

The City of Pembroke Pines and Florida Humanities present

The Civil Rights Movement in Florida

Monday, February 9, 2026 | 6 - 7PM

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Commission Chambers
601 City Center Way
Pembroke Pines, 33025



Dr. J. Michael Butler



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Florida Talks: February 9th City Chambers

Pembroke Pines, FL (January 27, 2026) – The City of Pembroke Pines and Florida Humanities present *The Civil Rights Movement* in Florida which is a part of Florida Humanities’ Florida Talks Program. This is an educational and informative presentation by Dr. J. Michael Butler on **Monday, February 9, 2026 from 6-7 PM** in the City Commission Chambers, located at 601 City Center Way.

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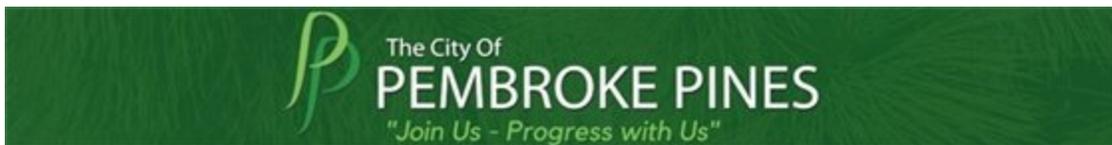
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