

## THE HISTORY OF MARYLAND AND OUR AMERICAN CULTURE.

(2) THE GOVERNOR, FROM TIME TO TIME, SHALL DESIGNATE A CHAIRMAN AND VICE CHAIRMAN FROM AMONG THE MEMBERS OF THE COMMISSION.

(3) THE COMMISSION SHALL MEET AT THE CALL OF EITHER THE CHAIRMAN OR A MAJORITY OF THE MEMBERS.

(C) THE COMMISSION SHALL:

(1) INITIATE, DIRECT, AND COORDINATE PROJECTS WHICH FURTHER THE UNDERSTANDING OF BOTH BLACK AND INDIAN HISTORY AND CULTURE;

(2) CONTINUE THE SURVEY OF HISTORIC BUILDINGS, SITES, ARTIFACTS, ARCHIVES AND REPOSITORIES, AND PUBLISH AND DISSEMINATE THESE FINDINGS AND INFORMATION;

(3) UNDERTAKE A COMPREHENSIVE STUDY OF INDIGENOUS AMERICAN INDIAN TRIBES AND THEIR INFLUENCE UPON MARYLAND HISTORY AND CULTURE;

(4) COORDINATE THE PARTICIPATION OF BLACK AND INDIAN GROUPS RESPECTIVELY IN THE AMERICAN BICENTENNIAL OBSERVANCE BY ESTABLISHING A LIAISON WITH APPROPRIATE STATE AND HISTORICAL AND CULTURAL AGENCIES AND OTHER ORGANIZATIONS THROUGHOUT THE STATE, AND IMPLEMENTING COMMISSION-SPONSORED PROJECTS;

(5) ESTABLISH A CENTER TO HOUSE AND DISPLAY PHOTOGRAPHS, OBJECTS, ORAL HISTORY TAPES, ARTIFACTS AND OTHER MATERIALS OF BLACK HISTORIC AND CULTURAL SIGNIFICANCE. THE CENTER SHALL BE LOCATED IN ANNAPOLIS AND AVAILABLE FOR THE BICENTENNIAL OBSERVANCE;

(6) LOCATE, PRESERVE AND DISSEMINATE INFORMATION TO THE PUBLIC ABOUT SIGNIFICANT BUILDINGS AND SITES RELATING TO BLACK AND INDIAN HISTORY AND CULTURE, RESPECTIVELY; AND

(7) PUBLISH AN ANNUAL REPORT AND ANY OTHER MATERIAL IT DEEMS NECESSARY.

(D) THE RECORDS, MATERIALS, PERSONAL PROPERTY, FILES, MONIES, CREDITS AND OTHER ASSETS AND LIABILITIES AND OBLIGATIONS OF THE MARYLAND COMMISSION ON NEGRO HISTORY AND CULTURE ARE HEREBY TRANSFERRED TO THE MARYLAND COMMISSION ON AFRO-AMERICAN AND INDIAN HISTORY AND CULTURE.

(E) THE COMMISSION MAY SEEK FUNDS FROM THE FEDERAL