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**FIGHT FOR CHILDREN NAMES TWO NEW MEMBERS
TO ITS BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

FORMER DC MAYOR ADRIAN FENTY AND JK MOVING SERVICES PRESIDENT CHUCK KUHN

Washington, DC [February 17, 2011] – [Fight For Children](#), whose mission is to ensure that low-income children in Washington, DC receive a great education, today announced that it has elected two new members to its Board of Directors. Adrian Fenty and Charles “Chuck” Kuhn were elected to two-year terms as Directors at the Board’s February meeting.

“Fight For Children’s Board brings together local leaders in business, education and healthcare to help guide our programs and create new channels for support to achieve our mission.” commented Joseph E. Robert, Chairman of Fight For Children. “Mayor Fenty is a national leader in education reform and Chuck is a highly successful entrepreneur. Both are passionate about improving the lives of local children and we are thrilled to have them join our Board.”

Fenty is a national leader in the area of urban education reform. During his first months in office as Mayor of the District of Columbia, he inserted accountability into the public school system by bringing it under his administration’s control and shocked the city—and the nation— by immediately implementing a wide range of needed reforms. In addition to reforming public education, Fenty is also recognized for overhauling and modernizing other DC government agencies, ensuring more efficient and effective service delivery. Fenty is currently an outside advisor and counsel for Heffler, Radetich & Saitta, a Philadelphia-based accounting and consulting firm; a distinguished visiting professor of politics, a featured lecturer and a career adviser in the Department of African American Studies at Oberlin College; and an outside adviser to Arlington-based foreign language software maker Rosetta Stone Inc.

A successful business owner and civic leader, Kuhn built JK Moving Services into one of the most respected enterprises in the nation’s moving and storage industry. Kuhn obtained his goal

by employing the highest caliber personnel, rewarding them with the most aggressive pension plan in the industry, incorporating leading-edge technology, employing innovative and comprehensive training techniques, and offering a level of customer service unparalleled in the business.

Kuhn and JK Moving Services have earned numerous awards and honors, including the Loudoun County Chamber of Commerce Member of the Year, Loudoun County Chamber of Commerce Blue Diamond Quality First Award, Blue Chip Enterprise Initiative–State Honoree, Better Business Bureau National Torch Award for Marketplace Ethics, Loudoun County Chamber of Commerce Outstanding Performance Award, and the Ernst & Young Greater Washington Entrepreneur of the Year. Kuhn served as the Chairman of Fight For Children’s Fight Night in 2007 and 2008, each year personally raising over \$500,000.

“The support of our Board members is crucial to the success of Fight For Children,” said Michela English, President and CEO of Fight For Children. “Mayor Fenty and Chuck bring unique experience to our very active and energetic Board. We are deeply grateful for the opportunity to tap their expertise to help ensure that Fight For Children continues to thrive.”

Fight For Children, founded in 1990 by business and civic leader Joseph E. Robert, Jr., is a 501(c)(3) organization committed to ensuring that low-income children in the District of Columbia receive a great education and stay healthy so they can learn. Since its founding, Fight For Children has raised or leveraged over \$450 million for education and healthcare programs serving low-income children in Washington, DC. Fight For Children’s fundraising events and other initiatives have directly raised \$100 million. An additional \$350 million in federal funding for DC education programs has resulted from the combined efforts of Fight For Children staff and Joe Robert.

For more information on Fight For Children or any of its programs, visit www.fightforchildren.org.

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