**Honoree Announcement**

**For Immediate Release**

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**[HOST SITE] RECOGNIZES THE 50 MOST COMMUNITY-MINDED COMPANIES IN [LOCATION]**

**[CITY, STATE] – [HOST SITE]**, In partnership with Points of Light, the world’s largest organization dedicated to volunteer service, [HOST SITE] announces The Civic 50 [LOCATION] [YEAR] honorees, recognizing the 50 most community-minded small, medium, and large companies in the [CITY/STATE/COUNTY] as determined by an independently administered and scored survey. The Civic 50 [LOCATION] awards, modeled after Points of Light’s national program, provide a framework for good corporate citizenship, and showcases how local companies are moving social impact, civic engagement and community to the center of their business.

The Civic 50 [LOCATION] honorees are public and private companies operating in the [CITY/COUNTY/STATE] and are selected based on four dimensions of their community engagement program – investment of resources, integration across business functions, institutionalization through policies and systems and impact measurement. Since 2011, The Civic 50 has provided a national standard for superior corporate citizenship and showcased how companies can use their time, skills and other resources to drive social impact in their business and community.

The Civic 50 [LOCATION] honorees will be officially recognized at [EVENT].

[QUOTE FROM HOST SITE]

[QUOTE FROM POINTS OF LIGHT]

**The Civic 50 [LOCATION] Honorees of 2019**

[LIST OF HONOREES]

**Key Statistics and Highlights from The Civic 50 [LOCATION] 2019 Honorees**

[KEY STATISTICS/FINDINGS]

The Civic 50 [LOCATION] survey is administered by True Impact, a company specializing in helping organizations maximize and measure their social and business value and consists of quantitative and multiple-choice questions that inform scoring process.

For more information about The Civic 50 [LOCATION] and this year’s honorees, visit [LINK]

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**About** [INSERT HOST SITE BOILERPLATE]

**About Points of Light**

Points of Light is a global nonprofit organization that inspires, equips and mobilizes millions of people to take action that changes the world. We envision a world in which every individual discovers the power to make a difference, creating healthy communities in vibrant, participatory societies. Through affiliates in 200 cities across 37 countries, and in partnership with thousands of nonprofits and corporations, Points of Light engages 5 million volunteers in 14 million hours of service each year. We bring the power of people to bear where it’s needed most. For more information, go to www.pointsoflight.org.

**About True Impact**

True Impact provides web-based tools and consulting support to help organizations measure the social, financial, and environmental return on investment (ROI) of their programs and operations. For more information, visit [www.trueimpact.com](http://www.trueimpact.com/).