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Friends of the Children's Advocacy Center of Brevard Elect Officers for 2012

Brevard County— The Friends of the Children's Advocacy Center of Brevard recently elected their officers for 2012. The Board re-elected as President, Randall Coleman, Vice President at Merrill Lynch; as Vice President, Kimberly Gwiazda, Victim Witness Counselor, Office of the State Attorney, 18th Judicial Circuit; as Treasurer, Don Hemmenway, Engineering Manager, Intersil Corporation; and elected one of their newer Board Directors, Andrew Pickett, Assistant State Attorney, 18th Judicial Circuit, as Secretary.

In other Board action, State Attorney Norman Wolfinger, a founding member of the Friends, was named Director Emeritus.

In addition to the officers named above, Board Directors are:

Vice Presidents of Fundraising: Delores Spearman and Peta Adovasio, Community Volunteers

David Brock, President/CEO, Community Credit Union of Florida

Maxwell King, Ed.D., Community Volunteer and Retired College President

Jessie Das Kirk, Owner of Kirk Realty in Titusville

Major John Mellick, Assistant Precinct Commander, East Precinct, Brevard County Sheriff's Office

Helene Sanford, SPHR, Director of Human Resources and Compensation, Intersil Corporation

Diane Scott, Director of Child Welfare, Intervention Services, Inc.

Kenneth Whittaker, CPA/PFS, CFP, CLU/ChFC, Branch Manager, Raymond James

Financial Services, Whittaker Cooper Financial Group

Board Advisory members are Sheriff Jack Parker and Vicki Rios-Martinez.

The Friends of the Children's Advocacy Center of Brevard is a nonprofit organization comprised of volunteers whose purpose is to increase awareness of the issues of child abuse and neglect, and to raise funds to support the mission of the Children's Advocacy Center of Brevard. The Children's Advocacy Center of Brevard is managed by the Space Coast Health Foundation and is a multi-agency collaboration of child welfare professionals who intervene in all child sexual abuse cases, as well as the most severe cases of physical child abuse and neglect. For more information, visit the Children's Advocacy Center of Brevard's website at www.cacbrevard.org, or call 637-7652.

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