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Greetings,

As Mayor of the City of Houston, I welcome all attending the official launch of the **Thomas and Eno Nwoko Educational Foundation (T.E.N.E.F.) U.S.A. Inc.** and the book presentation “The Journey Out of Obscurity.” The book entails how the Nwoko family rises to both providence and prominence as a family and vividly documents the historical life of Chief Nwoko.

T.E.N.E.F. is a nonprofit organization formed to promote the legacy of Chief Thomas Johnson Nwoko who encouraged numerous young people in his rural community, including his seven children to embrace education as the bedrock for moving out of obscurity.

I commend **Thomas and Eno Nwoko Educational Foundation U.S.A. Inc.** for its commitment to enhancing the quality of education in Houston.

Best wishes for a rewarding event.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Sylvester Turner".

Sylvester Turner
Mayor

