SC State Board of Trustees Member and Wife among Notables to Receive March of Dimes African American Achievement Award

Submitted by the March of Dimes

The March of Dimes South Carolina Chapter is pleased to announce that the community will honor SC State Board of Trustees member, Tony Grant, along with his wife, Helen Grant, with the 2011 African American Achievement Award. Other recipients are Dr. Clarence and Mrs. Dollison. The couples will receive the award at the organization’s ninth annual breakfast on Thursday, Nov. 17, 2011 at the Brookland Banquet and Conference Center. A panel, consisting of past recipients of the award, chose to honor the Grants and the Dollisons for their outstanding community service and contributions to the African American community of South Carolina.

Tony and Helen Grant are CEO and vice-chairman, respectively, of Grant Business Strategies, Inc. The Grants also possess a considerable track record of supporting several area organizations and taking an active role in boards of director positions throughout the Midlands. They have two sons, Hamilton and Alexander, and twin daughters, Kristina and Katherine.

“I’m proud to be part of this event which will help the March of Dimes continue working towards the day when every baby has a healthy start in life,” Tony Grant says. “The generous contributions of the community, event sponsors and attendees will truly impact the lives of babies and families in our community and across the state.” (Click here for full story).

SC State University Professor Educates Attendees on Bankruptcy Reforms at National and International Conferences

By Ashley Elliott

Dr. Enoch K. Beraho, professor of management at SC State University, usually teaches juniors and seniors about various aspects of business management; however, this summer he shared his distinct knowledge with thousands of others.

In July 2011, he was selected to present at the International Academy of Business and Public Administration Disciplines (IABPAD) Conference in Honolulu, Hawaii. During this annual conference, designed to promote excellence in public administration and business disciplines including accounting, economics, education, finance and marketing, Beraho enlightened attendees with his paper entitled: “A Comparative Review of Bankruptcy Reforms in USA, UK, China and Malaysia.”

“My interest was to share with them the purpose of U.S. and UK’s bankruptcy reforms and compare them with those of China and Malaysia. Although the strategic approaches to bankruptcy management vary, the strategic purposes are similar if not the same,” shared Beraho. (Click here for full story).