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**TRUEPENNY HOMES HELPS FUND CHARLESTON HABITAT FOR
HUMANITY RESTORE TRUCK**

Truepenny Homes, Inc. donated \$6,000.00 to Charleston Habitat for Humanity to help pay for their new ReStore truck. The truck will be used for picking up large donated items, such as furniture, appliances, doors and windows. These new or gently used donated items are then sold to the public. Since opening in 2001, the ReStore has raised enough funds to build 10 Habitat houses.

With this donation, Truepenny Homes will advertise for one year on one full side of the ReStore truck. A photo opt with David DiPietro, owner of Truepenny Homes, Inc., will take place on October 2nd at 9:30am at the Charleston Habitat for Humanity office located at 731 Meeting Street.

Truepenny Homes, Inc. is a custom home builder throughout South Carolina with offices in Mt. Pleasant and Columbia. Established in 1992 by owner David C. DiPietro, the company has expanded over the years to keep up with ever-changing technology, construction aspects and client preferences. Truepenny says, "The secret to our homes is always having compassion for our clients." This donation displays that Truepenny Homes not only has compassion for its clients, but for the community as well.

Charleston Habitat for Humanity is extremely grateful for this gift, as the new truck will ensure that the Habitat ReStore is able to continue operating successfully. Charleston Habitat's ReStore Manager, Jon Skelton states, "For the longest time we needed a new truck, our old truck did not have air conditioning, did not have lifts and was falling apart. We are so thankful to have this much needed truck and are so excited to have this partnership with Truepenny Homes, Inc."

For more information about Charleston Habitat for Humanity and the ReStore, please call 843-722-7145 or visit our website at www.charlestonhabitat.org. For more information about Truepenny Homes, Inc., please visit <http://www.truepennyhomes.com/>.

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Charleston Habitat for Humanity provides affordable homeownership opportunities for working families of moderate income in the cities of Charleston and North Charleston. Families can qualify for either new homes or home repair programs. Financial and in-kind support comes from homeowner principal mortgage payments; contributions from individuals, businesses, grants and foundations; sales from the Charleston Habitat for Humanity ReStore; and volunteer labor on our construction site.