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February 27, 1998

Thomas Stanley
9800 Lee Drive
Eden Prairie, MN 55347

RE: Appreciation of Contribution to
EHEP Board

Dear Tom:

On behalf of the EHEP Board of Directors, I wish to express our heartfelt appreciation for your contributions and support of EHEP's mission and efforts to promote racially and economically inclusive communities.

In spite of your present inability to remain on the Board, it is our hope that your enthusiasm and wisdom will continue to guide and support our continued efforts to reach the goal of a "community without barriers" for all people.

Thank you again, and best wishes for your own endeavors. Please keep in touch.

Sincerely,

Dick Little
Executive Director

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February 27, 1998

Carol McGee Johnson
5014 First Avenue South
Minneapolis, MN 55419

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Executive Director

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Name: To all EHEP Board Members

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Organization: Education and Housing Equity Project

From: Dick Little, Executive Director Date: March 16, 1998

Subject: FRIDAY'S BOARD MEETING Pages: (including cover page) 2

Comments: Forwarded with this cover memo is your copy of the Board Agenda for our next scheduled meeting this Friday, March 20, 1998. Please RSVP regrets only; otherwise, we will expect to see you. The board packet will be coming to you in the mail.

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BOARD MEETING

Friday, March 20, 1998

7:30 – 9:00 a.m.

Conference Room 1

Minnesota Church Center

Board Agenda

1. Welcome and introduction of new intern, *Kesha Tanabe*
2. Approval of minutes of January 30, 1998 board meeting
3. Reports
 - a. Financial report (through February 1998)
 - b. Executive director's report
4. Board business
 - a. Approval of 1998 budget
 - b. Action on 1997 community circles report
 - c. Action on EHEP/Community Circles brochure/flyer
 - d. Review of draft outline for 1998 community circles discussion guide
 - e. Revised design for EHEP corporate logo/identity
 - f. Plans for a Twin Cities workshop on study circles co-sponsored with the national Study Circles Resource Center (April 25, 1998)
5. Other business
6. Agreement on next board meeting and adjournment

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March 2, 1998

Georgina Stephens
Vice President for Finance and Operations
University of Minnesota
301 Morrill Hall
100 Church Street
Minneapolis, MN 55455

RE: Year End Update and Appreciation

Dear Georgina:

1997 was a challenging and productive year for EHEP. Please find enclosed a year end 1997 Report. It outlines and summarizes the major accomplishments of EHEP and the Community Circle Collaborative Project. What is most important to note is that your help and support enabled EHEP to move closer to realizing its mission of creating more inclusive communities in the Twin Cities metropolitan area.

It is with heartfelt appreciation that I and the Board of Directors, again thank you for your generous and insightful contributions to these efforts. Although we realize that your current endeavors do not allow your direct participation in EHEP's Board, we can not ignore the continued impact of your support on our organization.

Continued best wishes and please keep in touch.

Sincerely,

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March 2, 1998

Mike Anderson
East Side Neighborhood Development Co.
900 Payne Avenue
St. Paul, MN 55101

RE: Year End Update and Appreciation

Dear Mike:

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February 12, 1998

Nurez Jahani
Norwest Mortgage, Inc.
7378 North Kirkwood Court
Maple Grove, MN 55369

RE: Letter of Acknowledgment
Of Grant for Community
Circle Discussion Guide

Dear Nurez:

Please find enclosed a copy of my letter of September 15, 1997 regarding your generous contribution of \$500.00 for the printing and distribution of the Community Circle Discussion Guide - "Choices for Community". As I indicated in my previous correspondence the check should be made out to The Education and Housing Equity Project at the above noted address.

Again, thank you for your generous support and continued interest in the Community Circle Initiative. We are currently completing our final report and recommendations from Round 1, and are planning to start Round 2 in the Fall of 1998. We will continue to keep you apprised of our progress and future accomplishments.

