

An invitation to bring healing and community change in response to tragedy

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The Peace Garden would like to thank all of our donors and volunteers. Your generous donations and time have allowed us to maintain and improve on this historical landmark. The memory of Philando will continue to live on and inspire our community to promote peace, work together with law enforcement, and improve the lives of all.

Join us for Restoration and Unity Days!



Friendly reminder of Restoration Day and Unity Day coming up on July 6 and 7! An evening vigil hosted by the Family of Philando Castile at the Community Peace Garden will be on Sunday, July 6 and the Unity Day BBQ at Falcon Heights City Hall will be on Monday, July 7. Join us in support for the family and help us continue to memorialize Philando's legacy for peace.

Juneteenth — Celebrating Freedom



On June 19, 1865, over 250,000 slaves were freed by the US Army in Galveston Bay, Texas. This historical day became a federal holiday in 2021 to remind us of the adversity and hardship that the Black community endured during the Civil War. Today we celebrate the freedom, justice, and tenacity towards reformation and the sacrifices made.

Many celebrations will be taking place on the 19th all over the state. To find one near you, visit: https://www.exploreminnesota.com/things-to-do/festivals-events

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The Meaning Behind the Sculptures



Have you walked through the Philando Castile Community Peace Garden and noticed the large metal sculptures? These sculptures are West African Adinkra symbols. Each symbol represents its own guiding principle, and for the Peace Garden honor and signify Philando and his values. The sculpture featured here is God's Supremacy.

Join the Philando Castile Community Peace Garden on Social Media!

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