

Today in Georgia History
October 16, 1973
Maynard Holbrock Jackson

Suggested Readings

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Atlanta Airport Building

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Atlanta skyline, c1970

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Bumper sticker from 1973 campaign

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Carnegie Library, 1910

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Election Night, Mattiwilda Dobbs on left at podium, 1973

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Groundbreaking for the Cascade Streetscape Project

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Hartsfield-Jackson International Airport, c1980
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Martin Luther King Jr. Salute to Greatness Awards Dinner, 1984
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Maynard Jackson and Sam Massell, 1973
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Maynard Jackson supporters, 1973
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Maynard Jackson, 1975

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Maynard Jackson, mother on left, 1973

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Maynard Jackson, Photo (2)

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Hartsfield-Jackson International Airport plaque, 2003

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Maynard at his Mayoral desk

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Maynard Jackson

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Maynard in a parade, Maynard with Sammy Davis, Jr., Maynard at his 1973 Mayoral commencement

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Various photos of Maynard around the community

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Maynard with photo and name of JWD in background

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Mayoral campaign

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John Wesley Dobbs

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Maynard Jackson as a child

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Portrait, 1970

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Signed portrait, 1970

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