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For Immediate Release:

FOOTBALL STANDOUT McELROY TO BE FEATURED AT MINORITY GRADUATES DINNER

CHARLESTON – Individuals interested in attending the ninth annual Minority Graduates Recognition Dinner at Eastern Illinois University have until Friday, May 2, to make reservations.

This year's guest speaker, Ray McElroy, is an EIU alumnus who was a third team All-American and first team All-Conference player. As a senior, he had the privilege of playing the Blue Gray All-Star Classic in 1994.

In 1995, he was a fourth round draft pick by the Indianapolis Colts where he played for four years. He then went on to play for the Chicago Bears during the 2000 season and finished his playing career with the Detroit Lions.

Tickets for the dinner, set to take place at 6:30 p.m. Friday, May 9, are \$13.50 for adults, \$10 for EIU students with Panther Card ID and \$8 for children ages 5 through 12.

Those interested in attending should contact Eastern's Office of Minority Affairs, 1130 Blair Hall, or phone (217) 581-6690.