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SCHLAGE EXPANDS CHARITABLE DONATION PROGRAM WITH LOCK DONATIONS TO HABITAT FOR HUMANITY PROJECT IN COLORADO

Door locks donated for homes in Colorado Springs' Woodman Vistas development

CARMEL, IN, October 28, 2010 – As part of an ongoing effort to support charitable organizations that promote family well-being, Schlage, a strategic brand of Ingersoll Rand, today announced it has joined with Pikes Peak Habitat for Humanity, the Rocky Mountain Community Land Trust and Home Depot to provide exterior and interior door locks and a backyard padlock for 24 homes in the Woodman Vistas neighborhood of Colorado Springs. The construction project is also part of Habitat for Humanity's initiative with the Home Depot Foundation's Partners in Sustainable Building.

Each of the 24 homes will be outfitted with a Schlage[®] exterior handleset and interior locks in Schlage's satin nickel finish. The donated locks will be used in 19 Habitat homes and five homes being built by the Rocky Mountain Community Land Trust.

"In September, several Schlage employees volunteered to join Home Depot in helping with the construction," said Sarah Pepin, VP of sales for Schlage/Ingersoll Rand Residential Solutions. "We actually were able to meet two families who will be moving into the development. It was so moving and motivational that we decided right there to donate the door locks and padlocks. Schlage's corporate commitment to creating safe and secure environments is a perfect fit with the goals of this project and we look forward to continuing our relationship with Habitat and to supplying added value to future projects."

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"We are always grateful to companies like Schlage that share our philosophy of providing decent housing to families in desperate need of affordable homes," said Paul Johnson, executive director at Habitat for Humanity. "We are truly grateful for this donation because it will improve the lives of these Colorado Springs families by giving them peace of mind in knowing that their homes are secure."

Founded in 1976, Habitat for Humanity's mission is to "seek to eliminate poverty housing and homelessness from the world and to make decent shelter a matter of conscience and action." To qualify for one of the Habitat homes in Colorado Springs, a family of four must have an annual income between \$17,500 and \$35,000 and be willing to contribute 350-450 hours to help build the home and attend homeowner education classes.

Rocky Mountain Community Land Trust homes are reserved for first-time home buyers with a maximum household income of \$56,500 for a family of four and recipients are required to attend a home buying workshop. The Rocky Mountain Community Land Trust was formed in 1996 with the goal of providing affordable homes to families with limited incomes. The Home Depot Foundation supports the construction of homes that are affordable and healthy to live in.

Schlage's Ongoing Commitment to Family Well-Being

This donation reinforces Schlage's commitment to working with charitable organizations that promote family well-being. In May, the company donated 2,000 deadbolt locks to the Project Safe program, run by Safe Horizon in New York, the nation's leading organization that assists victims of domestic violence, sexual assault, trafficking and child abuse. In July, Schlage worked with HelpingaHero.com, which builds homes for disabled veterans, to install a Schlage LiNK[™] remote entry/home-management system in the home built for Sgt. Eddie Wright, who lost both of his forearms in combat during the war in Iraq.

In addition, Schlage recently contributed 10 Schlage Programmable Electronic Deadbolts and related software to the Lakeshore Foundation's Operation Lakeshore project in Homewood, Alabama. Injured servicemen and their families are invited to stay at the cottage-style homes while they seek to regain active lives through participation in short-term programs and weekend sports camps. The Cottages at Lakeshore Grand Opening is slated for Veterans' Day, November 11, 2010.

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