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# RAIFORD ON TRIAL



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Pre-trial motions were heard Monday in the trial of Portland activist Teresa Raiford, who was arrested in 2015 at a Black Lives Matter protest. Raiford was charged with interfering with a police officer and disorderly conduct.

## Teresa Raiford Tried For Arrest at Protest Judge, prosecutor discuss validity of 'disturbing the peace' statute

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**B**lack Lives Matter protestors, Portland Police Bureau officers, lawyers and members of the local activist community converged at the Multnomah County courthouse Monday morning for the trial of Teresa Raiford. Supporters filled Judge Michael Greenlick's courtroom to capacity and overflowed into the halls for the trial, which was still in progress at press time.

Many friends and family carried signs that read

"Don't Shoot Portland, Drop The Charges, Free Teresa Raiford."

Raiford faces one charge of second-degree disorderly conduct stemming from her involvement in a protest that marked the one-year anniversary of Michael Brown's death. Brown died Aug. 9, 2014 in Ferguson, Missouri after being shot by Darren Wilson, a White police officer.

In an interview with *The Skanner News*, Raiford said she was arrested specifically because of her Black Lives Matter activism.

"They wanted to show us,

definitely, August 9 was not anything anybody could be honoring or celebrating," she said. "We have cops out here that had 'I am Darren Wilson' badges on during the protest after the verdicts — so you think they really wanted us to honor Mike Brown's death?"

She described the protest as a well-coordinated event. She said the group had a permit to protest that day and a permit from the fire marshal, as well as permission to use the Asian Pacific American Network community center for direct action

training.

The group of 100 protestors stopped traffic at 82nd Avenue and SE Division Street for four-and-a-half minutes to remember the four-and-a-half hours that Brown's body lay in the street after he was shot. The group then moved to the southwest corner of the intersection where they began chanting and drumming, Raiford said.

A video shows most of the protestors had moved onto the sidewalk, but Raiford was in the street when

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## Treasury Official Says Harriet Tubman Will go on \$20 Bill

Famous abolitionist will replace Andrew Jackson

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WASHINGTON — Treasury Secretary Jacob Lew has decided to put Harriet Tubman on the \$20 bill, making her the first woman on U.S. paper currency in 100 years, a Treasury official said Wednesday.

The official, who spoke on condition of anonymity in advance of Lew's official announcement, said that the 19th century abolitionist

and a leader of the Underground Railroad, would replace the portrait of Andrew Jackson, the nation's seventh president.

Lew's announcement is expected to provide details on other changes being made to the \$20, \$10 and \$5 bills.

The decision to place Tubman's portrait on the \$20 likely means that Lew has decided to keep Alexander Hamilton on the \$10 bill, a victory for

PHOTO BY H. SEYMOUR SQUYER (PUBLIC DOMAIN, COURTESY WIKIMEDIA COMMONS)



The U.S. Treasury Department announced Wednesday that it would replace Andrew Jackson on the \$20 bill with abolitionist

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The SUN program at David Douglas High School will soon be administered by Self Enhancement, Inc. and the Immigrant and Refugee Community Organization.

## SUN Program Shifts Partnerships

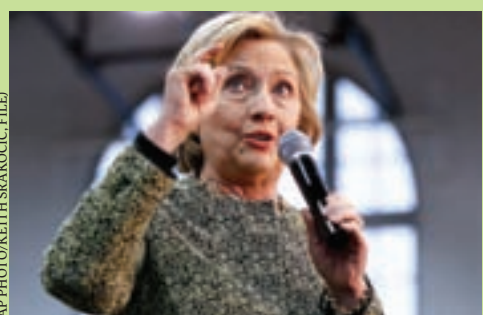
Culturally specific organizations, including IRCO and SEI, will provide services at designated schools

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**S**chools Uniting Neighborhoods — a county-run program offering after-school services for children in about 80 schools throughout the Multnomah County Educational Services District — is shifting some control to agencies they hope will be able to provide more culturally specific programming.

About 15 SUN schools were already designated for a cultural group, and six more will be newly designated under the shift. A culturally specific nonprofit

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In this April 6, 2016 file photo, Democratic presidential candidate Hillary Clinton speaks in Pittsburgh. Fifty-five percent of Americans say they have a negative opinion of Democratic front-runner Hillary Clinton. But that's not nearly as bad as how they view the leading candidate for the Republican nomination, Donald Trump.

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