



## City of Durham Durham County

### Joint News Release

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## City, County Governments to Host MLK Event on January 13

Annual Observation is Free and Open to the Public

- What:** Durham City-County Martin Luther King, Jr. Employee Observance Program
- Who:** Durham County Government  
City of Durham
- When:** Wednesday, January 13, 2016  
Noon
- Where:** First Presbyterian Church  
305 E. Main Street, Durham

#### Fast Facts:

- Each year, hundreds of City and County government employees, downtown businesses and residents gather for the Durham City-County Martin Luther King, Jr. Employee Observance Program to reflect on the ideals of Dr. King and to remember his powerful legacy.
- Durham's local governments will jointly host the 11<sup>th</sup> Annual City-County Martin Luther King, Jr. Employee Observance Program on Wednesday, January 13, 2016.
- The keynote speaker for the event is Dr. Reginald Van Stephens, pastor of White Rock Baptist Church, a historic worship center known throughout local and statewide community for its political activism and social causes.
- The Durham City-County Martin Luther King, Jr. Employee Observance Program is free and open to the public and will feature the City-County Martin Luther King, Jr. Employee Choir.

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