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### **Hedge Funds for Habitat – NYC to Ring Closing Bell at NASDAQ**

New York, NY -- (January 25, 2010) – Hedge Funds for Habitat-NYC, an initiative by the hedge fund community to provide home ownership opportunities to New York City families through Habitat for Humanity – New York City, will ring the Closing Bell at the NASDAQ MarketSite on Monday, January 25.

Stuart Feffer, co-chief executive officer of LaCrosse Global Fund Services, and chair of Hedge Funds for Habitat-NYC, is spearheading the group's efforts to attract supporters from hedge funds, private equity firms and industry service providers.

"As we are building more homes than ever before in New York City, the continuing support of the Hedge Funds community is vital to our work," said Josh Lockwood, executive director of Habitat-NYC.

"New York City has been good to the alternative investment community, and the Hedge Funds for Habitat campaign is a chance for us to do some good in return. We are proud to support Habitat for Humanity's projects in New York City through this effort," said Stuart Feffer, co-chief executive officer of LaCrosse Global Fund Services.

Most immediately, the campaign is helping Habitat-NYC with 16 new condominiums currently under construction on four sites on Hart Street and Lafayette Avenue in Bedford Stuyvesant in Brooklyn.

To contact the organization or make a donation, please call 212-991-4000 x330 or visit [www.habitatnyc.org/hedgefundsforhabitatnyc](http://www.habitatnyc.org/hedgefundsforhabitatnyc).

#### **About Habitat for Humanity – NYC**

Habitat-NYC transforms lives and our city by uniting all New Yorkers around the cause of decent, affordable housing. With the help of thousands of volunteers every year, Habitat-NYC has built more than 220 affordable homes in the five boroughs of New York City. Habitat-NYC is the New York City affiliate of Habitat for Humanity International.

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