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Rite-Hite Donates \$1 Million to YMCA of Metropolitan Milwaukee *Brown Deer Branch to Be Renamed Rite-Hite Family YMCA*

(MILWAUKEE) The YMCA of Metropolitan Milwaukee announced a \$1 Million gift from the Rite-Hite Holding Corporation. In honor of the donation, the YMCA is renaming the Schroeder Branch in Brown Deer as the Rite-Hite Family YMCA, effective immediately. Rite-Hite, a world-wide leader in the development, manufacture, and sale of loading dock safety systems and industrial door solutions, is headquartered in Milwaukee, not far from the existing YMCA branch.

“I believe in the mission of the YMCA to help people grow stronger in spirit, mind and body,” said Mike White, Chairman of Rite-Hite Holding Corporation. “This gift is an investment in a true community resource that benefits people of all ages.” White is Chairman-elect of the YMCA’s Executive Board of Directors, and currently serves as Vice-Chair of the Board.

“We are grateful for the generous support of Mike White and the Rite-Hite Corporation,” said Bob Yamachika, President and CEO of the YMCA of Metropolitan Milwaukee. “This donation benefits our entire organization. We are thankful for Mike’s leadership and dedication to the YMCA.”

The Rite-Hite Family YMCA, located at 9250 N. Green Bay Road, is currently undergoing extensive renovations, which will be complete by early 2009. The branch is also part of the Healthy Lifestyle Village, a partnership between the YMCA, Wheaton Franciscan Healthcare, and the Walter Schroeder Aquatic Center. The Healthy Lifestyle Village is expected to be complete in the Spring of 2009.

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The YMCA of Metropolitan Milwaukee builds strong kids, strong families, and strong communities. Since 1858, Milwaukee YMCAs have helped kids and families live healthy lives in spirit, mind and body. Supported in part through contributions to the Strong Kids Campaign, the YMCA provides membership assistance and scholarships to programs like summer camp, child care, and teen activities, so that no one is turned away due to an inability to pay.