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YWCA Central Alabama Holds Annual Meeting

BIRMINGHAM, AL., January 31, 2011 --- YWCA Central Alabama announced the newly elected officers and members of the Board of Directors at its Annual Meeting held Monday, January 31.

The 2011 Board of Director Officers announced are: Kathryn Harbert, President; Brenda Hackney, Vice-President of Finance; Carla Roberson, Vice-President of Development; Lajuana Bradford, Vice-President of Planning; Margaret Brooke, Vice-President of Programs; Andrea McCaskey, Treasurer; Kathy Hoar, Corresponding Secretary; and Dalton Blankenship, Recording Secretary.

New members elected to the Board of Directors are: Nancy Burton, Community Volunteer; Kate Cotton, Vice President, Community Relations, Protective Life Corporation and Executive Director, Protective Life Foundation; Virginia Gauld, Community Volunteer; Margaret Jones, Designer and Owner of Margaret Jones Interior Design; Lynn LaRussa, Community Volunteer; Andrea McCaskey, Vice-President of Human Resources, BioHorizons; Laura Poston, Deputy District Attorney, Jefferson County; Valerie Thomas, Community Volunteer; DeValerie Williams, Document Services Supervisor, Southern Nuclear Company; and Bonika Wilson, President of Wilson Capital Management.

The YWCA Central Alabama presented its Woman of Valor Award during its Annual Meeting to a long time supporter of the YWCA, Odessa Woolfolk. As an educator, community activist and founding leader of the Birmingham Civil Rights Institute, Woolfolk embodies the mission to "eliminate racism and empower women." The YWCA honored Woolfolk for her many years of extraordinary community service.

Also in attendance was the YWCA National Board Chair, Debra Stock of York, Pennsylvania.

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