

ADVICS Manufacturing Ohio, Inc. and Toyota team up to donate \$20,000 to Warren County Diversity Council

Grant will fund the Council's new training program



Pictured (left to right) are Brian Krinock, General Manager, Purchasing, Toyota; Cynthia Brown, Warren County Diversity Council Board Member; and Geoffrey Hearsum, President and COO, ADVICS Manufacturing Ohio, Inc.

On August 11, 2003, ADVICS and Toyota teamed up announce a \$20,000 gift to the Warren County Diversity Council. The grant will establish a new training program targeting youth education. ADVICS and Toyota are joining several Warren County companies, including P&G, Mitsubishi, FACS Group, and Anthem, in support of this initiative.

"The generosity of ADVICS and Toyota is helping to make the Diversity connections training program possible," said Cynthia Brown, Chairperson of the Diversity Council. "The training will help all of us move toward building a stronger, more cooperative and supportive community." Kick-off for the program was held last week in the Mason City Schools and will be implemented in all Warren County schools throughout the next school year.

"As a global company we understand the significance and benefits of diversity and cultural understanding," said Geoff Hearsum, President and COO, ADVICS Manufacturing Ohio. "We also believe it is important for our company to play an active role in our local community, so we are pleased to partner with Toyota in support of this important cause."

ADVICS Manufacturing Ohio is a quality supplier of ABS actuator units and brake calipers. The Warren County plant supplies parts for the North American built Corolla, Sequoia, Sienna, Tacoma and Tundra.