VISION AND MISSION

Vision:
King Boston envisions a radically inclusive and equitable Boston worthy of us all where BIPOC thrive, grounded in joy, love, and wellbeing.

Mission:
King Boston dismantles structural racism together with diverse partners through innovations at the intersection of arts and culture, community organizing, and research.
Boston 1950s
“The Embrace” is selected by a panel of experts in March of 2019.

Made up of renowned educators, visual artists and curators rooted in the Black tradition organized by the City of Boston and King Boston, the panel chose Hank Willis Thomas as the artist.

Willis Thomas is a New York based, internationally acclaimed African American conceptual artist, and is collaborating with MASS Design Group.
THEORY OF CHANGE

Cultural Representations:
The Embrace
Arts and Culture

Institutional Practices:
Community Organizing

Public Policies:
Data and Knowledge

Counter Narratives

“The Beloved Community”
City Scale Transformation:
Radical Inclusion and Equity
INSTITUTIONAL PRACTICES: COMMUNITY ORGANIZING

- New Boston Coalition
- King Boston Consultancy Division
- Boston Clergy Social Justice Council
- Movement Infrastructure Project
- Pathways & Intergenerational Learning Project
- Grassroots Organizing Priorities
PUBLIC POLICIES: DATA AND KNOWLEDGE

- Well-being Dashboard
- Green Ribbon Commission Shared History Project
- Legislation and Litigation Tracking and Analysis
- Equity Statement Project
CULTURAL REPRESENTATIONS

The Embrace Memorial

Embrace Ideas Festival and Juneteenth

Good Trouble Podcast

Voices On King & One Night In Boston Film Series
EMBRACE IDEAS FESTIVAL
June 13-17 2022

BUILDING A NEW BOSTON TOGETHER

Joy and Learning.
+ Arts and Humanities.
+ Connection and Conversation.
Daily Schedule | June 13-June 17, 2022

9 am-Noon
“Unconference Time”- Connect on your own

Noon-6pm
Lunch and Keynote
Plenary/Panel
Social time
Live Music, Refreshments
PARTNERSHIP IDEAS: BPL AND KB

- Satellite Office at BPL Rox
- Good Trouble Podcast
- Venue
  - Festival Programming
  - Organizing
- Co-create Speaker/Author series
- Embrace Ideas Festival Host
  - Nubian Square/Black Market
THANK YOU

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