Sincerely,

Dick Little
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February 12, 1998

Allison Smith
The National Conference
71 Fifth Avenue
New York, New York 10003

RE: Community Circle

Dear Allison:

Please find enclosed the materials you requested concerning our Community Circle Collaborative and the dialogue "Community Choices". I have enclosed a fact sheet about the project along with a copy of our Discussion Guide and some of the press and media coverage of the Community Circle initiative. We are in the process of completing the report regarding the results and recommendations of our first round of discussions and plan to initiate a second round in the Fall of 1998. We anticipate that our second round will involve an even broader participant base and will result in a more focused deliberative process.

Thank you for your interest and support regarding our Community Circle efforts. If we can provide any further information, please do not hesitate to contact our office.

Sincerely,

Dick Little
Executive Director

The National Conference
of Christians and Jews
71 Fifth Avenue
New York, New York 10003
TEL. 212 206-0006
FAX 212 255-6177



FAX TRANSMISSION

Page # 1 of Page # 1

DATE: 1/13/98

TO: Dick Little, Exec. Director
Community Circle Collaborative
612 871-8984

FROM: Allison Smith
212-206-0006 x228

If you did not receive the whole document please call the above number

MESSAGE Thank you for taking the time to speak
with me today. At your earliest
convenience, I would appreciate
if you would send me some
materials on your program. Or
you can fax them to me at: 212 255-6177

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February 13, 1998

Mary Ellen Murphy Spectre
4824 Upton Avenue South
Minneapolis, MN 55410

RE: Community Circle
Discussion Guide

Dear Mary Ellen:

Please find enclosed a copy of the Community Circles Discussion Guide - "Choices for Community" per your request. Thank you for your interest and support of our Community Circle initiative. We are in the process of completing a final report of the results and recommendations of our first round of community circle discussions. We are anticipating the start of a second round of discussions in the Fall of 1998 which will involve a broader participant base and a more focused deliberative process.

Again, if we can provide you with any further information and/or assistance in becoming involved with the Community Circle Project, please do not hesitate to contact us at the above location.

Sincerely,

Dick Little
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February 13, 1998

Maplewood Human Rights Commission
Attn.: Colleen Dirkswager
Community Services Coordinator
City of Maplewood
1830 East County Road B
Maplewood, MN 55109

RE: Community Circle Discussion
Guide - "Choices for Community"

Dear Colleen:

Please find enclosed 12 copies of the Community Circle Discussion Guide - "Choices for Community" per your request for members of the Maplewood Human Rights Commission. We hope the commissioners will find the Discussion Guide useful and pertinent to their efforts to create community dialogue and action plans to address the issues of accessibility in education and housing.

We are in the process of completing our final report of the proceedings and recommendations from our first round of community circle discussions, and plan to initiate our second round in the Fall of 1998. The second round of discussions will involve a broader base of participants and a more focused deliberative process. We hope that the City of Maplewood and in particular the Human Rights Commission will continue to support this effort and sponsor Community Circles in your community.

We would appreciate a donation of \$2.00 per copy of the Discussion Guide to cover part of the expense of printing and distribution. Thank you for your attention to this request. If we can provide any further information or assistance regarding the Community Circle process, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,

Dick Little
Executive Director

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February 13, 1998

Dawn Lundgren
1545 Arden Place
Arden Hills, MN 55112

RE: Community Circle
Discussion Guide

Dear Dawn:

Please find enclosed a copy of the Community Circles Discussion Guide - "Choices for Community" per your request. Thank you for your interest and support of our Community Circle initiative. We are in the process of completing a final report of the results and recommendations of our first round of community circle discussions. We are anticipating the start of a second round of discussions in the Fall of 1998 which will involve a broader participant base and a more focused deliberative process.

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February 13, 1998

Professor Michael Delli Carpini
c/o Sasha Soreff
Department of Political Science
Barnard College
3009 Broadway
New York, NY 10027-6598

RE: Information and Materials
Community Circle Discussions

Dear Professor Carpini and Ms. Soreff:

Please find enclosed information regarding the Education and Housing Equity Project and the Community Circle Collaborative per your recent request. We have served as a catalyst for the Community Circle Collaborative and last Spring (1997) coordinated the sponsorship and facilitation of more than 25 Community Circle Discussions regarding the challenges of education, housing and segregation in the Twin Cities metropolitan area. The Community Circles involved more than 300 participants in this "regional conversation" and we have produced a Directory of over 1000 interested people and agencies in our communities.

