Empowering Unity in the Community

22nd Annual Community Service Workshop

Sharonville Convention Center
11355 Chester Road, Cincinnati, OH 45246

Friday, August 11, 2017
8:15 a.m. – 2:45 p.m.

Registration Deadline: July 25, 2017
Attire Is Business Casual
22nd Annual Community Service Workshop: **Empowering Unity in the Community.**

**KEYNOTE SPEAKER**

Mr. Singleton received his J.D., cum laude, from Harvard Law School in 1991, and his A.B. in Economics and Public Policy, cum laude, from Duke University in 1987. Upon graduation from law school, Mr. Singleton received a Skadden Fellowship to work at the Legal Action Center for the Homeless in New York City, where he practiced for three years. He then worked as a public defender for seven years, first with the Neighborhood Defender Service of Harlem and then with the Public Defender Service for the District of Columbia. After moving to Cincinnati in the summer of 2001, Mr. Singleton practiced at Thompson Hine before joining OJPC as its Executive Director in July 2002. David is also an Assistant Professor of Law at Northern Kentucky University’s Salmon P. Chase College of Law.

**WORKSHOP AGENDA**

**REGISTRATION**

8:15 – 8:45 a.m.

**WELCOME** (Cindy Givens, Duke Energy)

8:45 – 9 a.m.

**OPENING REMARKS** (Chuck Session, Duke Energy)

9 – 9:25 a.m.

**SESSION 1**

9:35 – 10:35 a.m.

A. *Stop the Violence* – Mitch Morris, Cincinnati Works

Learn how to build bridges through mentoring, outreach and empowerment to eradicate gun violence in our communities.

B. *Part 1: Exploring Trauma* – Mary Vicario, Finding Hope Training

Interactive training brings to life the neuroscience of trauma and the healing power of relationships.

C. *Be Prepared: Maximizing your Employee Benefits and Financial Future* – Jordan Finley and Andrew Tudor, Northwestern Mutual

This session will help you answer the question: Are you financially ready for the next chapter?

**SESSION 2**

10:40 – 11:40 a.m.

D. *Still Don’t Get It? Why Addicts Do What They Do* – Sean Smith, Lumiere Healing Center

Understand the disease model, progression and stages of addiction.

E. *The Challenges and Joys of Being a Senior and Working With Them* – Tom Welch, University of Cincinnati

Learn how to help protect our seniors from abuse, violence and scams; as well as what to look for.

F. *The Importance of Literacy in the Battle Against Poverty* – Mike Moroski, Upspring

Learn the most effective methods to improve literacy among the youth so as to empower them to break the cycle of poverty.

**BUFFET LUNCHEON**

11:45 a.m.

**MUSIC RESOURCE CENTER**

12:15 – 12:35 p.m.

**KEYNOTE LUNCHEON SPEAKER** (David A. Singleton, Ohio Justice and Policy Center)

12:40 – 1:10 p.m.

See the biography page for more information about our guest speaker.

**DOOR PRIZES**

1:10 – 1:25 p.m.
FEATURED COMMUNITY PARTNER

Our featured community partner is the Interfaith Hospitality Network of Greater Cincinnati. Please see the wish list if you would like to make a donation to help families on their journeys out of homelessness.

*Sessions approved for continuing education units (CEUs).

Note: You may wish to bring a sweater or light jacket to the workshop because room temperatures in the convention center cannot be adjusted.