



The Group



WITH JENNIFER VAUGHN BLAKELY AND
THE RIVERSIDE AFRICAN AMERICAN HISTORICAL SOCIETY

THE GROUP

During the 1990s, Jennifer Vaughn-Blakely, Rose Mayes and other community leaders started *The Group*



It is a grassroots public policy organization dedicated to addressing the Black community's issues in Riverside

JENNIFER VAUGHN BLAKELY

1948-2022



The first president of *The Group* and was a prominent leader in Riverside's African American community

THE RIVERSIDE AFRICAN AMERICAN HISTORICAL SOCIETY

The Group worked with
the Riverside African
American Historical
Society to help
represent the Black
community's voice



Credits

<https://blackvoicenews.com/2022/01/19/acclaimed-community-leader-jennifer-vaughn-blakely-has-passed/>

<https://www.pressenterprise.com/2022/01/19/jennifer-vaughn-blakely-leader-in-riversides-black-community-dies/>

<https://raahsinc.org/event/the-group-meeting-17/>

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