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PBCC seeks nominations for 2010 MLK Leadership Awards

(Lake Worth, Fla. – Sept. 10, 2009) Palm Beach Community College is seeking nominations for the 2010 Martin Luther King Jr. Leadership Awards.

The annual awards recognize individuals and organizations that have made significant contributions toward improving the lives of others, particularly the underserved, in such areas as education, diversity, race relations, health services, social justice or economic empowerment. There are four award categories: Individual, Organization, PBCC Student and PBCC Alumni. The deadline for nominations is Oct. 30.

The awards will be presented at PBCC's 11th annual Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Celebration Breakfast scheduled for Jan. 14, 2010 at the Lake Worth campus.

Since establishing the awards in 2001, PBCC has honored 38 individuals and organizations. Details about the awards and nomination forms are available at www.pbcc.edu/mlk.xml.

For more information, call Nicole Banks at (561) 862- 4311.

About Palm Beach Community College: Serving more than 49,000 students annually, Palm Beach Community College is the largest institution of higher education in Palm Beach County, providing the bachelor's degree, associate degrees, professional certificates, career training and lifelong learning. Florida's first public community college, PBCC offers more than 100 programs of study at locations in Lake Worth, Boca Raton, Palm Beach Gardens and Belle Glade.

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