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Driven by his commitment to equity, Aaron Johnson works at the Office of Community Engagement, Racial Equity, and Strategic Initiatives of the Department of Housing as the Project Manager, where he manages projects which center the voice of community members and improves the racial harm of past government policies. Prior to joining the Housing Department, Aaron served as the Senior Manager of Network Experience for StriveTogether where he managed virtual learning supports for helping communities across the country transform systems to support children and families using a racial equity framework. Aaron has also spent several years conducting public policy research in the areas of housing, education, and transportation and engaging in community and labor organizing to advance policy goals from the community. He holds a Master of Public Affairs from the University of Missouri-Columbia, and a Bachelor of Science in Sociology from Truman State University. Outside of work, Aaron enjoys traveling and spend time with friends, but recently he has been enjoying walks around his neighborhood and growing his house plant collection.