

California Wellness Foundation Honors Time For Change Foundation's Kim Carter With \$35,000 Grant

Staff Reports



"Time For Change Foundation's Kim Carter and Eight Other Non-Profit Leaders Receive The California Wellness Foundation's 2009 Sabbatical Award."

LOS ANGELES—The California Wellness Foundation honored Time For Change Foundation's Founder and Executive Director, Kim Carter, with a 2009 Sabbatical Award at its Annual Awards Luncheon on October 22, 2009 at 12:00 noon at the City Club on Bunker Hill in Los Angeles. The Sabbatical Program Award comes with a \$35,000 grant aimed at improving the long-term effectiveness of nonprofits, by providing eight executives with the rest they need to continue to direct their organizations' missions.

"Executives responsible for non-profit health and human service or-

ganizations in California have been working under challenging conditions for a number of years, in a climate that doesn't appear likely to markedly improve anytime soon," said Gary L. Yates, TCWF president and CEO. "The Foundation developed the sabbatical program to prevent burn-out, promote the health of these executives and provide an opportunity to strengthen these organizations. We are pleased to recognize these eight dedicated individuals with the 2009 TCWF Sabbatical Program Award." He explained.

The California Wellness Foun-

ation is a private, independent foundation created in 1992, with a mission to improve the health of

the people of California by making grants for health promotion, wellness education and disease prevention. The Foundation has a Responsive Grantmaking Program that prioritizes eight issues for funding: diversity in the health professions, environmental health, healthy aging, mental health, teenage pregnancy prevention, violence prevention, women's health, and work and health. It also responds to timely issues or special projects outside

the funding priorities. Since its founding in 1992, the Foundation has awarded 5,719 grants totaling more than \$719 million. Please visit TCWF's website at www.CalWellness.org for more information.

The mission of the Time For Change Foundation is to provide essential resources, through its programs and services, to women and children who desire to change the course of their lives by making the transition from homelessness and recidivism to self-sufficiency.

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