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Hannah's Home gala co-chairs bring long record of service

TEQUESTA, Fla. (Jan. 17, 2023) – *Hannah's Home of South Florida* has tapped George G. Gentile and Stephanie Mitrione as honorary co-chairs for the organization's 4th Annual Gala at the Pelican Club in Jupiter, Fla. on Thursday, March 2.

George G. Gentile

A landscape architect and planner for over 35 years, Gentile is president and founder of Jupiter's 2GHO, a full-service landscape architecture and environmental consulting firm. Gentile founded the company in 1988. Named Landscape Architect of the Year by the American Institute of Architects in 2007, Gentile is dedicated to sustainable and environmentally sensitive planning and design.

He regularly serves his community, including leading and serving the Palm Beach North Chamber of Commerce, Palm Beach County Planning Congress, Economic Council of Palm Beach County, Marine Industries Association of Palm Beach County, Economic Forum of Palm Beach County and the Palm Beach State College Foundation, among other community endeavors.

"I'm glad to represent Hannah's Home, a great organization helping young mothers," said Gentile, a graduate of the University of Florida and resident of Jupiter. "The annual gala will be a magnificent event to raise funds for their expansion."

Stephanie Mitrione

Mitrione has most recently served as external affairs manager at Florida Power & Light Company, the largest power utility in Florida, since 2009. She was responsible for fostering relationships with elected officials and other key stakeholders in the communities of Northern and Western Palm Beach County, as well as Okeechobee County.

A 2006 graduate of Boston College with a degree in marketing, Mitrione is active in her community serving with the Palm Beach North Chamber of Commerce, Quantum House, Forum Club of the Palm Beaches and the South Florida Fair. She is a graduate of the Leadership Palm Beach County Class of 2015 and was acknowledged by the

Chamber of Commerce of the Palm Beaches with the ATHENA Young Professional Award in October 2017.

“It’s an honor to co-chair the annual gala for such a worthy cause,” Mittrione said. “Hannah’s Home is doing incredible work for the community.”

This year’s annual gala will feature cocktails, live music, dinner, live and silent auctions.

Gala chair and former Tequesta mayor, Abby Brennan, themed the event, “Reaching for the Stars,” which highlights the careers and achievements by the young mothers at Hannah’s Home participating in the organization’s comprehensive residential program.

The two-year residential program provides essential needs like food, lodging, clothing and medical care. The organization also offers Christian counseling, life skills training and educational opportunities. Since its doors opened in 2011, Hannah’s Home has welcomed 80 infants. We turn away approximately 200 women on average per year due to a lack of capacity. The organization has completed its first phase of a \$14 million capital campaign to add four transition cottages and a 16-bedroom, two-story dormitory. Proceeds from the gala will benefit the home’s expansion plans to address this critical need for additional housing.

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About Hannah’s Home of South Florida: *Providing a safe and loving Christian environment for single, pregnant young women, Hannah’s Home is a maternity facility with a mission of offering hope and transforming lives. More information is available at www.hannahshomesf.org.*