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## Strategies for Using Scarce Resources in the Fight Against Hunger

Billy Shore, Founder and Executive Director, *Share our Strength*. Presenting in Partnership with: *Children's Hunger Alliance*

Wednesday, December 7, 2005

## Navigating Murky Waters: Arts Funding in the New Economy

Moderated by: Ray Hanley, president, *Greater Columbus Arts Council*; Randy Cohen, VP of Research and Information, *Americans for the Arts*. Presented in Partnership with: *Greater Columbus Arts Council*

Thursday, December 8, 2005

## Holiday Member Reception

5:30 – 8:00 p.m. at the Franklin Park Conservatory  
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Wednesday, NOVEMBER 9TH, noon to 1:15 at the Athletic Club of Columbus

## Different Voices Series

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On the forefront of gay, lesbian, bisexual and transgender politics, Chrissy Gephardt came out in the 2004 presidential democratic primary as the openly lesbian daughter of Congressman Dick Gephardt. The first openly gay family member of a presidential candidate in history, Gephardt is an accomplished spokeswoman for LGBT issues, and gave issues of equal rights and social justice a prominent place in the 2004 campaign.

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The Hispanic population in Columbus has more than doubled since 1990! According to the 2000 U.S. Census, the Latino population is the fastest growing ethnic group in the U.S. Given this significant growth, the future of our entire region is inextricably linked to the successful integration of our Hispanic community.

What are the opportunities and challenges for Columbus brought about by the rapidly growing Hispanic community?

This forum will provide insights into the dynamics and complexities of the emerging Latino community,

as well as the strengths and needs of the Latinos of Columbus. Our panel will explore the broader issues that affect this community, such as access to higher education, economic development, health care, employment and public policy issues.

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Last Week at CMC

## Ford Foundation's Carl Anthony Cites Property Reclamation as a Way to Offset Urban Sprawl



CMC President Suzy Swanson, Speaker Carl Anthony, Phil Downing of Forum Sponsor The Enterprise Foundation and Gene Krebs of Forum Presenting Partner Greater Ohio

"For many urban and rural communities, the scale of abandonment has reached epidemic proportions. In recent years, though, cities like Richmond, Flint, and Philadelphia have launched ambitious initiatives to reclaim vacant properties. Others, such as San Diego and Las Vegas, have taken aggressive steps to prevent abandonment in the first place."

Carl Anthony, director of the Ford Foundation's Sustainable Metropolitan Communities Initiative

"Imagine cities as places where there is concern for air, water, and land, where working people can afford to live and raise their families. Imagine rural life protected and preserved, not turned into one commercial strip after another."

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Speaker Carl Anthony addresses the audience.

## CMC Hosts Columbus City Council Debate



Debate Moderator John Fortney of WBNS 10TV with Candidates Maryellen O'Shaughnessy, Phil Harmon, Mary Jo Hudson, Eddie Pauline, Alisia Clark and Kevin Boyce.

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Kym Nelson and Dorian Wingard after the debate.

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