(1) Phyllis McQuaid, the first woman elected mayor of St. Louis Park, represents the strong leaders who have paved the way.

(2) In the 1890s, T.B. Walker built many factories, warehouses and homes in an attempt to build a self-sustaining industrial town, centered in what is now Historic Walker Lake.

(3) Two St. Louis Park High School students (class of '20 and '21) represent the school and a future full of possibility and opportunity.

(4) The railroad that passes through Historic Walker Lake transported lumber and was essential to the economy of St. Louis Park in the late 1800s and early 1900s. Today, a new kind of rail is under construction.

(5) In 1952, the first African American resident of St. Louis Park, Woodfin Lewis, was asked to leave the city because of his family’s race.

(6) In 1966, B. Robert Lewis became the first African American elected to the St. Louis Park School Board. He worked with students on a plan to “eliminate white racism” in the schools—that work continues today.

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