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CoreNet Global's Community Reinvestment Challenge Committee Participates in National Rebuilding Day

***CoreNet Global Volunteers Will Renovate Homes April 30 in Partnership with
Rebuilding Together – Metro Chicago***

Note to Assignment Editors:

Broadcast/Onsite Availability for this Event:

DATE AND TIME: 7:30 am – 3:30 pm, Saturday April 30, 2011

LOCATION: 1126 AND 1141 North Waller Avenue, Austin neighborhood

ATLANTA, GA (25 April, 2011) – Members of CoreNet Global, the world's leading professional association for corporate real estate and workplace professionals, will volunteer on the renovations of two homes in the Austin neighborhood of Chicago in conjunction with Rebuilding Together – Metro Chicago's city-wide rebuilding day. The rebuilding will take place on Saturday, April 30, 2011 at 7:30 am.

The event, which coincides with the CoreNet Global Summit Chicago Midwest, is part of a national day of rebuilding organized by Rebuilding Together. Across the country, more than 100,000 volunteers are taking part in the event, including more than 3,500 in Chicago.

The timing of National Rebuilding Day with the CoreNet Global Summit was pure coincidence, but presented a natural opportunity for the two organizations to work together, said Keith W. Cade, CCIM, MCR, principal with Newmark Knight Frank, Global Real Estate Advisors, in Chicago. Cade serves as chair of the CoreNet Global Community Reinvestment Challenge Committee for the summit.

"We are fortunate that CoreNet Global could help our host city, and at the same time contribute to the national rebuilding effort; it is very good timing all around," Cade said. "This event provides a great way to give back locally and introduce visitors to the city of Chicago – all while serving the needs of others."

The global architecture and design firm Perkins + Will is the Presenting Sponsor of the Community Reinvestment Challenge (CRC) project during the CoreNet Global Chicago Midwest Summit.

Principal Gary Miciunas said “we're involved because we are serious about social responsibility as a firm-wide purpose. This CRC sponsorship opportunity marries our corporate involvement with CoreNet Global and our civic commitment to such projects that honor the broader goals of society. We are simply delighted to participate in this manner upholding a core value of our firm.”

Just after CoreNet Global's formation in the early 2000's, long before social responsibility and sustainability were popular buzzwords, CoreNet Global established a commitment to its host communities and has participated in rebuilding projects.

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