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Tarkett Serves Local Community as Part of Annual Sales Meeting

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Tarkett Employees Give to Three Palm Desert Charities

SOLON, Ohio (February 17, 2017) — <u>Tarkett</u>, a worldwide leader in innovative and sustainable flooring and sports surface solutions, sponsored a volunteer day for employees while visiting the Palm Springs community. As part of Tarkett's annual sales meeting, which was held in Palm Desert, Feb. 14 – 17, Tarkett employees gave back to the community by completing projects at <u>Coachella Valley Horse Rescue</u>, <u>Shelter from the Storm</u>, and two locations of <u>Boys and Girls Clubs of Coachella Valley</u> — the <u>President Gerald R. Ford Clubhouse</u> in La Quinta and <u>Frank Foster Palmer Powell Family Clubhouse</u> in Coachella.

Company volunteers completed a number of needed projects, including:

- Building a porch ramp, porch cover and viewing area and installing two air conditioning units at Coachella Valley Horse Rescue
- Painting a number of surfaces and equipment, including murals, and installing flooring at La Quinta Boys and Girls Club of Coachella Valley
- Repairing and refurbishing landscaping, a playground and office spaces at Shelter from the Storm
- Updating landscaping with native plants, painting fences, the parking lot and basketball court markings, and installing new benches and basketball goals.

Additionally, the team is placing a couple dozen Kimball Office chairs at the Boys and Girls Clubs of Coachella Valley — a donation from the company.

"Corporate social responsibility is at the heart of our Tarkett strategy and values," said Glen Morrison, president and CEO, Tarkett North America. "As employees of Tarkett, we care about the communities in which we live and work, and it's important to us that we are a good corporate sponsor. Giving back through the donation of our time and talents at the Tarkett North America annual sales meeting — a tradition that spans nearly a decade — is just one important way that our employees demonstrate this commitment, and embody our philosophy to give the best of yourself for better living."

"We have been trying to get air conditioning in our building for nine years," said Annette Garcia, volunteer for Coachella Valley Horse Rescue. "We've called local A/C companies hoping for a donation, but it never happened. The work and air conditioning installation Tarkett is doing is opening up our possibilities for offering summertime programs to enhance the horses' gifts to bond with veterans and children. It's truly wonderful to have this corporate volunteer day and donation, and it's helping both our horses and the community."

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About Coachella Valley Horse Rescue

Coachella Valley Horse Rescue is organized to connect people with primarily rescued horses for the purpose of helping the horses recover and find their best purpose. This connection also educates and improves the quality of life of those interacting with the animals. Programs include opportunities for equine-assisted growth and learning for the community, such as Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, and local recreation programs; miniature horses for visitation/therapy; and horse rescue.

About Shelter from the Storm

Shelter from the Storm provides comprehensive services to victims of domestic violence — professionally, ethically, and compassionately. Opened in 1993, Shelter from the Storm is the Coachella Valley's only emergency shelter for victims of domestic violence. Serving more than 2,000 women and children annually, the nonprofit provides individual and group counseling services, medical care, case management, and on-site schooling. They provide the highest quality of service and human warmth to those they serve.

About Boys & Girls Clubs of Coachella Valley

The Indio Boys Club opened its doors to the community in 1966. Today, that one small clubhouse has grown into an organization comprised of a network of five full-service clubhouses, two boxing/athletic centers, and the Smilow Family Teen Center in Indio. Its programs support thousands of members throughout the community as the Boys & Girls Clubs of Coachella Valley. Their mission is to save and enhance the lives of the young people of the community, especially those with economic and/or social needs, by offering a safe haven and meaningful youth development programs provided by a caring and qualified staff.

About Tarkett

With net sales of more than €2.7 billion in 2016, Tarkett is a global leader in innovative solutions for flooring and sports surfaces. Offering a wide range of products including vinyl, linoleum, carpet, rubber, wood & laminate, synthetic turf and athletic tracks, the Group serves customers in more than 100 countries worldwide. With 12,500 employees and 34 industrial sites, Tarkett sells 1.3 million square meters of flooring every day, for hospitals, schools, housing, hotels, offices, stores and sports fields. Committed to sustainable development, the Group has implemented an eco-innovation strategy and promotes circular economy. Tarkett is listed on Euronext Paris (compartment A, ISIN: FR0004188670, ticker TKTT). www.tarkett.com

