



## "Newspaper Article" Writing Exercise



### BACKGROUND:

- This visioning exercise involves you imagining you have achieved a great milestone in your life or career.
- What would success look like for you?
- It could be an award you've received, a book you've written, something you've established or created. It could be a fund-raising goal you reached, a feat of travel, charitable activities or something else.
- Now, write an article as if written by a newspaper about the recent milestone and successes you have achieved.

### Tips

1. Write from 250-500 words in in the PAST tense.
2. Mention yourself, anyone who helped you and any sources quoted - by name.
3. Remember to give a little background including recent successes and other relevant highlights.
4. What does your success MEAN for the people reading it - how do the readers benefit?
5. OPTIONAL: What newspaper would you like to be featured in? Try (as best you can) to write in that newspaper's style.

**Final Tip:** Don't worry about grammar or spelling here - this is about capturing your vision and essence.