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WASTE MANAGEMENT PARTNERS WITH SAN DIEGO HABITAT FOR HUMANITY TO BUILD HOMES IN OCEANSIDE

(Oceanside, CA) Aug 25, 2009 -- Waste Management has partnered with San Diego Habitat for Humanity to help construct the Libby Lake Village, an affordable housing development for families in need, in Oceanside.

Habitat for Humanity officials recognized Waste Management for its support of Libby Lake Village at a dedication ceremony on Aug. 14, 2009.

“Waste Management is excited to play a part in the largest project San Diego Habitat for Humanity has ever undertaken and the largest in Oceanside,” said Lori Somers, municipal and community relations representative for Waste Management. “Especially in these difficult economic times, we are strong believers in Habitat for Humanity’s mission to better the lives of families through affordable homes. This community will be a great addition to Oceanside.”

Libby Lake Village will offer affordable housing to families with incomes of 50 to 80 percent of the area median income and will feature 20 zero-interest mortgage single family homes with three or four bedrooms. With the continued help of volunteers and sponsors, it is expected to be complete in the summer of 2010.

About Waste Management

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About San Diego Habitat for Humanity

The mission of San Diego Habitat for Humanity is to make housing a matter of action and conscience as a means to erase poverty housing from our community and the world. San Diego Habitat for Humanity, Inc. is the local affiliate of Habitat for Humanity International. SDHFH welcomes everyone of all faiths or no faith to join the effort in strengthening families, neighborhoods and communities. Donors and volunteers are the foundation of Habitat's work in

San Diego County. San Diego Habitat completed its 99th home and has more than 50 in the pipeline! For more information please visit www.sdhfh.org or call 619-283-HOME.

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