AGENDA PACE'S OPENING RECEPTION AND SEMINAR WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 2004 9:30 AM – 11:30 AM

"Opportunities in Federal Acquisition"

Opening Reception

Opening Remarks

Dr. Patricia Ramsey, Provost Bowie State University

Dr. Mathias Mbah, Interim Dean School of Business, Bowie State University

Gloria Sochon, Director Federal Acquisition Institute (FAI)

Introduction of Speakers

Dr. Shelton Rhodes, Chair Department of Management, Marketing and Public Administration Director, PACE at Bowie State University

Moderator: Dora Thomas, Acquisition Specialist

Speakers

Pat Brooks, Director, Contract Operations Office of the Chief Acquisition Officer

Neal Couture, CPCM, Executive Director National Contract Management Association

Ken Johnson, Special Projects Consultant United States Department of Agriculture

Cori Sabet, Leadership and Performance Specialist Department of the Interior

Questions and Answers

Closing Remarks

Dr. Shelton Rhodes