

# MEDIA ADVISORY

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## **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

*April 29, 2008*

## **National Volunteer Week**

*ExxonMobil volunteers lend a hand at Salvation Army locations*

- WHAT:** For 34 years National Volunteer Week has been an annual celebration of volunteering. During the week of April 28<sup>th</sup>, hundreds of ExxonMobil volunteers will converge on five Salvation Army sites to do some major improvement projects.
- WHO:** Over 250 volunteers from ExxonMobil Development, ExxonMobil Exploration and ExxonMobil Production
- WHEN:** Wednesday, April 30 – Friday, May 2 from 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
- WHERE:** **Wednesday, April 30, 2008**

**Sally's House**  
1717 Congress  
Houston, TX 77002

*40 volunteers from ExxonMobil Development Company will be power washing and re-stripping the parking lot, painting, landscaping, planting and steam cleaning all of the carpets in the building.*

**Family Residence**  
1603 McGowen  
Houston, TX 77004

*40 volunteers from ExxonMobil Development Company will be re-landscaping around the building, organizing and sorting storage areas and hosting a fun day of activities for our youngest residents living in the shelter*

### **Thursday, May 1, 2008**

**Northwest Corps  
Community Center and  
Boys & Girls Club**  
12507 Windfern  
Houston, TX 77064

*80 volunteers from ExxonMobil Production Company will be painting inside the Club, refurbishing the baseball field, building dugouts, building benches and tables, building and installing new cubby hole units for the kids and constructing a trophy case to display the Club's collection of awards.*

**Temple Corps  
Community Center and  
Boys & Girls Club**  
4516 Irvington  
Houston, TX 77009

*35 volunteers from ExxonMobil Exploration Company will be building shelving systems for storage, repainting and water sealing benches and tables, power washing the parking lot, repainting parking lot lines and painting local college logos on the walls of the gym.*

### **Friday, May 2, 2008**

**Aldine Westfield Corps  
Community Center and  
Boys & Girls Club**  
2600 Aldine Westfield  
Houston, TX 77093

*130 volunteers from ExxonMobil Development Company will be refurbishing the baseball field, re-mulching the playground, repainting the swimming pool floor with non-slip surfacing, repairing the baseball dugouts and hosting a field day of activities for the youth at the Boys & Girls Club.*

### **About The Salvation Army**

The mission The Salvation Army Greater Houston Area Command is to meet human needs without discrimination. In this community since 1889, The Salvation Army serves Harris, Montgomery and Fort Bend Counties through youth programs, shelter, disaster relief, counseling, senior programs and rehabilitation.