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RIVER GARDEN SENIOR SERVICES 68th ANNUAL MEETING

Jacksonville, FL, March 23, 2014: River Garden installed new Board leadership during the annual meeting of River Garden Senior Services and the 68th Anniversary Day celebration of River Garden Hebrew Home. Following three years as board president of the River Garden Hebrew Home, Mark Lodinger passed the baton to incoming board president, Marsha Pollock. Mark has served on the River Garden Home board since 1991, including serving as Vice President of the River Garden Admissions board and Chair of its Insurance Committee. Marsha has served on the River Garden Home board since 1990, most recently as Vice-Chair of the Admissions Committee. The annual anniversary day celebration was attended by over 500 guests and included a barbeque, pony rides, train rides, face painting, balloon artistry, games, and an open house.

About River Garden

River Garden is a not-for-profit, mission-driven community agency offering an array of elder care programs and services on a 37-acre campus in the Mandarin area of Jacksonville. Sponsored by the organized Jewish community, River Garden serves clients from diverse religious and ethnic backgrounds while maintaining an environment supportive of Jewish identity and informed by Jewish values. River Garden is a six-time recipient of the prestigious 'Florida Governor's Gold Seal Award for Excellence in Long-Term Care,' a five-star rated community by AHCA and CMS, and a recipient of US News & World Report "Best Nursing Homes" recognition in 2013 and 2014.

The River Garden campus includes: River Garden Hebrew Home, a 180-bed skilled nursing facility; The Coves, an 80-unit independent living community; River Garden Home Health Care, a Florida licensed and Medicare certified home health agency; River Garden Adult Day Care; River Garden Rehab, providing short-stay rehabilitation and outpatient physical, occupational and speech therapies; The Albert Z. Fleet Geriatric Training Center, a Florida licensed not-for-profit post-secondary school providing continuing education for staff, and classes to train students for careers as Certified Nursing Assistants; and River Garden Foundation, an integral part of the River Garden community, providing financial support to the River Garden system of senior services.

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