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STEARNS WEAVER MILLER SHAREHOLDER MAKING AN IMPACT ON THE DISABLED COMMUNITY

Fort Lauderdale — January 10, 2012 — <u>Stearns Weaver Miller</u> Shareholder, Jennifer L. Saltz is making an impact on the disabled community through her work with Leadership Broward. Saltz, a member of Leadership Broward Class XXX, is Chair and a founding member of the Traveling Plate, a monthly dinner series designed to support and raise funds for ARC Broward — Achievement and Rehabilitation Centers. The monthly themed dinners will be held at different locations in and around South Florida. Meals are prepared by the ARC Culinary Institute and all proceeds from the dinners will be used to fund scholarships for students with financial barriers so that they may enroll and complete ARC Broward's 16-week culinary arts post secondary certificate program.

The Traveling Plate's <u>inaugural underground dinner</u> will be held on Wednesday, February 8, 2012 at Allied Kitchen & Bath's state-of-the-art Showroom. The inaugural event will feature Guest Chef David DeLeon, Executive Chef from the Signature Grand. Chef DeLeon will create a one of a kind dinner along-side Chef Donarth Neil, Executive Chef/Chef Instructor at the ARC Broward Culinary Institute For more information about the Traveling Plate, please contact <u>travelingplate@arcbroward.com</u> or call 954 746-9400. Online at <u>www.travelingplateftl.com</u>

ARC Broward – Achievement and Rehabilitation Centers – is a nationally accredited, private, not-for-profit organization providing services and employment to children and adults with Autism, Down syndrome, and other developmental disabilities, as well as those with various life challenges. Serving the community for more than 54 years, ARC Broward provides a continuum of supports to more than 1,200 children and adults and employs more than 450 health-care, educational and other professionals. ARC Broward also operates three mission based enterprises including the ARC Broward Learning Institute, ARC Broward Culinary Institute and ARC Broward Electronics Recycling Services. The ARC Broward Culinary Institute was founded in 2006 as a job training and placement program for individuals seeking self-sufficiency and financial stability. Since this time, we have provided opportunities for people to transform their lives, while also serving meals to disadvantaged men, women, and children in settings throughout South Florida.

Jennifer L. Saltz is a Shareholder in the Labor and Employment Department. Ms. Saltz represents state and national employers at the trial and appellate levels in labor and employment litigation, including claims for discrimination, harassment, retaliation, failure to accommodate, family and medical leave, whistleblower, workers compensation retaliation, and wage and hour. Ms. Saltz counsels employers on issues such as internal investigations, discipline, performance evaluations, hiring, termination procedures and is a frequent speaker on a range of Labor and Employment topics

Leadership Broward is a premier leadership development program designed for adults who currently hold leadership positions and are involved in their community. During the program, each participant will be given the opportunity to develop a wealth of knowledge about Broward County, to build a valuable contact network, to learn facilitative leadership skills and to experience the feeling of making a positive difference in our community through a team community project. The program culminates with a graduation where class participants present a report on their community projects and receive the LB achievement pin.

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