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## HANDWERK SITE CONTRACTORS DONATES SERVICES FOR RONALD MCDONALD HOUSE EXPANSION

On Monday, December 3, 2007, Handwerk Site Contractors (Handwerk) partnered with Gilbane Building Company (Gilbane) to begin the demolition phase of preliminary site development work at the Ronald McDonald House Charities (RMHC) of Central Pennsylvania - Hershey location. Demolition is being performed on an existing residential structure at an adjoining property recently acquired by RMHC, in order to facilitate expansion of their existing facility in Hershey. The proposed expansion will ultimately increase the facility's capacity from 20 to 35 families. In grateful acknowledgement of those H&K Group employee families who have utilized RMHC services or facilities, Handwerk is honored to donate all in-kind services and materials provided during this phase of preliminary site development work,

Handwerk, a Hummelstown, Pennsylvania-based full-service site contracting and demolition company, will perform controlled mechanical demolition of the existing structures on the designated property. Utilizing track-mounted hydraulic excavation and grapple equipment, Handwerk will dismantle all structures on this adjoining property and prepare the site for predevelopment. Handwerk fully anticipates the demolition project to be completed within one week. Gilbane will perform pre-construction oversight and management of the RMHC demolition project. Frescatore Consulting, Inc. will be providing roll-off container service for the demolition debris. Handwerk and Gilbane respectively bring site and general contracting expertise to the RMHC project, and are likewise involved in ongoing development and construction work at the adjacent Penn State Milton S. Hershey Medical Center. The medical center's affiliation with RMHC, Gilbane and Handwerk, makes this pre-development demolition project a natural fit for all parties.

Handwerk is a trusted member of The H&K Group Family of Companies. For more information on this Handwerk community outreach event, please call (610) 222-4039. To further explore Haines & Kibblehouse, Inc. (the parent company), The H&K Group Family of Companies, or the capabilities of Handwerk, please browse <u>www.hkgroup.com</u>, or call (610) 584-8500. For additional information on Gilbane Building Company, or Gilbane, Inc. (the parent company), please point your browser to <u>www.gilbaneco.com</u>.

For further information on RMHC of Central Pennsylvania and this exciting expansion project, please contact either Debra Barry (RMHC Community Relations Coordinator) or Kathy Denton (RMHC Executive Director) at (717) 533-4001, or point your browser to www.ronaldshousehershey.org.



Representatives from Gilbane Building Company, Handwerk Site Contractors, and Frescatore Consulting, Inc., with Kathy Denton of RMHC (front), on the demolition site.



The existing structure (behind The RMHC sign) before the demolition which will allow for expansion of the current RMHC facility.



A Handwerk Trackhoe dismantles existing structure on proposed expansion property.