

SPOTLIGHT ON ATLANTIC CITY



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Founded in 2002, the **African American Heritage Museum of Southern New Jersey (AAHMSNJ)** boasts an impressive collection of items that show African Americans in a historical context, including graphics, drawings, paintings, memorabilia, advertisements, household and decorative items. Permanent exhibits in Atlantic City's Noyes Arts Garage and in Newtonville provide a visual and visceral understanding of how the African American culture has changed over the centuries. A traveling exhibit with over 12,000 historical and cultural artifacts is displayed at schools and in the community. The museum is also committed to shining a light on local artists whose extraordinary work may otherwise go unseen. In 2022, AAHMSNJ marks its 20th anniversary documenting the struggle of one group of Americans as they carved out their own place in the wider cultural landscape.

For more information, visit ahmsnj.org



Museum Founder, Ralph E. Hunter, Sr.



Clockwise: Ashanti Stool wooden carving, Woman next to Child shona stone, embracing wood figure next to a Turtle and Lizard Motif carved mahogany wall plaque, and Portrait of a People unearthed in Atlantic City.

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