

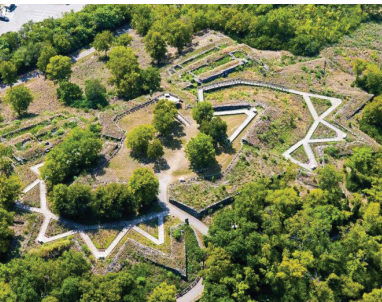
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METRO PARKS CULTURAL LANDSCAPES PAST, PRESENT, AND FUTURE

Session Summary

Explore how different approaches to adaptation, restoration and future planning of cultural landscapes plays out in three of Nashville's most historic parks: Centennial Park, Warner Park, and Fort Negley. Each of these parks represents a different era of Nashville's cultural history and unique design approaches to bridging past with present.

The three parks featured in this Field Session offer the opportunity to share important stories about people of color and women of influence from Nashville's cultural history, and the potential of bringing these stories to light in public landscapes. These stories include: the role of an early Pioneer woman, Anne Cockrill in the development of Nashville and the role of Tennessee Women Suffragists in ratifying the 19th amendment, as interpreted in Centennial Park; Fort Negley Park is a designated "Site of Memory" on the UNESCO Slave Route and played an important role in Nashville's Civil War History before, during and after the war. The history of this place is mirrored in the present with current pressures over gentrification, homeless population rights, and stewardship of a cultural resource.



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