We have included a copy of the Community Circle Discussion Guide - "Choices for Community" which was written and produced specifically for this project. In addition there are a "Fact Sheet" and various materials describing the project and the Community Circle process. We are presently completing a final report of the first round of Community Circle Discussions with the results and recommendations from each participating circle. We plan to initiate our second round of Community Circle Discussions in the Fall of 1998. This second round will involve a broader base of participants and a more focused deliberative process.

In regard to other groups which are involved with use of the Community Circle, we would recommend you contact Mr. Shane Price, Community Organizer, for Hennepin County Children & Family Services Department. His office is located at West Broadway Village Social Services, 710 West Broadway (MC805), Minneapolis, Minnesota 55411-2612, and his telephone and fax numbers are (612) 287-7013 and (612) 287-7003. He has organized, trained and facilitated community members in the use of the "Circle Process" as regards restorative justice efforts in the areas of juvenile delinquency, family violence, and child protection.

Thank you for your interest in our efforts here in the Twin Cities and we would be most pleased to receive information regarding your research efforts at Barnard College in the areas of citizen deliberation and Community Circle Discussions.

Sincerely,

Dick Little
Executive Director

January 30, 1998

Dick Little, Executive Director
Education and Equity Project
fax: 612-871-8984

Dear Mr. Little,

Per our conversation yesterday, I am putting my request in writing to get more information about the Education and Housing Equity Project and the Community Circle Collaborative.

I am working on a research project with Professor Michael Delli Carpini at Barnard College, Columbia University. He is gathering information for a Pew Charitable Trust grant on efforts to increase participation.

With that in mind, we are contacting organizations that are organizing and facilitating situations that foster deliberation -- citizens coming together for discussion. Any information you could send us about how your project is organized, it's history, current projects and future plans and any other relevant material would be extremely useful.

If you have any suggestions about other groups or individuals doing similar work, please let us know as well.

Information should be sent to:
Professor Michael Delli Carpini
Department of Political Science
Barnard College
3009 Broadway
New York, NY 10027-6598.

I can be reached at 212-501-2425, as well as by email, ssoreff@aol.com if you have any questions. After reviewing the material, I hope to be in touch with you again.

Thank you for your help. I look forward to talking to you again soon.

Sincerely,

Sasha Soreff

Fax Cover Page

January 30, 1998

**To: Mr. Dick Little, Executive Director
Education and Housing Equity Project**

**Fr: Sasha Soreff
212-501-2425**

2 pages total

Thank you!

To: Dick Little

From : Sasha Soreff

For Information Call: (207) 774-3131

At:

Pages: 2

My Fax Number : (207) 774-3131

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February 13, 1998

Donna Nelson
Producer
NBC News
4001 Nebraska Avenue NW
Washington, D.C. 20016

RE: Community Circle Discussion
Materials

Dear Donna:

Please find enclosed a copy of the Community Circle Discussion Guide - "Choices for Community", along with a fact sheet about the project, and other pertinent materials per your request following our phone conversation in Mid-December, 1997. We hope the information and materials will be of interest to you as well as your viewing constituency at NBC.

We are presently completing the final report of the results and recommendations from the first round of Community Circle Discussions, and plan to initiate a second round of Community Circles in the Fall of 1998. The second round will involve a broader base of participants and a more focused deliberative process. We will continue to keep you updated on our efforts and the results of the community circle dialogue.

Thank you for your continued interest and support of our efforts here in the Twin Cities. If we can provide any further information, please do not hesitate to contact us again.

Sincerely,

Dick Little
Executive Director

Dec. 18, 1997

7:05PM

NBC NEWS
Nebraska, Lincoln, Nev.
Washington, D.C. 20016
202 885-4200

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December 18, 1997

Dick Little
Minneapolis Education
and Housing Equity Project
Fax: 612/871-8984

I enjoyed our conversation on the phone this week and appreciated the information on your efforts in breaking down racial barriers.

