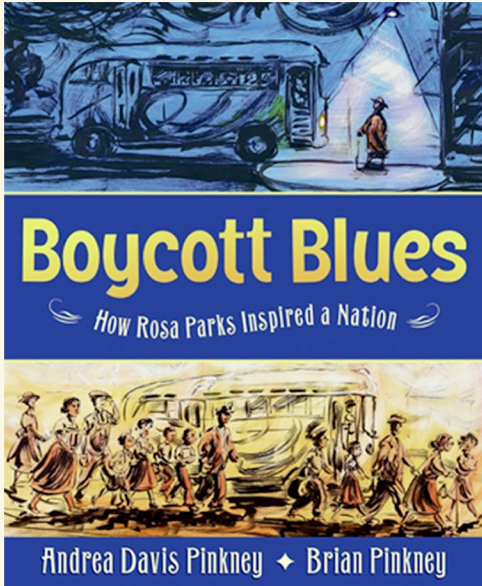


Performing The Blues:

An Activity at the Chicago Freedom School



Participants read the book *Boycott Blues: How Rosa Parks Inspired A Nation* by Angela Davis Pinkney and Brian Pinkney.



Participants danced and listened to Blues musician Howlin' Wolf's songs "Built For Comfort" and "Spoonful".



Moki Tantoco & Alana Varg performing with musical instrument exemplars!



Participants talked about how the Blues are about feelings and emotions, not precision.



Participants used paper plates, rubberbands, scissors, glue, rice, and jars to create their own instruments for Blues songs.



Participants used markers, colored pencils, and crayons to decorate their instruments and make them their own.

