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MountainView Hospital Names Goodwill of Southern Nevada 2011 Community Partner and kicks off “Job is in the Bag” Donation Drive

MountainView Hospital is pleased to announce that Goodwill of Southern Nevada has been chosen as their *2011 Community Partner*.

Thirteen years ago, at the cross streets of US 95 Cheyenne and Tenaya, Goodwill of Southern Nevada placed a donation center in MountainView Hospital’s parking lot. Today, that donation center has grown to become Goodwill’s busiest, with 45,269 individuals donating in 2010. That averages about 871 individual donor visits per week. Not to mention the three Donation Ambassadors who work the center every day from 9 am to 6 pm.

“Goodwill is extremely proud of our partnership with MountainView.” said Steve Chartrand, Goodwill President and CEO, “They are one of our longest-running supporters. We feel truly honored that they have chosen us as their *2011 Community Partner*.”

To mark the start of this honor, MountainView has generously agreed to serve as a pace setter for Goodwill’s third annual “The Job is in the Bag” Donation Drive.

For “The Job is in the Bag” Donation Drive, Goodwill is asking members of the Southern Nevada community to donate “gently used” designer handbags, briefcases or accessories that will then be placed in a special on-line auction. The auction will take place on Goodwill’s online merchandise site, www.shopgoodwill.com and will begin on Monday, May 9.

Suggested brands for donation include: Coach, Dooney & Bourke, Brighton, Cole Haan, Juicy Couture, Betsy Johnson, Gucci, Fendi, Louis Vuitton and more. To find out more details about how and where to donate items visit www.sngoodwill.org.

All funds raised from the auction go to fund job training and career coaching for people who want to work in the Southern Nevada community. In 2010, Goodwill’s Career Connections programs, served 5,000 individuals and its Workforce Development Program served 7,916 individuals.

And, it’s these programs and the success stories of Goodwill clients, that led MountainView to choose Goodwill as its *2011 Community Partner*.

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For more information about Goodwill of Southern Nevada and its programs or “The Job is in the Bag” Donation Drive contact:

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Goodwill of Southern Nevada is a 501c3 non-profit organization whose mission is to educate, train and employ people with barriers to employment, disabilities, and other special needs to help them maximize the quality of their life. For a complete list of all Goodwill of Southern Nevada donation centers, acceptable donations and additional information visit www.sngoodwill.org. Each donor of “gently used” goods receives a donation receipt for tax purposes. Tax ID No. 23-7437479.

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