

# Press Release

## **SUPERINTENDENT OF BRIDGEPORT PUBLIC SCHOOLS TO RECEIVE THE ETHICS IN ACTION AWARD**

**BRIDGEPORT** — **April 29 2010** —Dr. John J. Ramos, Sr., Ed. D., Superintendent of the Bridgeport Public Schools, will receive the **2010 John Winthrop White *Ethics in Action Award*** from the School for Ethical Education (SEE). Each year, SEE bestows this honor on a Connecticut leader who has authentically demonstrated ethical business or leadership practices.

In addition, SEE will recognize ten Connecticut students for their inspiring *Laws of Life* essays. The *Laws of Life* essay program provides students with an opportunity to reflect, write, and discuss with their teachers, peers and parents the values or character goals that can help them live a successful life.

Superintendent Dr. John J. Ramos says he is honored to receive the *Ethics in Action Award*. “I humbly accept this remarkable award, and I am glad to share in this celebration with scholars who have learned the importance of having a positive character as an essential part of their lives.”

Ramos will publicly accept this award on **Thursday, May 6, 2010** at SEE’s 2010 Annual Character Celebration Awards Dinner at **Anthony’s Ocean View on 450 Lighthouse Road in New Haven, CT** beginning at **6:00 pm**.

The School for Ethical Education is a not-for-profit teaching organization that provides classes, creates programs and offers consultation services to promote strategies for comprehensive ethics and character education. The John Winthrop Wright Ethics in Action Award seeks to highlight men or women who successfully lead others while clearly demonstrating positive character. For more information on The School for Ethical Education, please visit their website at <http://www.ethicsed.org> .

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