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Literacy & Culture Forum: Honoring Gullah Geechee Culture

Dear Potential Partner,

On behalf of Culturally Curious Literacy Initiative, I would like to invite you to become a partner for the Lowcountry Literacy & Culture Forum: Celebrating Gullah Geechee Culture. This forum will take place on Saturday, February 29, 2020 from 10 am to 2 pm at the Hinesville Performing Arts Center. The purpose of the Forum is to celebrate, educate, and preserve Gullah Geechee culture. The event will feature sweetgrass basket weaving class, ring shouters performance, and a 45-minute panel discussion which will address questions regarding Gullah Geechee culture as it relates to Liberty County policy makers, educators, and cultural preservationists. The forum will end with time for refreshments including a taste of Gullah Geechee culture as well as time to look through the art exhibit.

As a partner, we would like for you to help provide items listed on the attached budget. Below are the details concerning this year's partnership levels:

- Purchase a space in the program:
 - Business card size \$100
 - ¼ page \$125
 - ½ page \$250
 - 1 page \$500
- Choose budget line items to sponsor
- Sponsor entire event

The Lowcountry Literacy & Culture Forum is an event being curated by Dr. Patricia Boston of Goldenrod Consulting LLC, with an intergenerational audience of about 100, made up of educators, students, community leaders, organizations, businesses, decision makers, and residents. Our goal is to build awareness around a broad array of topics critical to Gullah Geechee communities, such as; climate change, culture, policy and curriculum.

Your contribution is important and will help make the forum a possibility. Please respond as soon as possible to confirm your participation. We appreciate you and thank you for your consideration. I very much look forward to the possibility of partnering with you on the 2020 Lowcountry Literacy & Culture Forum.

I can be reached by email at traore.ami77@gmail.com or 770-316-9559.

Respectfully,
Aminata Traore'