



Neighborhood Foundation To Assist VVS With \$500 Grant *Organization Continues to Foster Area Improvements*

COLUMBUS, OH (June 27, 2007) – The Short North Neighborhood Foundation is pleased to announce it has awarded a \$500 grant to the Victorian Village Society to help refurbish the Caretaker’s Residence at Goodale Park.

The Community Festival Grants Committee and The Victorian Village Society also have pledged contributions to help update the historic residence and make it more accommodating as a meeting space. The project, which entails modernizing the kitchen and purchasing new meeting room furniture, is expected to be completed this fall.

“The board is pleased to help play a part in rejuvenating such an integral meeting space for our community organizations,” said Stephen Weed, president of the Short North Neighborhood Foundation.

The Short North Neighborhood Foundation serves to advance the creative spirit, diversity, and vitality of the Short North Neighborhoods and Arts District. Through its partnerships with The Friends of Goodale Park, The Harrison West Society, The Italian Village Commission, The Italian Village Society, The Short North Business Association, The Short North Special Improvement District, The Victorian Village Commission, and The Victorian Village Society, it reflects a collective vision of the entire Short North region. Since its inception in 2000, the SNNF has contributed to projects including the Short North Parking Initiative, the Short North Pocket Parks Campaign, and the Short North District Roundtables.

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