

BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT NO. 508
County of Cook and State of Illinois

BATESVILLE'S HONORING LIVES TOUR CENTER
CONTINUING EDUCATION EVENT

MORTUARY SCIENCE PROGRAM
MALCOLM X COLLEGE

THE CHANCELLOR

REPORTS

that Batesville Casket Company, a subsidiary of Hillenbrand Industries in Batesville, Indiana, a recognized North America primary funeral service supplier of burial caskets, cremation products and related support services in collaboration with Malcolm X College Mortuary Science Program presented an Honoring Lives tour. Batesville has been committed to assisting funeral directors in helping families honor the lives of those they love. The tour center was created as a way for Batesville Casket to mobilize its legendary customer visitation program and bring the elements of its customer business center directly to its customers. The tour travels a nationwide circuit, stopping at venues where funeral directors can easily visit and obtain continuing education units and resources; and

FURTHER

that the Honoring Lives tour center consists of two 53-foot expandable semi-trailer mobile showrooms outfitted with a satellite link and an on-board electrical generator, featuring a 1000 square foot interior; and

that on September 13 – 14, 2007 Malcolm X College and the Mortuary Science Program hosted the tour that was attended by 21 funeral home representatives and 43 students of the Mortuary Science Program; and

that Batesville, among other things, sponsored and marketed the event to all of the Chicago-based and surrounding community funeral homes.

Respectfully submitted,

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Chancellor

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