An Amazing Year!

In October, AARP volunteers and staff stormed Michigan's three bridges to Canada to show AARP's support for the Dorgan-Snowe bill, which would allow safe importation of prescription drugs starting with our neighbor to the north.

We worked hard, played hard and had our voice heard.

60 MINUTES TURNS ITS CAMERAS ON AARP

Novelli Interviewed

Dan Rather from CBS recently interviewed AARP Chief Executive Officer Bill Novelli for an upcoming edition of 60 Minutes. The interview, which took place at AARP's National Office, covered a range of topics from AARP's role in the 2003 Medicare debate and view on Social Security reform to how AARP uses royalties from its services. The interview was conducted for 60 Minutes Wednesday. Specific information on the date it will air will be provided when available. Video clips and photos are on Infonet, attached to News Now for Nov. 16.

Novelli Meets With Rx Campaign Partners

As part of AARP's efforts to inform our members about the Medicare Modernization Act, Chief Executive Officer Bill Novelli met with representatives of several non-profit organizations with strong ties either to Hispanic or African American adults. These organizations will play a role in helping families better understand and ultimately enroll in the new Medicare prescription drug program, which was signed into law in December 2003. Pictured left to right: Francis Walker, National Association of Neighborhoods (NAN); Dwanda Glenn-Woodward, Black Women's Health Imperative; Jeanette Beltran, National Latina Health Network (NLHN); Ricardo Byrd, NAN; Novelli; Millicent Gorham, National Black Nurses Association; Liany Elba Arroyo, National Council of La Raza; Essie Wiggins, NAN; Vincent Saminiego, NLHN; Lorraine Cole, Black Women's Health Imperative; and Leon Townsend, NAN. Not pictured: National Association of Hispanic Nurses, Interamerican College of Physicians and Surgeons, and National Alliance for Hispanic Health.