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Selina Chow Receives Lifetime Achievement Award From the Asian American Commission



Selina Chow receiving “Lifetime Achievement” Award
(Image courtesy of Carrie Tang)

BOSTON – BCNC Board President Selina Chow receives the Lifetime Achievement Award by the Massachusetts Asian American Commission at the 10th Unity Dinner on June 3. The Unity Dinner serves to celebrate the achievements of Asian Americans around the commonwealth and to raise the funds to carry out the Commission’s advocacy work.

This year the accomplishments of Asian American and Pacific Islanders were highlighted. The three award categories included: Leadership for Inclusion & Diversity, Lifetime Achievement and Community Hero. Selena Chow was recognized through the “Lifetime Achievement” award for her outstanding leadership role in the community. She is “an individual, who has displayed longstanding and exemplary dedication to supporting the AAPI community.”

“I believe it is important to give back to the community, said Mrs. Chow. And, it is time for all of us to be more involved.”

Chow has served as the Board president for Boston Chinatown Neighborhood Center (BCNC) for 9 years and has played a key role in BCNC’s continued growth as a multi-service Asian social services provider, which includes BCNC’s new Quincy facility. She is also an advisory board member for the Tisch College of

Citizenship and Public Service at Tufts University and an Overseer of the Brookline Education Foundation. She holds a B.A. from Tufts University and an M.S. From the MIT Sloan School of Management. Her professional career encompasses strategy and financial management in technology and financial services industries, including Liberty Mutual, Prime Computers and the Bank of Boston.

Selena was born in Rhode Island to Chinese immigrant parents and raised in Brookline, Massachusetts, as one of six daughters. She and her husband, Joe Chow continue to live in Brookline, where they raised three children.

About Boston Chinatown Neighborhood Center:

Boston Chinatown Neighborhood Center (BCNC) is the largest nonprofit social service provider dedicated to Asian families in the Greater Boston area, supporting over 2,000 children, youth, and adults each year at three locations in Boston and Quincy. The mission of BCNC is to ensure that the children, youth, and families we serve have the resources and supports they need to achieve greater economic success and social well-being. BCNC helps families access the resources and services available to them, provides opportunities for them to learn and acquire skills, and creates a community of mutual support and encouragement.