If you could send any background information you have on your program to me by fax to 202/362-2009. Or if it's too much to my address: NBC News 4001 Nebraska Avenue, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20016

Thank you very much for your help!

Donna Nelson
Producer
202/885-4200

Donna Nelson

I will be sending materials about our project, scheduled for later this year.

In the mean time, we have organized Twin Cities are participation in the National Days of Dialogue on Race Relations, happening this week and next, in conjunction with Martin Luther King Day. Hope you will take advantage of info I'm sending you. The Richfield (first ring suburb of Minneapolis) Community Forum would be my first recommendation as one to contact, cover, or follow up on. See list.

DICK

Dec. 18. 1997

7:05PM

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Donna Nelson
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February 12, 1998

Margaret Gillespie
Maple Grove Community Library
8351 Elm Creek Boulevard
Maple Grove, MN 55369

RE: Community Circle
Information Report

Dear Margaret:

Please find enclosed my memo and the "Community Circle Information Report" form which we sent out last July, 1997. I am sorry for the "mix up" in the mailing process and regret that this did not come to your attention sooner. However, we would very much appreciate your information regarding the Community Circle(s) with which you were involved and are still incorporating information from the Community Circles into a final report and update of our first round results and recommendations.

Our time line includes not only a report with recommendations from "Round 1" of the Community Circles, but planning and implementation of a "Round 2" for the Fall of 1998, which will involve and even broader base of participants and more focused deliberations. Again, thank you for your help and support in this process and we are looking forward to our continued collaboration with you and your agency in our future efforts.

Sincerely,

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February 12, 1998

Marcy Shapiro
 Executive Director
 The National Conference
 Iris Place, Suite #55
 1885 University Avenue West
 St. Paul, MN 55104-3403

RE: Invoice(s) for Shared Expenses
 "Little Rock Memorial"

Dear Marcy:

Please find enclosed the receipt for postage and invoice for printing regarding the mailing and printing of the "Little Rock Memorial" event brochure for the "Dialogue on Race Relations & America's Public Schools" in September 1997. According to our agreement our agencies would "split" the postage for mailing to EHEP's mailing list of a 1,000+ names. The postage was \$320.00. Also we provided an additional 1,000 brochures for your use which cost \$92.50 for printing.

Invoice Statement

Postage:	\$160.00
Printing:	\$ 92.50
Total:	\$252.50

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

The response from our efforts in September, 1997 continues to unfold and has drawn attention from numerous directions and the national media as well. Hope all is well with your endeavors, and please do not hesitate to contact us again in regard to further collaborative initiatives.

Sincerely,

Dick Little
 Executive Director

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PRINTING

Job No. **11446**

Customer The National Conf / MN Dakota Region Date 9/17
Address 100 North Sixth St. Suite 531-B
City Minneapolis State MN Zip 55403 Phone 333 5365
Marcy Shapiro

Job Reference: Race Relations: America's Public Education System

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Richard C. Little (EHEP)
for *Marcy Shapiro,*
NATIONAL CONFERENCE,
MN-DAKOTAS REGION

POSTAGE 320.00

TOTAL: \$ 320.00
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DATE: 09/17/97 09:39:52 AM

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February 13, 1998

Thomas Stanley
Silicon Graphics/Cray Research
5601 Green Valley Drive
Bloomington, MN 55437

RE: \$500.00 Donation for
EHEP Office Furnishings Project

Dear ^{Thomas}~~Tom~~:

Please accept our heartfelt appreciation at the Education and Housing Equity Project (EHEP) for your generous contribution of \$500.00 for our office furnishing and refurbishing project. We were greatly in need of additional office furnishings and equipment and your company's donation has allowed us to continue our work and efforts with more efficiency and productivity. Your contribution has enabled us to enter into a lease/usage agreement for a more efficient copier and fax system. We have also procured additional office furnishings and supplies so that our work can continue with less environmental discomfort and fewer disruptions.

We would most appreciate receiving your contribution of \$500.00 by the close of this month. The check should be made out and sent to the

**Education and Housing Equity Project
122 West Franklin Avenue, Suite 310
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55404**

Thanks again for both your financial contribution, as well as your commitment of time and personal support of EHEP's mission and objectives. Please keep in touch.

