

## Black History Month

Luther Williams, president of the Los Angeles Inter-Alumni Council, was the featured speaker, last Friday, during a meeting of the MTA's African American Employees Association (AAEA). A graduate of Jackson State University in Mississippi and a retired Long Beach math teacher, Williams discussed educational leadership and the importance of supporting the historically black colleges and universities and the United Negro College Fund.



Williams' speech was one of several activities planned by the AAEA to mark Black History Month. Others include "Men of the Cloth at the MTA" on Feb. 21, Breaking the Barriers in Military History with representatives from the Buffalo Soldiers and the 555th Parachute Infantry Division on Feb. 22, the MTA Choral Group Sings Negro Spirituals on Feb. 26, Poets Corner on Feb. 27 and an evening social on Feb. 28. (2/19/02)

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