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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

Obama to hold 'Growing American Jobs' Summit at PBCC

(Lake Worth, Fla. – Oct. 20, 2008) U.S. presidential candidate Sen. Barack Obama will convene governors from around the country, business leaders and economic experts to discuss his plan for solving the economic crisis and creating good jobs in America on Tuesday, Oct. 21 at Palm Beach Community College.

The event begins at 10:30 a.m. (doors open at 9 a.m.) in the Elisabeth W. Erling Gymnasium on the Lake Worth campus of PBCC. Admission is free by ticket only. All tickets available to the public were distributed earlier today.

The Obama campaign will provide a live Web stream of the summit for those who were unable to secure tickets. To access the live stream during the event, go to www.barackobama.com/live.

At the summit, Michigan Governor Jennifer Granholm, Ohio Governor Ted Strickland, New Mexico Governor Bill Richardson, Colorado Governor Bill Ritter, Google CEO Eric Schmidt and former Federal Reserve Chairman Paul Volcker will discuss the economic challenges that they are seeing firsthand and will talk about the impact that Sen. Obama's Economic Rescue plan for the middle class would have on the economy in communities across America.

Members of the media should visit www.barackobama.com/mediarsvp to apply for credentials.

For those attending the summit, free parking will be available at John Prince Park. Please use the Congress Avenue entrance. Carpooling is encouraged.

For security reasons, do not bring bags. Please limit personal items. No signs or banners are permitted.

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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