

The Struggle for Environmental Justice in Memphis and Shelby County: Then & Now

Monday, November 5, 2018

6-7:30pm; University Center Bluff Room (Rm 304)

Please join us for an evening of reflection and inspiration to keep the movement for environmental justice pressing forward. Featuring a screening of *The Struggle for Environmental Justice in Memphis and Shelby County*, highlighting and chronicling the efforts of local Memphians. A panel featuring neighborhood leaders will follow the video with reflections on the fight for environmental justice from the early 1990's to the present time. The discussion panel includes:



Rev. Ralph White, longtime pastor of the Bloomfield Full Gospel Baptist Church in south Memphis has been active in a wide range of civic issues for decades, including environmental justice struggles in southwest Memphis.

Mike Villanueva, Supervisor of Residential Energy Programs at MLGW, serves on the TVA Energy Efficiency Information Exchange group focusing on limited income weatherization and energy efficiency.





Marquita Bradshaw has championed many community causes and worked as an organizer at local, state, and national levels, including work with the Mid-South Peace & Justice Center, Sierra Club, Stand for Children, Tennesseans for Fair Taxation, and the AFL-CIO.

Free secure event parking in the Zach Curlin Drive parking garage. This event is **free and open to the public**. Please share with neighborhood organizations, church members, college students, on social media, and with all those in the activist community of Memphis.

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