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### Support CAJM on Giving Tuesday!

Hey CAJM Members,

We hope that your holiday break was awesome, and that you all enjoyed time and food with family and friends. Last week, we were practicing gratitude and honoring the folks whose lineage and history is embedded in the soul of our land. **This week let us be generous.** Today is Giving Tuesday: a day created in 2012 especially for showing kindness and generosity and truly all about making the world a better place that has now become both a nonprofit organization and a movement! Learn more here.

What's cool about this movement is that it doesn't take much to get involved. In fact, as members of CAJM you are already doing part of the work. The rules are simple: find a great cause, movement, or thing to do. And then give something meaningful, like a monetary investment, a good deed, or some of your free time. Easy, right? At CAJM, you can take part in Giving Tuesday today in a few ways.

You can make a personal investment by clicking here.

You can make an investment from your business or company. Talk to your organizer or team leader for more information.

You can sign up to get involved in issue work by clicking here.

You can become a network member if you or a friend aren't one yet. Click here to join our network.

The point is: today is a good day to get involved! And that's what CAJM is all about! So, if you're looking to participate in this day of

# Have any leftover Gadsden Creek Postcards? Please get them back to CAJM staff!

The Flooding Committee is working hard to collect SAVE GADSDEN CREEK postcards to deliver to Charleston City Council. If you have blank postcards that you won't use, **we need them back** so that we can get them in the hands of more people who live, work, or worship in the City of Charleston.

Network Members, you can give your extra postcards to your Team Leader. Team Leaders, please reach out to your organizer to coordinate a postcard drop-off.

Still haven't filled out your postcard? Click here for instructions on how to fill out a postcard, including a link to identify your City Councilperson.

Questions? Reach out to <a href="mailto:lydia@thedartcenter.org">lydia@thedartcenter.org</a>.

### **Upcoming CAJM Events**



### **Housing Press Conference**

Date: Tuesday, December 6

START TIME: 5:15pm

**Location**: Lonnie Hamilton Public Service

Building (4045 Bridgeview Dr.)

Why: County Council is once again pushing

aside the severity of the housing crisis. The Housing Our Futures Plan has been put on hold for an undetermined time period. This is UNACCEPTABLE!! We will then stay for the County Council meeting and make public comments.

Who's invited?: All CAJM clergy, team leaders,

network members, and their guests **RSVP:** amber@thedartcenter.org

We are also looking for folks who are willing to give a testimony at the County Council meeting which will directly follow the press conference.

Reach out to Amber@thedartcenter.org if you're interested.

#### Friends of Gadsden Creek is hiring parttime organizers!

Friends of Gadsden Creek is the grassroots organization leading the Save Gadsden Creek campaign. The organizer position is for approximately 10 hours/week. Compensation is \$35/hour. Applications are open until December 15, 2022.



Here's the job description.

# CAJM member Circular Congregational Church is hiring a part-time Director of Youth Ministries

The Director of Youth Ministries is responsible for Christian Education

and oversight of the church's education program for middle and senior high school youth.

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#### South Carolina Legal Services is hiring a Private Attorney Involvement and Recruitment Manager

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## Family Promise of Greater Charleston is hiring its first Executive Director

Family Promise of Greater Charleston, a new affiliate of the national Family Promise program (their ninth SC affiliate), is dedicated to helping homeless, soon-to-be homeless, and low-income families in the Greater Charleston area. The first program FPGC plans to launch is a family mentoring program, connecting interfaith volunteers with families or individuals who are making efforts to become more self-reliant. Over time, our goal is to provide a broad array of prevention and shelter opportunities that would work with and not duplicate existing programs. FPGC strives to help build an even stronger, unified connection between the faith-based community, service providers, and the unhoused.

FPGC is currently searching for its first Executive Director and is excited to share the job description with CAJM members. If you know of someone who is a good fit for this position, please feel free to share the job description (below).

## 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.



## Have you made your 2022 investment in CAJM?

CAJM's 2022 investment drive goal is **\$215,000**! In honor of our tenth year, we are striving for 100% participation for investments! In other words, we're going ALL IN for year ten!

It's not too late to make a payment towards your 2022 CAJM investment! You can do so by clicking the link below. Reach out to your team leader or organizer with any questions about investing.



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