Sincerely,

Dick Little
Executive Director

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SALESMAN

SOLD TO Education Housing Equity Project
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CITY Mpls STATE MN ZIP 55404

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2	MMCB436	84x36 Laminate Bookcase Med Cherry	238 00	476 00
1	NA13-2148LPMC	24x48 Basic Cabinet Med Cherry	271 00	271 00
1	NA13-3066RPMC	30x60 Single Rd Desk Med Cherry	422 00	422 00
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February 17, 1998

Neil Libson
 Director of Office Facilities
 SUPERVALU, INC.
 11840 Valley View Road
 Eden Prairie, MN 55344

RE: Office Furnishings & Equipment
 In-Kind Donation

Dear Neil:

Please accept our heartfelt gratitude for the in-kind donations of office furnishings and equipment provided by you and SUPERVALU. Your response to our request for assistance was extremely generous and has specifically matched our needs. A brief, but incomplete inventory of donated items includes, but is not limited to the following:

<u>Item</u>	<u>Approximate Resale Value</u>
Computer Chair	\$275.00
Small Side Table	\$ 55.00
2 Office Chairs	\$195.00
3 Ring Binders (200)	\$185.00
Drop Folders/Misc. Files	\$ 60.00
Tape Dispensers/File Boxes	\$ 45.00
Misc. Office Supplies	\$155.00+
TOTAL:	\$970.00+

Again thank you for your kindness and generosity, and the support of our efforts at the Education and Housing Equity Project by SUPERVALU.

Sincerely,

Dick Little
 Executive Director

cc: Keith Hardy

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February 17, 1998

Sandra R. Schwartz
Executive Director
The National Conference
Northern Ohio Region
3645 Warrensville Center Road, #208
Cleveland, Ohio 44122

RE: Community Circle Collaborative

Dear Sandra:

Please find enclosed several pieces of information regarding the Community Circle Collaborative project which has been initiated in the Twin Cities area with our support and coordination. I hope this information will provide you with a glimpse of what this project and its impact has and will mean for our community.

Thank you for your interest in the Community Circle Collaborative initiative, and we are looking forward to receiving information about "Honest Conversations" as well. If we can provide any further information of assistance, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,

Dick Little
Executive Director

2-04-1998 2:31PM

FROM NATIONAL CONFERENCE 216 752 4974

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Northern Ohio Region
3645 Warrensville Center Road, #208
Cleveland, Ohio 44122
TEL (216) 752-3000
FAX (216) 752-4974



The Human Relations Organization

TO: Dick Little, Executive Director
Education and Housing Equity Project
122 West Franklin Avenue #310
Minneapolis, MN 55404

FAX (612) 871-8984

Please send information about the Community Circle Collaborative.
I will be mailing to you material about our similar
initiative which we call Honest Conversations.

Thank you.

Sandra R. Schwartz
Executive Director

FAX TO

JIM

McDonough

Fx 879-0041



Fax Cover Sheet

FEB. 17, 1998

To: MATT LEIGHNINGER

From: DICK LITTLE

Company: SCRC

Company: EHEP

Fax Number: (860) 928-3713

Fax Number: (612) 871-8984

Message:

Matt, here is our 1997 activity report. The report on the results of/from the ^{circle} conversations and analysis of next steps of action will be forthcoming.

As you know, we are planning another expanded, but more focused round of circles in fall of 1998 (Sept. thru November), and are working vigorously on a revision of the discussion guide - to, among other things, include an action focus.

We are inviting - asking for - your direct assistance in helping us get through this stage. I will be returning your phone call to me shortly.

P.S., had a delightful conversation w/ Martha McCoy.

P.S.S., I will be in the Boston area April 3-9, and am hoping we might get together some time during that week, maybe even in Providence or at Pomfret.

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The Human Relations Organization

TO: Dick Little, Executive Director
Education and Housing Equity Project
122 West Franklin Avenue #310
Minneapolis, MN 55404

FAX (612) 871-8984

Please send information about the Community Circle Collaborative.
I will be mailing to you material about our similar
initiative which we call Honest Conversations.

