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Nazareth Housing Junior Board raises \$13K at Third Annual Spring Brunch and Silent Auction

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The Nazareth Housing Junior Board Third Annual Spring Brunch and Silent Auction raised more than \$13,000 making this their most successful event to date. Nearly 100 young professionals gathered on April 26, 2014, at Hotel Chantelle on the Lower East Side to celebrate spring and bid on auction items including a framed Roger Muhl lithograph, an Emporio Armani handbag, a membership to Equinox, custom clothing from Turnbull and Asser, classes at SoulCycle and much more. Special thanks to our sponsors: King and Spalding, Lancer Insurance Company and Michael J. Callaghan, c.o. for their support. The event featured appetizers prepared by The Stillmeadow Gourmet and macaroni and cheese donated by S'MAC. All funds support Nazareth Housing's mission to prevent and end homelessness.

"For the third year in a row, the Junior Board has proven to be dedicated champions of the low-income families and individuals we serve," said Nazareth Housing Executive Director, Michael J. Callaghan, c.o. "Nazareth Housing is thankful for the Junior Board's continued support through volunteer and fundraising efforts."

Pictures can be found on *Guest of a Guest's* website – <u>www.guestofaguest.com</u> – and Nazareth Housing's website – <u>www.nazarethhousingnyc.org</u>.

About Nazareth Housing

Nazareth Housing is a 501(c)(3), not-for-profit, non-sectarian organization, celebrating thirty (30) years of service, innovation and advocacy in the field of housing and support services for very low-income families. Since 2006, Nazareth Housing has served nearly 19,000 unduplicated households through homelessness prevention services, emergency family shelter, supportive housing, and urgent needs assistance. Nazareth Housing is a HUD certified housing counseling agency, and the only HUD certified agency in New York City to work exclusively with rental housing issues. For more information, please visit: www.nazarethhousingnyc.org.

About The Nazareth Housing Junior Board

The Nazareth Housing Junior Board works to promote housing stability and economic independence among the low-income families, individuals, youth and seniors of New York City. The Junior Board is comprised of young professionals working in the financial, legal, commercial real estate, advertising and technology sectors. Members organize events that directly benefit the families living in Nazareth Housing's shelters, prevention and supportive services. For more information, please visit: www.nazarethhousingnyc.org/junior-board.

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