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Dear Friend:

Since 1994, Parity Inc. has selected and recognized exceptional African American males in our community at the Top 10 African American Males Luncheon. Parity Inc.'s mission is to serve and advocate for socioeconomic equity within the African American Community through collaborations and partnerships. The Top 10 African American Male Luncheon aligns with this mission. The purpose of this honor is to celebrate the accomplishments of African American males who stand tall as role models for the younger generation and the community. Since its inception, the honoree list has grown to over 280 African American males, continuing to serve as positive role models and men from all walks of life and professions.

Do you know of an African American male who has made tremendous contributions to their family, community, and/or profession(s)? If yes, Parity Inc. invites you to submit the attached nomination form by Wednesday, November 30<sup>th</sup>, 2022, via email to [c.osley.parity@gmail.com](mailto:c.osley.parity@gmail.com). If chosen, the honoree will convene with other Top10 African American males and their guest at the recognition ceremony held Thursday, February 16<sup>th</sup>, 2023, at Sinclair Community College. More details will become available as the event draws near.

At this time, nominations are open and welcomed. Parity Inc. appreciates your time in nominating someone worthy of this honor. Please feel free to forward the nomination form to others for submission on or before Wednesday, November 30<sup>th</sup>, 2022. Completed applications may be returned via email to [c.osley.parity@gmail.com](mailto:c.osley.parity@gmail.com). To ensure that application content is legible please submit typed applications only. Thank you for your cooperation.

Dollars raised at this event support programs such as Youth Development for Success and the Black Leadership Development Program.

We look forward to receiving your nomination and participation at the event. If you have any questions, please contact Ms. Osley via phone at 937.818.2241 or email at [c.osley.parity@gmail.com](mailto:c.osley.parity@gmail.com). The list of honorees will be revealed in December 2022.

Thank you again in advance for your support.

Sincerely,

Parity Inc. Top 10 African American Males Committee

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TOP TEN NOMINATION FORM

Parity Inc. is a program of citizen participation that addresses issues and problems of fairness and equity in the African American community. The overall mission is to improve the economics, educational and social conditions of African Americans to gain parity with the majority community.

Nominee's Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_
Nominee's Business Title (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_
Company/Business Name (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_
Nominee's Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_
Nominee's Telephone (cell): \_\_\_\_\_
Nominee's Telephone (home or office): \_\_\_\_\_
Nominee's E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Nominator Name: \_\_\_\_\_
Nominator Telephone (Cell): \_\_\_\_\_
Nominator Telephone (Home or Office): \_\_\_\_\_
Nominator E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

The application deadline is at midnight on Wednesday, November 30, 2022. You may return the application by e-mail the form to: c.osley.parity@gmail.com. If you have any questions, phone Ms. Osley (Executive Director) at 937.818.2241. Fillable applications may be downloaded at www.parityinc.org . To ensure that application content is legible please submit typed applications only. Thank you for your cooperation.

The 2023 Top 10 African American Male Luncheon is scheduled on February 16, 2023, from 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at Sinclair Community College.

**Please include the following focus points in the nomination in the fillable box below:**

**(Note: some points will cover multiple focus points)**

(Scored at 30%) - Illustrate how the nominee has used his **platform of influence** within the Greater Dayton community or surrounding area to pave a brighter path for future generations of African Americans (e.g., activist, community leader, elected official, religious leader, and so forth).

(Scored at 30%) - Illustrate how the nominee has used his talents as a **volunteer** within the Greater Dayton community or surrounding area to pave a brighter path for future generations of African Americans (response should include time and quality of the participation devoted to these efforts).

(Scored at 30%) - Illustrate how the nominee has distinguished himself as an exemplary African American **leader or role model** in their respective community or employment.

(Scored at 10%) - Illustrate how the nominee has distinguished himself as an active member and or leader within their family (**family involvement**).

(Limit each response to 2,000 characters and use a bullet point or summary paragraph format)

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