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**MOTLEY CALLS ON THE DISTRICT HEALTH DEPARTMENT
TO BE MORE PROACTIVE IN ADDRESSING FLU CRISIS**

Washington, DC (October 20, 2009) -- Anthony “Tony” Motley, Candidate for an At-Large seat on the District of Columbia City Council in 2010 is calling on the DC Council Committee on Health to be more proactive in guiding the city’s residents in the face of the H1N1 crises.

Motley states, “According to recent reports our surrounding jurisdictions are at the forefront of giving their residents guidance and health alerts regarding the H1N1 virus, while we have not been so fortunate.” Motley wants the City to provide youth, seniors and more vulnerable populations with information and locations where they can receive the H1N1 vaccine. “We have been left behind regarding this information. While others are lining up to be vaccinated, our residents are waiting for instructions before the epidemic hits the District. This is totally unacceptable,” says Candidate Motley.

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