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STAR CHILDREN'S CHARITY ANNOUNCES EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE AND EXPANDED BOARD OF DIRECTORS

(Collin County, Texas) – January 21, 2011 – At its Annual Board of Directors work session, Star Children's Charity confirmed its Executive Committee and welcomed new board members to support its mission of expanding philanthropy in Collin County and immediate goals of completing its \$1.4M of funding to children's programs that support the advancement of children in the community.

Joining the board of directors for 3 year terms are: Richard Davis, Advantage Group Claims Recovery, David Downs, AXA Advisors, Mike Karnes, Strategic Marketing Partners, James Iley, PrimeLending, A PlainsCapital Company, Cheryl Massey, Michael W. Massey & Associates and Marci Reese, The Fellowship of Frisco Church.

The leadership slate includes: Michelle Brennan Hall - President, Doug Bartek - President-Elect, VP Membership - Linda Paulk, VP Membership-Elect - Ronelle Ianace, Michael Urtso and Greg Fuller - Treasurers, Mike Karnes - Treasurer-Elect, Marci Reese – Secretary, Keith Braley – VP Development, David Downs – VP Development-Elect.

Star's 2011 fundraising year will include 3 annual fundraisers. Star will host its second annual Stiletto Strut in partnership with Neiman Marcus Willow Bend on April 14th, the second annual Executive Summit this fall and the fourth annual Star Winter Ball in November. In addition, Star has been chosen as the beneficiary of this year's *Live From Collin County* production to be held on June 4th.

ABOUT STAR CHILDREN'S CHARITY: Star Children's Charity is a leading voice of philanthropy in Collin County, dedicated to financially supporting non-profit organizations that benefit the well being of children. Founded by Michelle Brennan Hall and Linda S. Paulk in 2007, Star Children's Charity consists of accomplished and philanthropic families who produce sought-after fundraising events throughout the year. Star Children's Charity members are passionate about changing the lives of Collin County's children by supporting efforts to improve services for medical, education, enrichment and safety. Star encourages the community to learn more about Star Children's Charity and join their efforts by visiting www.starchildrens.com or contacting 972 (943-3344).

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