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## WHEN WAVERLY WAS THE CAPITAL OF BALTIMORE

Paul Gunning

During the period following WWII, Waverly went from a village to a social and economic hub of Baltimore. Much of its growth was based on three factors: 1) the growth of the surrounding residential neighborhoods; 2) the easy access to shopping through public transportation; 3) the Memorial Stadium which attracted major professional sports teams. Waverly was a self-contained area able to provide a full range of goods and services within walking distance or easy access by public transportation to all parts of Baltimore and surrounding counties. Learn about the heyday of this Baltimore neighborhood.

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## "FREE BLACKS AND SLAVES ON MARYLAND'S EASTERN SHORE": FROM LECTURE HALL TO BOOK

Jacqueline Hedberg

In the fall semesters of 2017 and 2018, Jacqueline Hedberg taught a class at Osher entitled "Free Blacks and Slaves on Maryland's Eastern Shore." After this class, some of her students suggested that she have the lessons published. On January 21, 2019 (Martin Luther King Jr. Day), The History Press of Charleston, South Carolina, will release Jacqui's first book.

