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GREENVILLE CHAMBER'S LEADERSHIP GREENVILLE PROGRAM GRADUATES 55 AND NAMES JUDITH PRINCE AS DISTINGUISHED ALUMNI AWARD WINNER

(GREENVILLE, SC) The Greenville Chamber's signature Leadership Greenville program graduated 55 participants from its 37th class last night at the Embassy Suites. Dr. Judith S. Prince was presented with the 2011 Distinguished Alumni Award.

Class 37 Graduates:

Mr. Lucas Teague Anthony, The Cliffs Communities
Ms. Loretta Jo Bargerstock-Powell, Greenville Hospital System, University Medical Group
Ms. Rita Bolt Barker, Wyche Burgess Freeman & Parham, P.A.
Mr. Neil Manoj Batavia, Dority & Manning, PA
Mr. Thomas Bradley Benjamin, Sponsored by Greenville Forward
Ms. Karen L. Burgess, Brown Mackie College
Ms. Marie Annette Cantrell, Sponsored by Sportsclub Greenville/Pabst Brewing Company
Mr. Michael Sylverster Cashman, Womble Carlyle Sandridge & Rice, PLLC
Mr. William T. Cochran III, Homes of Hope Inc
Deborah Grant Cooper, Community Foundation of Greenville
Mr. Gregory Steven Crowe, Bon Secours St. Francis Health System
Mr. Brian Disher, Greenwood Capital Associates
Mr. Christopher James Fay, Harper Corporation General Contractors
Ms. Stephanie Gause Flynn, Gallivan, White & Boyd, PA
Ms. Shauna Galloway-Williams, Greenville Rape Crisis and Child Abuse Center
Mr. James William Gibney III, Michelin, N.A.
Mr. George Martin Gilchrist III, General Electric Company
Ms. Euleta Florentina Hagins, Universal Supplies & Services, Inc.
Mr. Graham Fraser Hardaway, Langston-Black Real Estate, Inc.
Ms. Jennifer J. Harrill, Carolina First Bank
Mr. Terrance Mark Horomanski, Rodgers Builders, Inc

Mr. Joshua L. Howard, Haynsworth Sinkler Boyd, PA
Ms. Erica Anne Huggins, BP Barber
Mr. Carl L. Jackson, City of Greenville
Ms. Jessica Miranda Knight, Office of US Senator Jim DeMint
Mr. Tripp LaCoste, SunTrust Bank
Ms. Campbell Howard Larson, Greenville Chamber
Mr. Mark H. Loukides, Greenville Hospital System
Mr. C. Todd Malo, SYS Contractors, Inc.
Mr. Joseph John Maloney, Baldor Electric Co.
Mr. Matthew G. McFadden, Merge
Mrs. Iris Catherine Meeker, Neal Prince Architects
Mr. Logan John Metcalfe, Arena Consulting, LLC
Ms. Jennifer Kelly Miller, Upstate SC Alliance
Ms. Pamela Montgomery Mills, Greenville County Schools
Ms. Jennifer Adamson Moorhead, Smith Moore Leatherwood LLP
Ms. Ahychel S. Mullikin, EXEC3 Corporation
Mrs. Natalia Sarah Muska, Immedion
Mr. Brandon T. Norris, McNair Law Firm, P.A.
Mr. Eric Douglas Pitts, Elliott Davis, LLC
Mr. Ross Buchanan Plyler, Collins and Lacy, PC
Ms. Anna Claire Rowe, Human Technologies, Inc.
Ms. Missy Ryan, Clemson University/College of Business and Behavioral Science
Ms. Dee Siburt, United Way of Greenville County
Ms. Cheryl Marie Smith, Fluor Corporation
Mr. James Wallace Storey, Synnex Corporation
Mr. Fred Wilson Suggs III, Roe Cassidy Coates & Price, PA
Ms. Melissa Autumn Sullivan, Redemption World Outreach
Mr. Scott M. Taylor, Coldwell Banker Caine
Mr. Anthony Peter Tiberia, McMillan Pazdan Smith Architecture
Mr. Eric Earl Vinson, Greenville County Planning Department
Ms. Megan Scott Williamson, Dixon Hughes, PLLC
Mr. Michael Sean Witty, ADEX Machining Technologies
Mr. Bryan E. Zeiger, Spinx
Ms. Tina Michaele Zwolinski, Woodward and Zwolinski Advertising

About Leadership Greenville

Leadership Greenville is a program designed and facilitated by the Greenville Chamber to help develop informed, committed and qualified leaders for Greenville County. By taking an intensive look into the issues affecting Greenville County, Leadership Greenville prepares and motivates participants to provide quality, dynamic leadership within the area. Since the program began in 1973, there have been approximately 1,687 participants. Many alumni have served in key leadership positions within their businesses and organizations, as well as city council, county council, school board, members of Congress and judges.

Leadership Greenville requires a 10-month commitment. Participants are selected through an application process based upon their past involvement in the community and their ability to set and achieve high personal goals. New classes embark each year on a journey to understand the inner-workings of our

area, including Managed Growth and the Economy, Quality of Life, Human Services, Local Government, Justice, Education and State Government.

Each class selects a project or projects to meet a need in the area. Class Projects are chosen based on proposals submitted by class members, as well as nonprofit Chamber-member organizations.

FGP International is in their sixth year of sponsorship for Leadership Greenville.

For more information about Leadership Greenville, contact Sandi Coan, the Chamber's Vice President of Leadership Development at scoan@greenvillechamber.org or 864-239-3723.

About the Distinguished Alumni Award

The Leadership Greenville Alumni annually recognize an outstanding graduate of the Leadership Greenville Program for their outstanding civic and community contributions.

About Dr. Judith Prince

Dr. Judith S. Prince is Vice Chancellor of the University of South Carolina Upstate Greenville Campus. In this role she is responsible for coordinating academic and student programs offered in Greenville, operations oversight, and community relations.

Dr. Prince earned a doctorate in higher education from the University of Georgia and participated in the Harvard Management Development Program and the Millennium Institute of the Association of State Colleges and Universities. She has traveled extensively to China, Egypt, South America, Australia, Europe, Africa, and in the United States to learn about other cultures and other people, focusing on the experiences of women in other cultures.

Dr. Prince was a member of Class 30 of Leadership Greenville and served as Chair of the Board of Regents for Leadership Development Programs as well as chair of the Leadership Development Issues Series. So far in 2011 alone, she has received the Amy K. Stubbs YWCA Women of Achievement in Education in 2011, the Rotary Club of Greenville Career Award, and the Calder D. Ehrmann Outstanding Individual Award for Diversity from the Riley Institute at Furman University.

About the Greenville Chamber

The Greenville Chamber is the largest business organization in the Upstate. The Chamber's mission is to build one of the premier business communities in the world by leading through collaboration, building community prosperity, being the voice of business, and enhancing quality of life. For more information about the Greenville Chamber, call 864-242-1050, or visit www.greenvillechamber.org.

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