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The Ms. Single Mom Empowerment Forum - A Celebration of Community

LONG BEACH (January 2016) Speak UP Empowerment Foundation, Inc. Executive Director Robbie Butler partners with Sullivan International, Inc. CEO Barbara Sullivan to present the Ms. Single Mom Empowerment Forum in Long Beach CA



Robbie Butler and Barbara Sullivan are two dynamic visionaries who have pooled their talents to present the inaugural Ms. Single Mom Empowerment Forum on Saturday April 16, 2016 from 10:00a to 3:00p at the Holiday Inn Conference Center located at 2640 N. Lakewood Blvd., in Long Beach, CA 90815.

Butler and Sullivan are women business owners who understand the importance of giving back to the community and look for opportunities to support underserved groups. The Ms. Single Mom Empowerment Forum is another avenue for each of us to make an impact on people's lives that are otherwise often overlooked.

The empowerment forum event will highlight a commitment to community, diversity, education, and economic empowerment for Single Mothers because so many of us have been touched by a single mom during our lifetime. This event will also celebrate and recognize more than five years of the "Ms. Single Mom – Yes, You Can!" book (www.ms-singlemom.com) because the book's focus is education, encouragement and empowerment – a movement that serves as a strong reminder to all single mothers that "Yes, You Can!" even when the odds say No, You Can't.

*Registration cost for the Ms. Single Mom Empowerment Forum is **FREE** and it is expected to attract more than 1,500 registrants. Breakfast and lunch are included - and the day promises to be filled with encouragement, enlightenment and empowerment for all in attendance.*

The empowerment forum offers a morning press conference; meet and greet reception; morning and afternoon expert empowerment speakers; an afternoon de-stress center complete with pamper services; gift bags; and outgoing LA County 4th District Supervisor Don Knabe will be saluted during the luncheon for his extensive work to protect the innocent and vulnerable children of Los Angeles County, as will several other professional women empowerment leaders for their support and encouragement of young women's success.

Single moms residing in Long Beach, Signal Hill, Carson, Lakewood, Bellflower, Compton, and the adjacent communities are invited to attend so mark your calendars and plan to be at the Holiday Inn Conference Center in Long Beach for motivation, success strategies, de-stressing techniques, complimentary makeovers; and a chance to win one of the college application fee or clothing certificate awards given away throughout the day.

The event registration form can be accessed at www.speakupempowermentfoundation.org beginning on March 1st.

*Registration forms should be submitted online no later than March 25, 2016 - Seating is limited - Register early!
Each registered attendee can enter the prize drawings - All winners must be present to claim prizes.*

Confirmed event supporters include: African American Museum & Library at Oakland (AAMLO); Los Angeles Lakers, Inc.; Johnson & Johnson; SCE; Mixed Chicks, LLC; District 9 Councilmember Rex Richardson; Better Bodies Fitness Center; Skin Essence by Pam; Rhema Word Bible Church; and the RARE Woman Radio Show.

Your tax deductible sponsorship will play a significant part to ensure the event's success.

Sponsor opportunity package is available at www.speakupempowermentfoundation.org/SPONSORS.