Achieving racial justice and equity within our community begins with acknowledging and understanding our racist history and how that history continues to impact members of our community in the present day. Understanding begins with education, as does learning what it means to be anti-racist and why it is important to endeavor to be anti-racist. Ending the white washing of history in public schools and teaching anti-racism skills to students is an important step forward on the path toward achieving racial justice and equity in our state and in our country.