

CAPSBC hosts "Hope in Action" Gala Banquet



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ABOVE LEFT: CAL STATE SAN BERNARDINO PRESIDENT DR. AL KARNIG CHUCKLED DURING HIS REMARKS AT THE CAPSBC GALA WHEN HE SAID THAT HE COULD NOT STAY TOO LONG AS HE HAD TO RETURN HOME TO CARE FOR HIS WIFE MARILYN, WHO VERY RECENTLY HAD KNEE SURGERY, BUT SAID THAT HE REALLY NEED TO WORK ON IMPROVING HIS CARE GIVING SKILLS.

ABOVE RIGHT: AGAINST A BACKDROP OF DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING JR., FORMER RIALTO UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT EDNA DAVIS HERRING OFFERED WORDS OF PRAISE, ENCOURAGEMENT AND HOPE DURING THE CAPSBC GALA BANQUET ON THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 10.

On September 10, 2009, Community Action Partnership of San Bernardino County (CAPSBC) will hosted a Gala Banquet at Cal State University, San Bernardino

in the Santos Manuel Student Union Event Center to honor several individuals for their outstanding contributions to the community. This year's theme was "Hope in Action."

Keynote speaker is Manny Medrano, a reporter for KTLA News in Los Angeles, and a former Supreme Court/Legal Affairs correspondent for ABC News in Washington, DC. "CAPSBC is honored to present the Community Action Partnership Legacy Awards, to pay tribute to individuals and organizations that have supported us in our fight against poverty for many years", said Patricia L. Nickols, CAPSBC Chief Executive Officer.

This year's honorees are: Kim Carter, Executive Director, Time For Change Foundation for the Venny Newman Humanitarian Award, Union Bank for the Community Partner Award, Mary McKinney, Food Bank Volunteer, for Helping People, Changing Lives Award, Vicky Terrill, Individual Development Account's Program client, for the Spirit of Hope Award, and Wilmer Amina Carter, Assembly member, 62nd District, for the Legislative Advocate Award.

For over 40 years, CAPSBC has been developing and implementing programs that address the most crucial needs of low-income residents in San Bernardino County. CAPSBC is a private non-profit public benefit corporation with a 501(c)(3) status. CAPSBC was es-



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KTLA 5 REPORTER MANNY MEDRANO, LEFT, WAS THE KEYNOTE SPEAKER AT THE CAPSBC GALA. HE SHARED A TABLE WITH SAN BERNARDINO MAYOR PAT MORRIS WHO OFFERED SOME OF THE OPENING REMARKS.

established in 1965 as a result of the Economic Opportunity Act (EOA) of 1964. CAPSBC is the designated "Community Action Agency" for San Bernardino County by the State of California and is one of more than 1,100 Community Action Agencies nationwide dedicated to assisting low-income individuals and families to become stable and self-reliance. Today, CAPSBC, as one of

the largest non-profit human services agency in San Bernardino County, continues to be the leader in providing resources and opportunities to the low-income to improve their lives, contribute to their communities and offer a return on investment for our communities, cities and county.

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