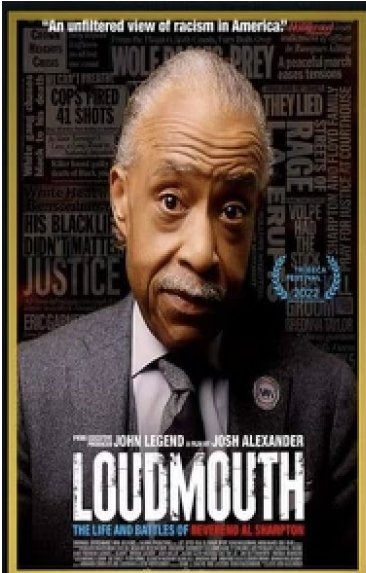
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Questions? Contact Jamilah Frazier at jamilaf@g.clemson.edu.

Charity Missionary Baptist Church is screening the documentary *Loudmouth*

Check out the flier below for more details.



JOIN US FOR A SPECIAL SHOWING
OF
“LOUDMOUTH”

The documentary that tells the story of Rev. Al Sharpton, painting an intimate portrait of a tireless warrior who has never ducked a fight in his mission to transform the status quo.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 14, 2023
@ 3:00 PM

Charity Missionary Baptist Church
Banquet Hall
1544 East Montague Avenue
North Charleston, SC

WITH A SPECIAL DISCUSSION
LED BY
Rev. Nelson B. Rivers, III

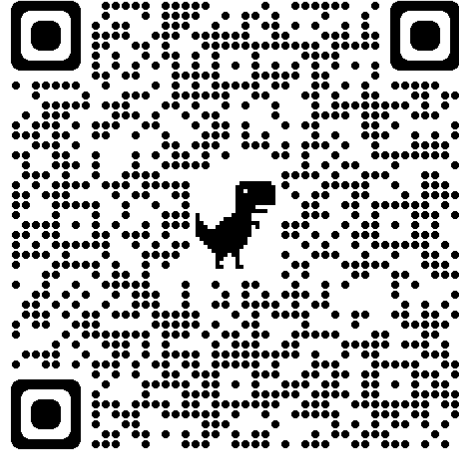
RSVP: tgrant@nationalactionnetwork.net

Scan the QR Code for the official trailer

New to CAJM and want more information?

We are so glad you are here, and we'd love to connect you with a CAJM Team Leader!

Use the QR code to the right, or follow [this link](#), to fill out a short survey so that we can match you with the Team Leader who best fits your needs.



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