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**SUDANESE COMMUNITY HONORS CHANCELLOR WATSON
TRUMAN COLLEGE**

THE CHANCELLOR

REPORTS that members of Chicago’s African communities honored Chancellor Wayne D. Watson June 5, 2009 for his work with Truman students who are among the Lost Boys of Sudan; and

that community leaders ceremonially inducted Dr. Watson into the Dinka tribe, conferring upon him the honorary title of “elder;” and

that members of the Lost Boys and the African community spoke of Dr. Watson’s support of the Lost Boys, both as an example and as a mentor, citing the fact that he often helped them over rough patches and always made sure his door was open to them.

Respectfully submitted,

Wayne D. Watson
Chancellor

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