



The
MURDOCH
CENTER

Southside Community Association

Operating the Historic Murdoch Community
Center

A Neighborhood Update
Flagstaff City Council

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Neighborhood Updates

- 1. Accomplishments
 - 2. Challenges
 - 3. Opportunities
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Accomplishments

1. Southside Neighborhood Plan
2. Technology Upgrades
3. Facility Improvements
4. Flagstaff Lived Black Experience CommUNITY Coalition

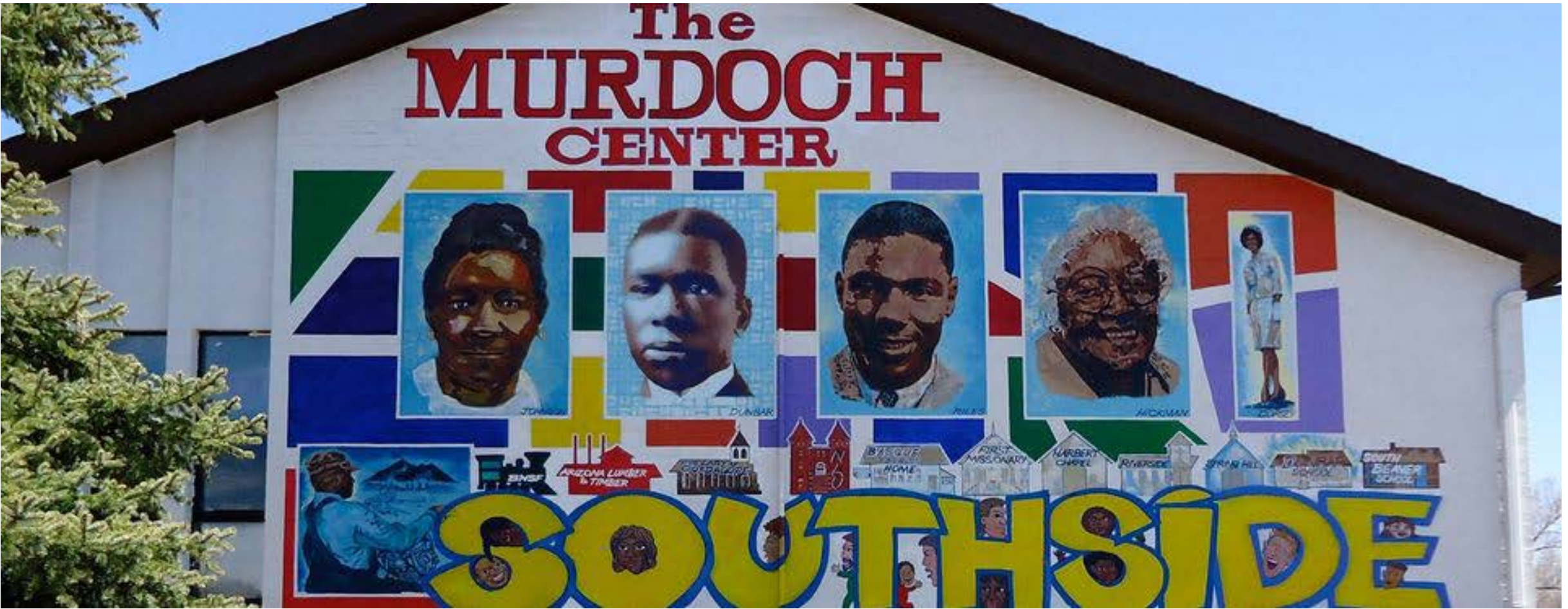
Challenges & Opportunities

Challenges

- Funding
- Neighborhood zoning code
- COVID-19
- Keeping neighborhood residents engaged and involved
- Securing a long term lease for the Murdoch Center

Opportunities

- Provide opportunities for board members and others to develop grant writing skills
- Partner with city council and staff to find creative ways to address southside zoning issues
- To continue to educate the community on the lived Black experience to help Flagstaff move toward a more inclusive community



Thank You Flagstaff City Council & Staff
Questions