

Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Lecture

Sunday, January 20, 2013

2 pm

Main Library

Dorothy O. Jackson, Retired, Deputy Mayor, City of Akron



Dorothy O. Jackson has given her voice and support to issues that concern the poor and disabled for decades.

She has been called Akron's "goodwill ambassador." She was the first African-American woman to serve in an Akron mayor's cabinet.

Hear the journey of this tireless, lifelong social activist.

Ms. Jackson's many awards include:

Bert A. Polsky Humanitarian Award; Ohio Black Women's Leadership Caucus Rosa Parks Award; United

Way Distinguished Service Award; Akron Urban League Community Service Award; Induction into the Ohio Women's Hall of Fame and Induction into African American History Makers. Inc.; Dorothy O. Jackson Terrace, an AMHA 28-unit handicapped housing development named in her honor; The Jewish National Fund named a park in Israel in her honor.

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