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Habitat for Humanity Hosts Affordable Housing Breakfast Supporting Neighborhood Revitalization to Create Homeownership Opportunities in Montgomery County

GAITHERSBURG, MD (October 26, 2011) - On Friday, November 4, 2011 Habitat for Humanity of Montgomery County, MD (HFH-MC) will host its 4th Annual Affordable Housing Benefit Breakfast at the Marriott Bethesda Hotel. The Honorable Jeffrey Slavin, Mayor of Somerset, will be the emcee of the event. Our special guest speaker will be The Honorable Sidney Katz, Mayor of the City of Gaithersburg. He will be discussing the latest housing trends and programs. The event will feature a HFH-MC homeowner who moved into their home earlier this year. They will tell their inspirational story of their journey about where they came from to how far they have come as a HFH-MC homeowner. Attendees will also have the opportunity to network with members of the community including business and government leaders who have an interest in affordable housing. We will discuss the latest news on housing issues and what residents of the county can do to support HFH-MC's efforts. Money raised from this year's event will support the Neighborhood Revitalization program where we rehabilitate vacant, distressed homes into affordable homeownership opportunities for low-income families.

Thank you to Craftmark Homes, our event sponsor, for their generous support of HFH-MC's mission to provide simple, decent, and affordable homes in Montgomery County. Their donation to this event will help HFH-MC serve even more families this year.

Individual tickets and tables are available. Register at the following link:

<http://events.r20.constantcontact.com/register/event?llr=7vqdcscbab&oeidk=a07e4tw83uqfd07aba0>

The media is invited and welcome to attend. For more information, please contact Amanda Fein at 301-990-0014 x 20 or amanda.fein@habitat-mc.org.

Details: Friday, November 4, 2011 7:00am to 8:45am
Marriott Bethesda Hotel, 5151 Pooks Hill Rd., Bethesda, MD 20814

About Habitat for Humanity of Montgomery County

Habitat for Humanity of Montgomery County, MD (HFH-MC) is an affiliate of Habitat for Humanity International. Since 1982, HFH-MC has partnered with the community and low-income families living in substandard conditions, to build simple, decent, affordable housing. To date, HFH-MC has served 94 local families. HFH-MC supports the notion that good, stable housing matters for neighborhoods. Better quality of living leads to stronger citizens and families. Habitat for Humanity is about changing lives, one home at a time. Visit our website at www.habitat-mc.org.

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