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CHSW Named November '09 Charity of the Month

Seattle – Children's Home Society of Washington (CHSW) was recently chosen as the November 2009 Charity of the Month by Bonneville Seattle, the broadcasting company that owns 97.3 KIRO FM, 770 KTHH AM and 710 ESPN Seattle.

"Our parent company, Bonneville International, places a high value on people and communities and we understand that making a positive and lasting contribution to our community can simply be done by utilizing the resources we already possess," states Carl Gardner, VP/Market Manager of Bonneville Seattle.

The Charity of the Month program provides exposure to local Seattle non-profit organizations through a pro-bono media package that consists of public service announcements, a web presence on mynorthwest.com, a radio news feature, as well as a cash donation of \$2,000.

"We are so grateful to Bonneville for being named Charity of the Month. The promotional support we will receive from this partnership will go a long way at helping us spread our mission to the Seattle community. There's so much we have to share — from our life-changing programs, stories on the amazing families we serve, as well as fundraisers and ways for people to get involved to make a difference in children's lives," states Sharon Osborne, CHSW President/CEO.

Previous Charities of the Month include the National Football Foundation (August), the Make-a-Wish Foundation (July), and Special Olympics Washington (June).

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Founded in 1896, Children's Home Society of Washington is the largest statewide children's organization dedicated to providing exceptional and innovative services to children and families. CHSW supports over 39,000 children and families each year through early learning, adoption, out-of-home care, family support, child and family counseling, and advocacy programs. To learn more, visit www.childrenshomesociety.org or call 1-800-456-3339.