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## PRESS RELEASE

## DALLAS PIONEERING THE WAY: BLACK TRANSMEN, INC. HOST HISTORICAL CONFERENCE

**DALLAS, TEXAS** – **February, 2012**- Black Transmen, Inc. will host the First Annual Conference, Retreat, and Dinner from March 29 to April 01, 2012. Pioneers joining with our new generation of leaders will unite to discuss the importance of channeling our power and utilizing our roles as Black men to make a positive change in society. Black Transmen, Inc. has chosen nationally renowned Black Transman, Minister Louis Mitchell as the keynote speaker.

A glimpse of our featured guests are esteemed, board certified surgeon, Dr. Peter Raphael, Mr. Treach Wilson of Urban Banker as well as Mr. Lyle Blake of the GIFT Foundation. Conference attendees will enjoy workshops with Cris of CK Life, Dr. Oliver L. Blumer, the Vice Chair of the Transgender Education Network of Texas and motivational speaker Joshua A. Holiday. The Dallas Marriot Suites, Market Center has partnered with Black Transmen, Inc. and our guests will enjoy access to the fitness center and onsite daycare provided by Black Transmen, Inc. Spouse's and friends will also find interest in specifically tailored workshops to give providing dynamic insight about transitioning, dispelling common myths about transgender men while providing a safe space to dialogue regarding how one's life is affected.

Black Transmen, Inc. invites EVERYONE to dine with us as family during the Black Transmen, Inc. Awards ceremony. We will honor those who have stood before us as activists, and inspirational trailblazers moving our community forward; paving the way for this monumental event to transpire. Black Transmen, Inc. believes we are the evolution of the Black Man. Our organization is on the forefront of transgender services for people of color and we hope to advance the African-American community as a whole. Recently partnering with the National Gay and Lesbian Taskforce and the National Transgender Discrimination Equality on a ground breaking survey; Injustice At Every Turn, this affair is pivotal and potent, at no cost and one you don't want to miss! We look forward to showcasing the beautiful state of Texas, as we "Become the Change You Want to See in the World."