

Information Item

# MPOSC Equity Conversation

Learning from Place: Bdote and Stories I Didn't Know

Metropolitan Parks and Open Space Commission (MPOSC)

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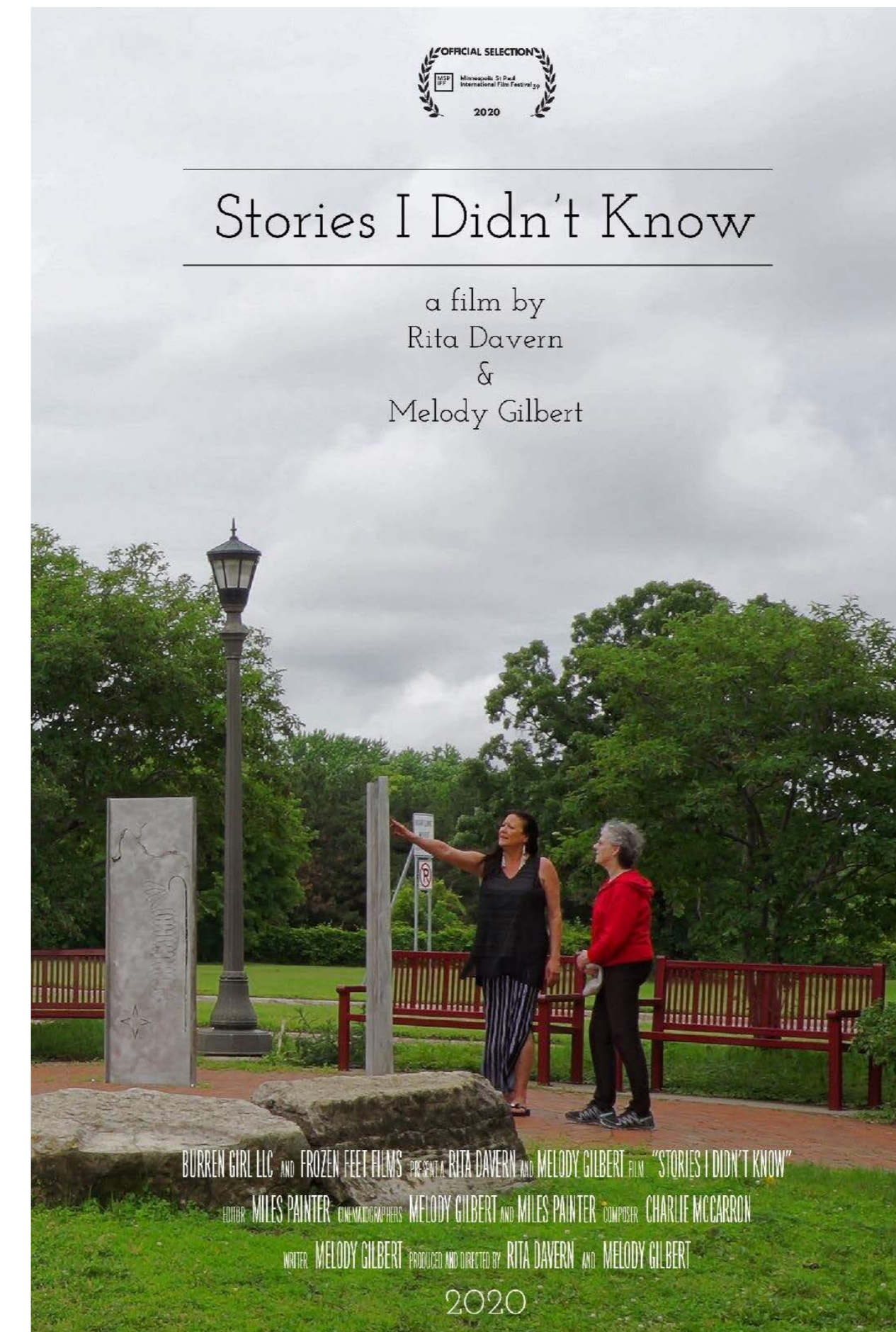
# Learning from Place: Bdote

- Learning from Place: Bdote is an immersive experience that brings participants to sites of great significance to Dakota people in the Twin Cities. Participants will learn from Dakota community members through stories and histories that have often been left out of our state's history.
- September 17, 2021, 8:30 AM – 2:30 PM. The tour/workshop will begin at Fort Snelling State Park near the airport. Participants will drive themselves to the tour. The tour will end at Indian Mounds Regional Park in Saint Paul.



# *Stories I Didn't Know*

- In the hour-long documentary *Stories I Didn't Know*, Rita Davern examines a challenging personal narrative and family legend at the heart of her Minnesota family's past.



# Facilitated discussion: *Stories I Didn't Know*

- Council staff will host a facilitated discussion of the video on Thursday, September 30, 2021, from 3:00 – 4:00 PM. This will be an on-line learning opportunity. You will receive a meeting invitation soon. This one-hour facilitated discussion will be with the creators of the video: Rita Davern, Ramona Kitto-Stately, and Reuben Kitto-Stately.

Battle Creek Regional Park, Ramsey County

