

A public presentation

The Seattle Open Housing Campaign

1959-1968

Tuesday February 13, 2007 12 noon
Bertha Knight Landes Room Seattle City Hall

Rev. Samuel McKinney, human rights activist and community leader, will speak about the fight for fair housing legislation in 1960s Seattle.

Pastor of Seattle's Mt. Zion Baptist Church, Rev. McKinney was active in the Central Area Civil Rights Committee during the 1960s, and worked with leaders of the NAACP, the Urban League, and other civil rights groups to secure legislation

prohibiting housing discrimination.

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Open housing demonstration at Westlake Mall, downtown Seattle, March 7, 1964.
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