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The Center for the Prevention of Child Abuse Appoints Michelle Taylor to its Board

Local on-air personality joins other board members in educating the public about child abuse issues

POUGHKEEPSIE, N.Y., January 20, 2009 – The Center for the Prevention of Child Abuse today announced that Ms. Michelle Taylor of Wallkill, N.Y. has joined the organization's Board of Directors. Ms. Taylor is the program director and air personality for WRNQ/92.1 Lite FM and WCTW/98.5 Lite FM in the Hudson Valley.

The Center's Board of Directors is made up of community volunteers who share a passion for protecting children and educating the public about child abuse issues.

"The Center for the Prevention of Child Abuse is proud to welcome the newest member of our Board," said Sue Gould, executive director. "This appointment strengthens our continued strive toward reducing the incidence of child abuse and neglect by providing education, prevention, and intervention services throughout Dutchess County. We are thrilled that Michelle has joined our cause."

Ms. Taylor has been with Clear Channel Communications of the Hudson Valley since 1999. In 2005, she received the Catharine Street Community Center Distinguished Women Award and in 2006, was bestowed the Seat of Honor from the Girl Scouts of Dutchess County.

Michelle and her husband reside in Wallkill, N.Y.

About The Center for the Prevention of Child Abuse

The Center for the Prevention of Child Abuse is a private, non-profit agency dedicated to the prevention of child abuse in Dutchess County, NY. Our mission is to reduce the incidence of child abuse and neglect by providing education, prevention, and intervention services throughout Dutchess County. Last year, our programs served more than 13,000 children and 4,000 adults in our local communities. Our work is made possible by both public and private grants, and the generous support of our community. If you are interested in information about the Center for the Prevention of Child Abuse, or would like to volunteer, please visit www.preventchildabusedutchess.org or call 845.454.0595.

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Headshot attached: Michelle Taylor