

LaMaughn Muhammad
Publisher, LexTown Publications

LaMaughn Muhammad is a native of Chicago, Illinois whose father's ancestry can be traced back to Calhoun, Kentucky 1856.

He is a graduate of Central State University (an HBCU) where he attained a Bachelor's Degree in Business Administration with an emphasis in Management in 1988.

In 2001, after working for Nabisco, IBM, MWS Construction and Teaching with the City Colleges of Chicago and Chicago Public Schools for 8 years, LaMaughn pursued a career in automotive plastics at Jackson Plastics outside of Lexington, Kentucky.

While at Jackson Plastics, with his wife, he co-founded LextTown Publications in April of 2003. The first project was Central Kentucky's Black Events Calendar, a brochure designed to highlight events that were happening in Lexington and the surrounding cities.

In response to community requests, LexTown Publications produced The Key Newsjournal, a newspaper that serves the Black community of Lexington and the surrounding area.

LaMaughn comments:

“We are humbled by the fact that our community thought that we would do a good job recording the history of Lexington's Black people. We look forward to the challenges of this huge endeavor.”

Currently, LaMaughn Muhammad serves The Key Newsjournal in the capacities of Production and Distribution Manager.