

Better People Receives the Skanner Drum Major for Justice Award



Better People was the 2004 recipient of *The Skanner* newspaper's *Drum Major for Justice Award* presented at the annual *Martin Luther King, Jr. Breakfast* in January. Accepting the award were former Executive Director William 'Chip' Shields and current Director, Clarinér M. Boston. The award recognizes those who have worked throughout the year to uphold the ideals that Dr. King exemplified: equality, justice, racial harmony, civil rights and peace. Better People is honored to have been selected by *The Skanner* as the 2004 recipient of this award. We vow to continue the work in our effort to seek justice and equal treatment. We thank *The Skanner* for this distinguished recognition and proudly display the plaque in our office lobby. The plaque reads:

The Skanner
Drum Major
For Justice Award
Presented to
Better People
For providing moral leadership, jobs and hope
for parolees, and thereby enriching the lives of families
18th Annual Martin Luther King Jr. Breakfast
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