



Urban League

Greater Dallas and North Central Texas

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**URBAN LEAGUE LUNCHEON OPENS 41<sup>st</sup> ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATIONS**

The Urban League of Greater Dallas and North Central Texas will kickoff its 41<sup>st</sup> Anniversary fundraising season at its **Annual Meeting Luncheon** on **Friday, February 22, 2008 at 11:45 a.m.** The event will be held at the **Hilton Anatole Hotel, 2201 Stemmons Freeway**. The **theme** of the Luncheon is ***The Legacy Continues: Passing the Torch***. Three prominent individuals from the community will be honored. **For ticket information call (214) 915-4600.**

**Rev. C. B. T. Smith, retired Pastor of Golden Gate Missionary Baptist Church, Mollie Belt, Publisher Dallas Examiner and Julia Jordan, Retired Educator and member of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority and Links, Inc. Dallas Chapter** will be recognized for their outstanding achievements and contributions to the Dallas Metroplex Communities. The honorees will pass their legacy torch to the next generation of individuals who made achievements in their profession and will continue their legacy.

We are truly honored to recognize our legendary honorees for their contributions to the community, "said Dr. Beverly Mitchell Brooks, President and CEO of the Urban League. "They demonstrate how challenges that individuals face daily can be overcome."

Dr. Brooks will highlight the Urban League's activities and its impact on the community in her annual report to the community, the new Board of Trustees will also be installed and the CSBG Managing Board, Annie Dickens, Chairperson will be acknowledged.

The Urban League is the nation's oldest and largest community-based movement devoted to empowering African Americans and others to enter the economic and social mainstream. The mission of the Urban League of Greater Dallas is to enable African Americans and others to secure economic self-reliance, parity, power and civil rights and others to enter and enhance their position in the economic and social mainstream.

