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## HBA Announces 2010 Leadership Team

**CINCINNATI** – H. Joshua “Josh” Blatt, President of John Henry Homes, has been elected 2010 President of the Home Builders Association of Greater Cincinnati (HBA). The Blue Ash-based custom builder has been active in the HBA for nearly a decade and has served on the Executive, Litigation, Marketing, Build-PAC and Long Range Planning Committees.

John Henry Homes was the lead builder in construction of ABC-TV’s *Extreme Makeover: Home Edition* home in Berry, KY, built in 2006. Blatt is also active with the Ronald McDonald House and the Jewish Federation of Cincinnati. He holds degrees from Syracuse University and Salmon P. Chase College of Law at Northern Kentucky University.

Other recently elected officers include Rex Gordon, Vice President (Zaring Premier Homes); Carolyn Rolfes, Secretary/Treasurer (Potterhill Homes); Joe Cristo, Chairman of the Board (Cristo Homes); and Andrea Lucke deStefano, Chairman of the Executive Committee (Robert Lucke Homes).

Newly elected members of the board of directors include Tim Burgoyne, Hal Homes; Scott Dallis, Dallis Homes; Rick Iannitti, Jeanne’s Creek Properties; Brian Sims, Rookwood Building Group; John Ballantyne, Leland Group; Becky Bush, Perry Bush Building Group; Susan Hollon, M/I Homes; Dan May, Ireland-May; and Giles Patterson, Fischer Homes.

The HBA of Greater Cincinnati is the largest local chapter of the National Association of Home Builders in Ohio and one of the top 20 largest HBAs in the country.

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