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# Hope for Haiti Welcomes Anne Frazier as Director of Global Strategy & Partnerships

Naples, FL (July 23, 2015) – Hope for Haiti welcomes Anne Frazier as the organization's Director of Global Strategy & Partnerships. Anne has been working in the nonprofit sector since 1999, most recently serving as the President/CEO of Junior Achievement of Southwest Florida. Under her leadership, the organization achieved record goals in both fundraising and attendance and initiated new partnership with local school systems that further impacted the lives of youth in this community. Prior to moving to Naples in 2010, Anne was the Executive Director/Chief Professional Officer of the Boys & Girls Clubs of the Blue Ridge in Martinsville, VA.

As a part of Hope for Haiti's five-year strategic growth plan, Anne's role will be focused exclusively on building and expanding significant donor partnerships. "Anne joins Hope for Haiti at a critical and exciting time in the organization's 26-year history. The goals the board of directors has set forth have inspired and ignited our team to achieve a plan that will continue to reduce the rate of household poverty and provide a model of sustainability for our partner communities in Haiti," says Tiffany Kuehner, Hope for Haiti's President and CEO.

Anne brings a rich history of nonprofit leadership and development to Hope for Haiti. A graduate of the Leadership Collier Foundation's "Best Classes" – the 2011 Class of the Growing Associate's in Naples (GAIN) program and the 2012 Class of Leadership Collier, she currently serves on the board of the Leadership Collier Foundation and chairs the Leadership Collier Alumni Leadership Lunch Speaker Series Advisory Board. Anne also serves on the executive committee for Special Olympics of Collier County, is on the board of the Greater Naples Area Planned Giving Council and serves on the Advisory Board for Gulfshore Business Magazine which also recognized her as a "Rising Star" under the Southwest Florida Power Players in 2014.

"It is a privilege to welcome Anne to our expanding team in this new dynamic role. We are confident that her professional background and enthusiasm for our mission and vision will take us to the next level, says Mark Hindley, Hope for Haiti's Chief Operating Officer.

### **About Hope for Haiti**

Hope for Haiti is a Naples, Florida, based 501(c)(3) charitable organization that has been committed to serving the Haitian people for 26 years with the mission to improve the quality of life for the Haitian people, particularly children, through education, nutrition, and healthcare. By building long-term

partnerships, Hope for Haiti connects, heals, and empowers communities on the path toward sustainability. Hope for Haiti is a 4-star rated charity by <u>Charity Navigator</u> and is a participant at the Gold Level through the <u>GuideStar Exchange</u>, two leading independent evaluators recognizing the organization's transparency and careful stewardship of donor resources.

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