

## Region O Council for the Advancement of Minorities in Engineering



Dear Community Leaders,

ROCAME... Region 'O' Council for the Advancement of Minorities in Engineering is celebrating its 40<sup>th</sup> year of service to students and the community on **Saturday, November 16, 2019** at 6:00 p.m. in the Burney Center located on the campus of UNC Wilmington. Since its inception, the ROCAME organization has successfully promoted the field of science, technology, engineering, and math to thousands of minority students in New Hanover, Brunswick, Pender, and Columbus Counties.

### Our Mission:

To establish the sound foundation for a viable and accountable program to encourage minority youths to enter the fields of engineering, math, science, and technology.

### How the mission is fulfilled:

- Students in grades 6-12 participate in school-based ROCAME clubs, visit college campuses, participate in community service projects, interact with industry mentors, etc.
- The organization hosts the annual ROCAME Science and Technology Jamboree where students compete in areas including math, robotics, computer science, physics, and mechanical engineering. This past school year over 200 middle and high school students participated in the event.
- Annually, two outstanding students are recognized as Middle School Student of the Year and High School Student of the Year. They receive an iPad or other technology in recognition of their academic and extracurricular accomplishments.
- Two \$1,000 scholarships are awarded annually to outstanding students who have enrolled in 4 year colleges and universities. Our award winners in previous years have attended and demonstrated success at almost all North Carolina universities and colleges.

### How can you help?

In order to make ROCAME's 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration a success and help the organization gather the resources to provide continued opportunities for students, we need your financial support of the ROCAME organization. See the next page for sponsorship opportunities. All donations will be acknowledged and donors exceeding \$100 will be listed in the anniversary souvenir booklet and marketing materials. Thank you for supporting our efforts to promote the fields of science, technology, engineering and mathematics.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Tony E. Carter".

Tony E. Carter, President  
ROCAME Board of Directors

