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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

PBCC to host Green Expo – Green Ideas for Today

(Lake Worth, Fla. – Sept. 12, 2008) Palm Beach Community College's Trade & Industry Programs will hold the first Green Expo – Green Ideas for Today exhibition on Saturday, Oct. 4 from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. at the Education and Training Center building on the Lake Worth campus.

The Green Expo is a collaboration of government agencies, nonprofit groups and businesses seeking to promote environmentally friendly products, services, education and practices. Attendees can increase their awareness of greenhouse emissions and climate change and help contribute to a healthy planet.

The event is sponsored by Florida Public Utilities and the city of Lake Worth; exhibitors include South Florida Water Management District, Community Earth Environmental Club, US Green Building Council, Sunshine One Call, Daylighting Technologies and the Florida Native Plant Society. Exhibits will include presentations on water and energy conservation and demonstrations on buying and building green, and hands-on workshops, such as making and using a rain barrel.

The event is free and open to the public (limited exhibitor space is still available); for more information and to register for workshops visit: www.pbcc.edu/GreenExpo.xml, or call 561-868-3885.

Palm Beach Community College, Florida's first public community college, is celebrating its 75th anniversary throughout 2008. The largest institution of higher education in Palm Beach County, PBCC serves more than 45,000 students annually through its associate degrees, professional certificates, career and customized training and lifelong learning. The College offers more than 100 programs of study at locations in Lake Worth, Boca Raton, Palm Beach Gardens and Belle Glade.

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