

Assemblyman Frank Skartados is sponsoring a **Black History Month Essay Contest**

Please interpret the following quote from Martin Luther King Jr. and its meaning to you. Please provide an example:

“If a man is called to be a street sweeper, he should sweep the streets even as Michelangelo painted, or Beethoven composed music, or Shakespeare wrote poetry. He should sweep streets so well that all the hosts of heaven and earth will pause to say, ‘Here lived a great street sweeper who did his job well.’”

Prizes and Certificates will be awarded to top essayists from middle schools and high schools in the 104th Assembly District.

Essays must be between 500 - 600 words, typed and submitted to your English Department.



Deadline is Thursday, Feb. 21, 2013

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