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Did you know that real estate agents used to rate neighborhoods on their race and color? Well this can be shocking news for us all. Also did you know that the racism and segregation into our region to prove that people were growing up in segregation and racism. Which also lead to others believing that black people are the bad people or bad guys.

One example of a Historical Factor that impacted segregation in our region was the wall built on 8 Mile and Wyoming to separate black and white neighborhoods. Black people were out numbering them in houses and so the white people had left to start their own neighborhood and built a wall so black people couldn't move in with them so from then on it affected them to have everything segregated. This proves it "The racist policies are memorialized by a wall originally built along 8 mile road to separate black and white neighborhoods." And this is coming from a article called Detroit Is The Most Segregated City In America By Michael Sauter and Thomas C. Frohlich.

Another example of a Historical Factor is that impacted segregation in our region was Home Owners Loan Corporation (HOLC) which is how neighborhoods were rated. Ratings were determined by race. And of course black neighborhoods were rated color red and white which was obviously green because white people had much power over black people back then. Evidence of this is that " Yellow and red neighborhoods were considered the worst neighborhoods." The white neighborhoods were the good ones, according to the (HOLC) which says "Blue and green rated neighborhoods were the best rated neighborhoods." This is also coming from the article The History Of Segregated Housing In Metropolitan Detroit. Which caused others to continue the legacy in our region.

A final example of a Historical Factor of the segregation of our region was steering by Real Estate Agents. Because of them, Black people were told they couldn't buy properties because of their race. So many had low paying jobs unable to take care of their families and parents. Real Estate Agents worked with the Government to make it very difficult to find any housing to live in. Coming from the same article The History Of The Segregated Housing In Metropolitan Detroit, from my personal teacher's favorite professor , Joyce A. Baugh says" Even those who did have the money, still faced many barriers. Discrimination by bankers, real estate agents and the local government made it very hard for black residents to find housing."

Remember that when anyone asks you, what to do know about housing segregation tell them that real estate agents had a huge part in this job. Remember that they made it very hard for blacks to even find housing. Also the (HOLC) and the 8 mile and wyoming wall worked to separate black and white neighborhoods, which led to our communities to follow the bad influence. So I want you to support the community by telling and speaking up to the authorities, like city council, may Duggan and other elected officials.