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MEDIA ADVISORY: INTERFAITH WORKS OF CNY CELEBRATES ONE YEAR ANNIVERSARY OF RELOCATION TO SYRACUSE

WHAT: InterFaith Works of Central New York will celebrate the one year anniversary of relocating its new

headquarters to 1010 James St., Syracuse, NY. The agency purchased and renovated a 50-year-old building to house its human service programs to support the revitalization efforts of the city and because of its easy accessibility for clients who often rely on public transportation. As part of the celebration, a sign created by Brendan Rose, Salt Quarters and Stone Quarry Hill Art Park art-in-residence (2014/2015 and 2013, respectively), who is well-known for creating public art in Syracuse, will be dedicated.

WHEN: Wednesday, Nov. 18, 2015

9:30 a.m. to 10 a.m.

Light refreshments will be served following the ceremony

WHERE: InterFaith Works of Central New York

1010 James St., Syracuse, NY

WHO: Beth A. Broadway, president/CEO, InterFaith Works

Camille Tisdel, chair, InterFaith Works Board of Directors

Brendan Rose, artist

Invite: Onondaga County and Syracuse elected officials

WHY: InterFaith Works of Central New York is celebrating the one year anniversary of its relocation to 1010

 ${\tt James~St.,~Syracuse.~Prior~to~co-locating~services~within~the~city~of~Syracuse,~the~agency's~programs~were}$

located in a number of different venues that made the provision of services challenging. Its new headquarters provides operational efficiencies, synergy among programs, and room to expand services. The building was designed to serve as a community resource for other not-for-profit agencies and ethnic-

based community organizations.

ABOUT:

InterFaith Works of Central New York, through education, service and dialogue, affirms the dignity of each person and every faith community and works to create relationships and understanding. Founded in 1976, InterFaith Works addresses deeply embedded social divisions leading to community action and policy change. InterFaith Works' social service programs address the needs of and empower people who are vulnerable, low income and targets of oppression, including refugees, the elderly and the institutionalized, through direct service and educational programs. InterFaith Works is committed to the belief that all people are deserving of dignity and respect regardless of ethnicity, faith tradition, social circumstances or age. Key programs include the following: Ahmad and Elizabeth El-Hindi Center for Dialogue, Center for New Americans, Senior Services and Spiritual Care.

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