The 14th annual Run for the Fallen stopped at Cape May’s Soldiers and Sailors Park on Sept. 22. The 2.2-mile run began at Sunset Beach in Lower Township and ended at the New Jersey Gold Star Family Monument in Holmdel. The event honors those who gave their lives in the military in service to America.

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Zerbe produced a report on the African-American history of Cape May and made a presentation report to City Council, Sept. 20. She said the project was fully funded by the federal government because Cape May is a certified historic community. She said Cape May has an African-American history that needs to be shared.

She said Cape May was a place of refuge for African-American travelers. Cape May has a vibrant African-American history that is central to life in the African-American community, Zerbe said.

Zerbe said she examined what happened in African-American communities, how narratives have evolved, and how the community has moved forward.

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