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## Newly Appointed Chair for HFHMM Board of Directors

Board Member Michael Clurman takes on New Role

SILVER SPRING, MD (June 14, 2017) — On July  $1^{st}$ , 2017, Michael Clurman will assume new duties as Chairman of the Board of Directors at Habitat for Humanity Metro Maryland (HFHMM). He will be taking the place of Jeff Hollingsworth, whose many years of service played a fundamental role on the board.

Jeff Hollingsworth is a longtime supporter of our affiliate. He was originally nominated to our Board of Directors in 1995, served as treasurer and chairman, and then after a short sabbatical returned to the board in 2008. Hollingsworth also served as a member of the nominating and finance committees. Teaching at the University of Maryland since 1994, he was a Professor and Associate Chair at the University of Maryland in the Computer Science Department, UMIACS, and the Electrical and Computer Engineering Department. He recently started a new position as the Interim Chief Information Officer (CIO) in UMD's Division of Information Technology. After serving with HFHMM for almost 25 years, he will certainly be missed. HFHMM is grateful for the contributions he made, and wishes him well in his endeavors.

Michael Clurman has been an HFHMM board member for several years. Retired from the fields of business and technology, Clurman is best known for his 37 years spent at the Washington Post, where he ascended to the position of Vice President of Operations. He developed and directed all manufacturing and technology initiatives, as well as directed the daily production and manufacturing operations of the Post. Clurman also worked at INVISION, the leading provider of advertising sales to the media industry, in New York City. He attended the University of Maryland at College Park, and completed the executive management program at Harvard. Active on a few different boards including the Packard Center for ALS Research at Johns Hopkins and The Johns Hopkins Center for Humanitarian Health at The Bloomberg School of Public Health, Michael Clurman makes for a well-rounded individual on our Board of Directors.

HFHMM appreciates the service given by Jeff Hollingsworth, and looks forward to the continuing service of Michael Clurman as the new Chairman.

## About Habitat for Humanity Metro Maryland

Habitat for Humanity Metro Maryland, Inc. (HFHMM) is an affiliate of Habitat for Humanity International that serves Montgomery and Prince George's Counties in Maryland. Since 1982, HFHMM has partnered with the community and low-income families living in substandard conditions to provide decent and affordable housing solutions. HFHMM supports the notion that good, stable housing matters for neighborhoods. Better quality of living leads to stronger citizens and families. Habitat for Humanity is about changing lives, one home at a time. Visit our website at <a href="https://www.HabitatMM.org">www.HabitatMM.org</a>.

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