

Total Life Christian Missionary Baptist Church (TLCMBC)

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To: Local Churches/Ministries/Non-Profits/For-Profits, Etc.

Date: December 20, 2016

Dear Senior Official:

1. The Community Development and Engagement Ministry (CDEM) of TLCMBC, a Texarkana USA based church, has instituted the Texarkana Area Christian Leadership Conference (TACLCL). A number of autonomous community-oriented persons representing themselves and perhaps eventually their respective churches and businesses, non-profit and for-profits, have committed to TACLCL.
2. TACLCL vision is to realize and promote Texarkana USA as a Model Metroplex regarding Christian-based interdenominational, interracial, inter-political communication, cooperation, collaboration, effectiveness, and non-violent impetus regarding critical/core value-based life/cultural issues. The purpose of this letter is to inform you of TACLCL vision. We are communicating similarly with area city governments.
3. Due to historical and present day events, we as a nation are confronted with the increasingly intensive themes of Blue Lives Matter, Black Lives Matter, and White Lives Matter. It is intuitively obvious to godly hearts that all lives matter, both police and non-police. Yet, it is also intuitively obvious that certain lives nationally and locally are not sufficiently valued, according to the viewpoint of many citizens of this nation and community.
4. In the future we plan to convene periodic conferences to address such issues. Indeed, the citizenry also has responsibility for repentance regarding wrong beliefs and behavior.
5. We aim not to detract from the important salvation unto eternal life mission and associated initiatives of churches/ministries. We aim not to detract from the important community service of non-profits. We aim not to detract from the important commercial service of for-profits We aim to participate in the important task of helping people to live the desired life of faith (Matthew 25:27, 40; John 17:21; Ephesians 4:13) on earth that glorifies God. We aim to participate in the important task of easing the political, denominational, racial, and socio-economic divide between various groups and cultures (Psalm 33:12-15; 127:1). In doing so we recognize, value, and are grateful for initiatives of historical and ongoing entities like your church/organization who have and continue to work for peace and good will toward all (Luke 2:14).
6. We invite you to autonomously cooperate and collaborate with us as you communicate with members of your congregation/organization/business a fair and balanced perspective on the lives matter themes. Please ensure you email point of contact information to taccl@cdboyd.org so we can keep you informed. If you have questions, please contact me at 903-280-5439 or taccl@cdboyd.org or at www.tlcmbc.org.

Sincerely,

/s/

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