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DEBARTOLO FAMILY FOUNDATION PROVIDES \$27,000 IN FINANCIAL GRANTS TO COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS

Tampa, Fl. (December 17, 2007) – The DeBartolo Family Foundation today announced \$27,000 in grants through its community funding program. This program, established in 2001, provides financial support to help organizations that applied for special assistance through the Foundation. Financial grants are provided twice annually.

A select group of four (4) childcare, medical research and healthcare organizations were funded in today's announcement.

2007 DeBartolo Family Foundation Grant Recipients:

- Caregivers Support Network
- The Vascular Birthmarks Foundation
- The Foundation For Dreams
- Kids In Balance, Inc.

“On behalf of the DeBartolo Family Foundation, I am honored to present these extraordinary organizations with a monetary donation that will assist in their humanitarian efforts.” said Lisa DeBartolo, Executive Vice President DeBartolo Holdings. “Each grant recipient has filled a tremendous need within the communities in which they serve. Without their inspired service and dedication many less fortunate individuals would go without this much-needed healthcare and medical research.”

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The DeBartolo Family Foundation is a not-for-profit corporation created by the members of the Edward J. DeBartolo, Jr. family to benefit local communities. The Foundation annually awards scholarships to deserving students, provides grants to individuals and organizations with exceptional requirements, and presents the Spirit of Humanity Award, honoring non-profit, grass roots organizations that provide extraordinary assistance to Tampa Bay residents with special needs. For more information, visit the foundation's website at www.debartolofamilyfoundation.com or call the Foundation office at 813.964.8302.

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