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### **Five Area Non-Profit Organizations Receive Donations From The Reserve at Lake Keowee Community Foundation**

Sunset, SC (May 17, 2007)—The Reserve at Lake Keowee Community Foundation distributed funds totaling \$23,000 to five area non-profit organizations on May 15 in a presentation at The Pickens Library in Pickens, SC.

Members of the Community Foundation's Outreach Committee, representing the residents and property owners of The Reserve at Lake Keowee, presented the checks to:

- Mary's House
- Helping Hands
- Meals-on-Wheels
- OMH Hospice of the Foothills
- The Good Samaritan Alliance

Led by Executive Director Kathryn Coleman, the Reserve at Lake Keowee Community Foundation is committed to sharing The Reserve's resources with the local community through its Outreach program. The program makes appropriations for the contribution of up to 10% of the Foundation's annual receipts to non-profit organizations serving the Pickens County community. The Reserve at Lake Keowee residents serving with the Outreach program are Jan Haake, Mike Kennedy, Tina Propper, and Pam White.

The Reserve at Lake Keowee Community Foundation is a community enhancement organization that is funded in perpetuity through property sales and was created to provide arts, environmental, and outreach-related activities and opportunities for property owners, residents, and their families. The Foundation is guided by a board of directors made up of representatives from the developer, Greenwood Development Corporation, as

well as Reserve at Lake Keowee property owners. Board members are Jay Nexsen, Bill Watkins, Joy Steverson, Barbara Evans, and Liz Thompson.

The Reserve is a 3,900-acre, private lakefront community tucked into one of the most beautiful and untouched regions of the Southeast. Located on the shores of 18,500-acre Lake Keowee in the foothills of the Blue Ridge Mountains, The Reserve is an ideal place for boating, fishing, water skiing, and swimming. A Jack Nicklaus Signature Golf Course heads up a full menu of amenities already in place that includes tennis, hiking, fitness, and family activities.

### **About Greenwood Development**

Greenwood Development Corp., based in Greenwood, S.C., is a leader in the creation and management of award-winning residential and resort communities in the Southeast United States since 1978. Among other projects, it developed Hilton Head Island's Palmetto Dunes, recently ranked the No. 1 family resort in the world by *Travel + Leisure Family* magazine. Greenwood's current projects include The Ponds, a 2,000-acre residential development outside Charleston, SC; Liberty Hill Farms, a 3,500-acre residential lakefront community on Lake Wateree, SC; and Big Canoe outside Atlanta, GA. For more information, please visit [www.greenwooddevelopment.com](http://www.greenwooddevelopment.com).