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Oak Ridge Chamber to Host New Resident Reception November 15

November 5, 2007 --- The Oak Ridge Chamber of Commerce's Housing/Population Task Force is once again hosting a reception for new residents on Thursday, November 15 at 5:30 p.m. in the Joyce Conference Room at the Oak Ridge Chamber of Commerce, 1400 Oak Ridge Turnpike. An RSVP is required for those who wish to attend the reception.

According to Jan McNally Corporate Director of Leadership Development for Covenant Health and the Chamber's Vice Chair for Housing/Population, "This is our second reception this year for new residents of Oak Ridge. We hosted the first in March and it was received with overwhelming enthusiasm by those who attended. It gave them a chance to see many of the things that make Oak Ridge such a great place to live. These receptions give us an opportunity to introduce new residents to the opportunities available to them in terms of medical services, art organizations, recreation, senior services, churches, youth and children's activities, etc."

"We want to invite all new residents to attend this gathering. This is a wonderful opportunity for new residents to get to know one another as well as to get to know the community," said Mitzi Burgess, Vice President of the Oak Ridge Chamber of Commerce.

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If you are new to Oak Ridge, if you know of someone who is or if your company has recently hired someone who has just moved here, please contact Mitzi Burgess at the Oak Ridge Chamber of Commerce at 483-1321 or burgess@orcc.org.

To RSVP for the event, please contact Christy Holt at 483-1321 or holt@orcc.org.

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