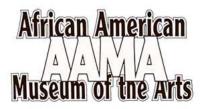
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Please support the African American Museum of the Arts in Deland, Florida and Everybody Is Somebody, Inc. as we celebrate Emancipation Day; The Festival will begin on Friday, May 20, 2022 and schedule to end on Sunday, May 22, 2022.

The goal is to educate as well as share the historical significance of the Emancipation Proclamation and other contributions to end slavery, particularly in the State of Florida. We hope this celebration brings the community together to commemorate the importance of May 20th as part of the African American History.

Emancipation in the State of Florida was proclaimed in Tallahassee on May 20, 1865, 11 days after the end of the Civil War, and two years after the Proclamation first issued by President Abraham Lincoln freed those enslaved in Southern states.

April 1865, as the Civil War was coming to an end in the war-torn South, news traveled slowly, often by word of mouth, and the details sometimes were incorrect or contradictory. As noted by Clifton Lewis, Historian of the Florida African American Heritage Preservation Network, is the fact that due to the refusal of slave holders to acknowledge Abraham Lincoln as their President, slaves were not released upon the signing of the Proclamation on January 1, 1863. Neither the end of the war nor the end of slavery was absolutely confirmed until Union troops arrived in each locality to receive the surrender of their Confederate counterparts. The process happened in stages, with areas farther west learning the news weeks after the folks closer to the east coast.

Union Brigadier General Edward M. McCook arrived in Tallahassee to receive the surrender of Florida's Confederate troops on May 10th. On May 20th, McCook formally announced President Lincoln's Emancipation Proclamation from the steps of the Knott House, effectively ending slavery in the state. As a result, many Floridians celebrate May 20th as Emancipation Day.

As we advocate and support the observation of all history, **Emancipation Day in Florida**, to be historically correct, should be acknowledged and celebrated on May 20th. We are grateful ... but we must do more. We still have work to do... as a community, we are recognizing the past wrongs and injustices with a celebration of unity with a profound purpose.

Your Support is greatly appreciated.

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