Thank you.

Sandra R. Schwartz
Executive Director

FAX TO

JIM

McDonough

Fx 879-0041



Fax Cover Sheet

To: EHEP BOARD MEMBERS
(w/ FAX #'S)

Company:
Fax Number:

From: DICK LITTLE

Company: EHEP
Fax Number: 871-8984
(phone - 871-2519)

Message:

To - Keith Hardy
Jim Hilbert
Allan Johnson
Jodie Johnson
Van Mueller
Myron Orfield
Katrina Reed
Marquante Spencer
Thomas Stanley
Jerry Timian
Cris Toffolo

Please review (and correct if needed) the board roster forwarded with this memo, and return to me (871-8984). This is not to be confused with the names and affiliations/titles as you want them on our stationery. ^{NOTE} The addresses used on the roster are your preferred mailing addresses for board business.



Fax Cover Sheet

To: YVONNE SCRUGGS-LEFTWICH From: DICK LITTLE

Company: BLACK LEADERSHIP FORUM Company: EDUCATION & HOUSING
Fax Number: (202) 789-6391 Fax Number: EQUITY PROJECT (EHEP)
(612) 871-8984

Message: Yvonne

What a treat it was to meet you and work with you at the Institute on Race and Poverty Conference in Minneapolis last Friday!

Here is the material about our initiative we promised to fax to you on Monday, for use in preparing your Tuesday "on air" to (among other things) share what's working around the country at the local level.

Please stay in touch. We'll keep you on our network as well. Call me any time (612-871-2519). (Home Office: 612-724-5662).

Dick



Fax Cover Sheet

To: JULIAN BARNES

From: DICK LITTLE

Company: US NEWS & WORLD REPORT

Company: EDUCATION AND HOUSING

Fax Number: (202) 955-2298

Fax Number: EQUITY PROJECT

(612) 871-8984

Message:

Julian, the first item I am forwarding to you is the "Choices for Community: A Regional Conversation on Housing, Schools and Race" draft article prepared for use in Community Matters, a Twin Cities publication. ^{also an interview - enclosed.} I am also sending you a "fact sheet" on the project, and statement of our mission & current activities.

Finally, a STAR TRIBUNE of the TWIN CITIES editorial on the project. That should be sufficient for now. Please call me if you have additional questions.

I also alerted the editor of Community Matters about your inquiry - Barb Rose may be calling you. You may want to get a quote from their piece. Their upcoming issue covers a range of initiatives in addition to the project I am involved in.



Fax Cover Sheet

To: BRANDI FISHER

From: DICK LITTLE

Company: NATIONAL DAYS OF DIALOGUE

Company: EDUCATION AND HOUSING

Fax Number: ON RACE RELATIONS

Fax Number: EQUITY PROJECT

(202) 822-9828

(612) 871-8984

Message:

Brandi, here a few things I pulled together that tell you more about our project + initiative. As I find additional items, I will either mail them to you, ~~or~~ or fax. I look forward to "hearing" from you as well.



Fax Cover Sheet

To: BRANDI FISHER

From: DICK LITTLE

Company: NATIONAL DAYS (NDOD)

Company: EHEP/EDUC. + HSNG EQUITY

Fax Number: (202) 822-9828

Fax Number: (612) 871-8984

(Phone) 612-871-2519

Message:

Here are the remaining ^{addresses} names. They are from ~~include~~ the Minneapolis Initiative Against Racism, the Metro Church Council on Affordable Housing (Church leaders, ^{+ pastors}), a high school Leadership Council, EHEP Board Members, key business card contacts, and circled names (usually only 1 or 2 per page) from the TC Citizens League Directory. These are also people who have shown interest in dialogue on race relations and/or are in a key position to do something about it.

I have also included a list of media organizations (at end).

Don't be daunted by the number of pages - ~~was~~ for directory pages, the circled names are the ones to include, only one or two per page. With this + yesterday's list, we will have "hit" a "critical mass" for Mpls - St. Paul participation in NDOD. (likelihood of interest)