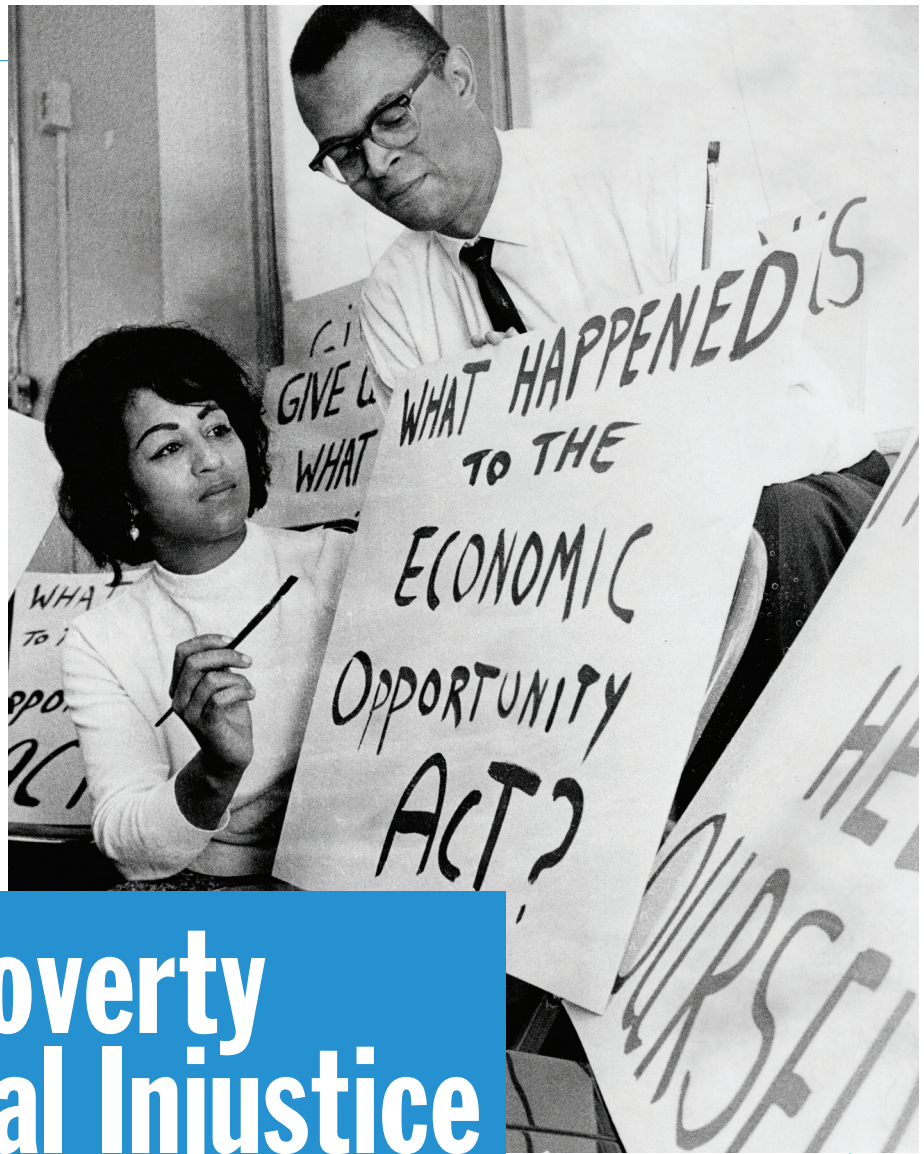


**Monday,
May 5, 2014
6:00 PM**

**A Panel Discussion
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To End Poverty and Racial Injustice The Great Society in Newark

Moderator: Mark Krasovic, author of *The Frontier of the Liberal Imagination: The Great Society in Newark* (forthcoming).

Panelists: Hon. Ken Gibson, VP, United Community Corporation in the 1960s and later Mayor of Newark; Rebecca Doggett, Newark Preschool Council in the 1960s and first Director of the Essex County Department of Citizen Services; Oliver Lofton, Director of Newark Legal Services in the 1960s.

The New Jersey Historical Society, 52 Park Place, Newark, New Jersey

Please RSVP by May 1 to NewarkHistorySociety@verizon.net or by calling 973.376.8273

Open to the public at no charge. Light refreshments.

Above: Mrs. James Snead and William Gardner prepare signs for a rally, most likely "Operation Concern" in September 1966 when busloads of Newarkers went to Washington to protest cuts in antipoverty funding. Photo courtesy of the Newark Public Library.