

LOS ANGELES ALLIANCE FOR A NEW ECONOMY

Founded in 1993, LAANE is recognized as a national authority on issues affecting the working poor and an innovator in the fight to lift people out of poverty and into the middle class. Combining a vision of social justice with a practical approach to social change, LAANE has helped set in motion a broad movement to transform conditions in Los Angeles and beyond.

For the past decade, LAANE has been in the forefront of the nation's most dynamic economic justice movement. LAANE spearheaded the defeat of Wal-Mart's ballot initiative in Inglewood, led Los Angeles' groundbreaking living wage campaign and pioneered a new approach to economic development that has become a national model for community empowerment.

LAANE's efforts to transform conditions in key low-wage industries have led to significant improvements for tens of thousands of working men and women. We have also published a series of influential reports, including studies on working poverty and the impact of Wal-Mart on urban America.

LAANE is a co-founder of the Partnership for Working Families, a rapidly growing national alliance that is transforming urban development to ensure the creation of good jobs and healthy communities. LAANE and its leadership have received numerous honors, including awards from the Mayor of Los Angeles, the Speaker of the California Assembly, the UCLA School of Law and the Los Angeles Roman Catholic Archdiocese.

community

fairness

respect

dignity

justice



City of Justice Awards Dinner

Tuesday, December 4, 2007

"We can remake the world daily."
– Senator Paul Wellstone

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 4, 2007

Reception: 6:00 pm

Dinner & Program: 7:30 pm
Business Attire

The Beverly Hilton Hotel

9876 Wilshire Blvd.
Beverly Hills, CA 90210

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SPECIAL VIDEO PRESENTATION

Senator Ted Kennedy

ENTERTAINMENT

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World Latin Soul Music

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