

Coming Soon!



**Tell Your Stories
About the History of
the African American
Community!**

Help Breathe Life into the Buildings that have Shaped History!



This project will be shaped by the stories of African American history in Transylvania County. Be sure YOUR story is included!

The Joint Historic Preservation Commission (JHPC) received a grant to facilitate the survey of African American heritage-related resources in Transylvania County. JHPC is working on this project with the following community representatives: Edith Darity, Maurice Jones, Linda Gash Locks, Tanesha Tucker, Nicola Karesh, William and Angela Hemphill, and Brevard College student Kiara Jordan. This survey will begin with a folklorist collecting stories and end with a report on historically significant sites and buildings. The information gathered throughout the project will be available to the public and archived in the Library. For more information contact Transylvania County Planning & Community Development at joy.fields@transylvaniacounty.org or 884-3205.