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Habitat Dedicates First Twin Villa

Bonita Springs, Florida; November 7, 2008 – Please join us in the **dedication** of Habitat’s first twin villa home on **Saturday, November 8th at 9 a.m in Bonita Springs**. Aerogapita Tiburcio, a single mom with four children will be one of two homeowners occupying the villa. Tiburcio works for the Hyatt in Coconut Point. Maria Vargas is also a single mom with one child and will be the second homeowner living in Habitat’s twin villa. Vargas works at Publix in Bonita Springs.

The Bonita Bay Group sponsored the twin villas; located at **26571 Nottingham Lane**. Earlier this year, the Bonita Bay Residents raised the walls on the project that will house two low-income families from the Lee County area. “This is a new design for us. We’ve seen other Habitat affiliates construct density build projects similar to this style and we thought we’d try the multi-family layout. In terms of land costs, this is a very efficient way to use what land we have,” says Vice President of Communications Trisha Goins.

Habitat for Humanity of Lee County is a non-profit organization dedicated to eliminating substandard housing in Lee County. So far, Habitat has built more than 900 homes in Lee County since 1982. Through the use of volunteer labor and donations of money and materials, Habitat builds simple, decent housing for families who otherwise could not afford it. **Homes are sold to the homeowners at no profit on an interest-free mortgage**, making homeownership an affordable reality.