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**WELLSPRING CALGARY TO OFFICIALLY OPEN COMMUNITY-BASED
CANCER SUPPORT CENTRE, 'CARMA HOUSE'**

(CALGARY AB) - On Thursday, June 11, 2009, the honorable mayor Dave Bronconnier and Carma Developers LP senior vice president, Planning and Marketing, David Harvie will announce the official opening of 'Carma House', a community-based support centre providing emotional, psychological and informational support to anyone affected by cancer. The centre will be dedicated at 11:00 a.m. with a ribbon-cutting ceremony that will include attendance from the honorable Minister of Health, Ron Liepert, MLA Calgary Mountain View, Dr. David Swann, Ward 1 alderman, Dale Hodges and Wellspring founders and board members.

Who: Wellspring Calgary and Carma Developers LP
What: Official Opening and Dedication of Carma House
When: Thursday, June 11, 2009
11:00 a.m. Official dedication & ribbon-cutting
1:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m. General Public Open House
Where: Wellspring Calgary
1404 Home Road NW
T3B 1G7, Calgary, AB

Why: Founded by a dedicated group of local cancer survivors, since 2007, Wellspring Calgary has provided more than 16,000 hours of programs and services free of charge to individuals, families and caregivers who access the centre searching for help in addressing the practical problems that a cancer diagnosis brings to their lives.

Located in the beautiful community of Montgomery, Carma House represents the gift of a 4000 square foot permanent home given to them by Carma Developers LP in celebration of their 50th Anniversary in business and their corporate commitment to the Calgary community. The expanded centre will allow Wellspring Calgary to reach out to more people while continuing to provide much needed support to cancer patients and their families.

The official opening celebration is extended to the general public who are invited to tour the new facility during an afternoon Open House scheduled from 1:30p.m. - 6:30p.m. Volunteers, teachers, facilitators, staff, founders and board members will be on hand to highlight everything the new centre has to offer including peer support, workshops and programming options.

Members of the media are encouraged to attend a press conference scheduled for 10:30 am. Photo opportunities and individual interviews may be conducted at this time.

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