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- Augusta News Review (GA)
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- Bakersfield News Observer (CA)
- Bennettsville Fine Print News (SC)
- Benton Harbor Citizen Group (MI)
- Birmingham Times (AL)
- Bloomington Voice (IL)
- Boston Greater News (MA)
- Buffalo Criterion (NY)
- Buffalo Fine Print (NY)
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- Charleston Coastal Times (SC)
- Charleston Chronicle (SC)
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- Chicago Observer (IL)
- Chicago Shoreland (IL)
- Chicago Tri-City Journal (IL)
- Chicago World News Examiner (IL)
- Cleveland Metro (Bedford Hghts., OH)
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- Columbus Times (GA)
- Cordele Southeastern News (GA)
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- Decatur Voice (IL)
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- Florence Shoals News Leader (AL)
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- Gary Info (IN)
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- Grand Rapids Times (MI)
- Greensboro Carolina Peacemaker (NC)
- Greenville Black Star (SC)
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- Indianapolis Indiana Herald (IN)
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- Jacksonville Advocate (FL)
- Kalamazoo-Battle Creek Citizen (MI)
- Kansas City Globe (MO)
- Las Vegas Sentinel (NV)
- Little Rock Southern Mediator (AR)
- L.A./Bay Area News Observer (CA)
- L.A. Metro Gazette (CA)
- L.A. TV Journal & News Magazine (CA)
- L.A. Watts Times (CA)
- Lubbock S.W. Digest (TX)
- Macon Courier (GA)
- Macon Times (GA)
- Marion Pee Dee Observer (SC)
- Memphis Mid-South Express (TN)
- Mobile Inner City News (AL)
- Montgomery/Tuskegee Times (AL)
- Muskogee Oklahoma Eagle (OK)
- Newark/Essex Suburban Greater News (NJ)
- New Orleans Black Data Weekly (LA)
- New York Daily Challenge (NY)
- (New York) L.I. Courier (NY)
- New York Recorder (NY)
- Orangeburg Black Voice (SC)
- Orangeburg View South News (SC)
- Orlando Sun Review (FL)
- Orlando Times (FL)
- Pasadena Gazette (CA)
- Pensacola Voice (FL)
- Peoria Voice of the Valley (IL)
- Philadelphia New Observer (PA)
- Philadelphia Spirit (PA)
- Pittsburgh Homewood-Brushton News (PA)
- Portland/Vancouver Skanner (OR)
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- Rochester Communicade (NY)
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- St. Louis Crusader (MO)
- St. Louis Morning News (MO)
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# Editorial Notes

The August Cover Story introduces our readers to the National Coalition of Title I, Chapter I Parents, a powerful interest group, committed to the philosophy of total community participation in the development of programs and agendas to redress the plight of this nation's educationally disadvantaged children.

Our readers should know that there is a trend emerging in many states and school districts to use Chapter I funds as general aid in violation of the law. The result of such diversionary actions is that thousands of children are being deprived of needed services. NCTIP acts as a parent and community advocate to challenge and curb this harmful kind of diversion. Without parental and community vigilance such funds will continue to be diverted improperly to other uses.

We urge all of our readers to support the Coalition in every possible way. Five dollars or more donated to this organization will have tremendous payouts for our children, our community and our nation.

This month's Microscope takes a close-up look at some of the ongoing activities of several of our Black community-building organizations. We trust that these community briefs will keep our readers abreast of the vital programs of these dedicated men and women who comprise the membership of these groups.

All of our Black-led community-building organizations need and deserve our cooperation and support. Will we meet the challenge?

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