

**The 2008-2009 GRANTEES for the  
Southern Echo – Charles Stewart Mott Foundation  
Grassroots Community Organizing Initiative are:**

<b>Advocates for Community and Rural Education - Everton, AR</b>	<b>\$17,500</b>
<b>Chimuranga - Laurens, SC</b>	<b>\$15,000</b>
<b>Concerned Citizens for a Better Tunica County – Tunica, MS</b>	<b>\$20,000</b>
<b>Nollie Jenkins Family Center, Inc. – Lexington, MS</b>	<b>\$15,000</b>
<b>South Carolina Rural Education Grassroots Group – Estill, SC</b>	<b>\$12,500</b>
<b>Southeast Regional Economic Justice Network – Durham, NC</b>	<b>\$20,000</b>
<b>Sunflower County Parents and Students Org. - Indianola, MS</b>	<b>\$20,000</b>
<b>Total grants:</b>	<b>\$120,000</b>