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Hudson Vicinage Celebrates Black History Month

The Hudson Vicinage will hold its annual Black History Month program on Friday, Feb. 28 from 12:30 to 2 p.m. in the fourth-floor jury assembly room at the Hudson County Administration Building, 595 Newark Ave., Jersey City.

The program, sponsored by the vicinage's Equal Employment Opportunity/Affirmative Action Advisory Committee, is an open mic/poetry slam that will highlight the works of African American poets and writers. Assignment Judge Peter F. Bariso Jr. will open the program with introductory remarks before participants recite their own poetry or read from literary selections provided by the EEO/AA advisory committee members.

Poetry slam is considered an artistic movement as well as a genre of poetry and spoken word. It combines the elements of performance, writing, competition and audience participation.

The program is free and open to the public. Refreshments will be served.

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