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STORYTELLING ON THE STREETCAR LINE

Celebrating Black History through Poetry, Spoken Word and Hip-Hop

What: A Celebration of Black History through the use of poetry, spoken word and hip-hop music.

Why: The KC Streetcar is celebrating everything that makes Kansas City great, including our diversity and culture. Join us as we celebrate Black History Month with an evening of storytelling.

The event will feature Kansas City poets [Sheri Purpose Hall](#), [Glenn North](#), poet laureate of the 18th and Vine Historic District, and [Bonafyde G. Weddington](#). Music will be provided by Kansas City's own [NuBlvckCity](#) featuring Royce "They Call Me Sauce" Handy and [Kartez Marcel](#). Student poets from Sumner Academy of Arts & Science will be featured and Ruby Jean's will be open and serving healthy treats.

When: **Friday, February 22, 2019, from 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.** Hop on the KC Streetcar and head to this free and family-friendly event.

Where: [Ruby Jean's Juicery](#), Downtown location at 1111 Main Street right on the KC Streetcar line. Take the KC Streetcar to the Metro Stop (12th & Main).

Who: This community event is a collaboration between the KC Streetcar Authority, They Call Me Sauce and Ruby Jean's Juicery. *Artwork created by Kansas City artist [JT Daniels](#).

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