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## **NEWS from the Pomona Valley Branch of the NAACP**

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### **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

NAACP Pomona Valley Branch 1085B

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Re: End of the Year Reception - December 19,2015

The Pomona Valley Branch of the NAACP will hold its End of the Year Reception on December 19, 2015 from 3:00 pm to 6:00 pm at the **Kennedy Austin Foundation Center**, 2501 N. Garey Ave., Pomona, Ca.

*Dr. Wilma Ellis - Kazemzadeh will be the keynote speaker. Her topic: "The Struggle Continues." Dr. Ellis- Kazemzadeh, is a NAACP Pomona Valley Branch 1985, 1954 chartered member. She is a retired Vice President for Development and Public Relations at Spelman College in Atlanta, Ga. 1983 – 1986. Currently Ellis- Kazemzadeh is dedicating her time and resources to improving girls development with the Women On the Move, organization in Inland Empire community.*

Refreshments will be provided. While the event is free, there will be an opportunity to donate to the Pomona Valley Branch of the NAACP. The branch will also hold a raffle. Proceeds will go to, 2016 Pomona Valley Branch activities. The public is invited. Those wishing to attend should RSVP by email to [jrellisroyston1@verizon.net](mailto:jrellisroyston1@verizon.net) or call 909 764-7833. Seating is limited.

Jeanette Ellis-Royston, President of NAACP, Pomona Valley Branch 1085 said, "I look forward to this wonderful opportunity to celebrate the successes of this year and set the direction and tone for 2016. Together we are stronger!"

Email [jrellisroyston1@verizon.net](mailto:jrellisroyston1@verizon.net) or call 909 764-7833 for more information.

A photograph of Dr. Wilma Ellis-Kazemzadeh can be found at <http://www.naacp-pomona-valley.org/img/Ellis-Kazemzadeh-full.jpg>.

Additional information on the Pomona Valley Branch of the NAACP can be found on their website, <http://www.naacp-pomona-valley.org/>.

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