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Holt's William Greer Honored with Scholarship Fund Through the Banneker Association

Austin, Texas – April 11, 2003 – Holt, Rinehart and Winston announced today that a scholarship fund has been established to honor retiring vice president of sales, William Greer, for over 30 years of service to Holt and for his service as a volunteer and co-founder of The Benjamin Banneker Association, Inc.

The announcement was made today at the annual Banneker Breakfast held during the National Council of Teachers of Mathematics Annual Meeting in San Antonio, Texas. The William F. Greer Scholarship will be awarded to middle school and high school students who plan to study mathematics or pursue careers in mathematics education. The scholarship will be funded by Holt and managed by the Banneker Association, which will select scholarship recipients and administer the awards based on guidelines established by the board of directors.

“This scholarship honors William for many years of service in the education publishing industry and his special affinity for helping urban school districts. He is a motivational leader whose passion for winning inspires all who work with him,” said Judy Fowler, Holt president. “A scholarship in his name is a fitting honor for someone who has given his time and experience to so many worthy causes.”

Mr. Greer has a long career of service to education organizations and is the recipient of many awards including the Distinguished Service Award by the United Negro College Fund, Inc. and the Friend of Education Award by the Association of Black Educators of New York. He is a Founding Trustee on the Foundation Board of the National Alliance of Black School Educators and a member of the National Council of Teachers of English's standard review committee. In December 2003, Mr. Greer will be retiring from his position as a vice president of sales for Holt.

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About The Benjamin Banneker Association, Inc.

The Benjamin Banneker Association, Inc. (www.math.msu.edu/banneker) is a non-profit organization of individuals concerned about the mathematics education of African-American children. It was founded in 1986 to provide a forum for mathematics educators, mathematicians, and other interested people to discuss the teaching and learning of mathematics to African-American children.

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