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“Runway for Hope” Fashion Show Raises Over \$30,000 for the Hudson Gateway REALTOR® Foundation

White Plains, NY (May 2019) The Hudson Gateway REALTOR® Foundation, raised a total of \$30,417 at their “Runway for Hope” Fashion Show held on April 4 at Glen Island Harbour Club in New Rochelle. The event featured fashions by Lord & Taylor in Eastchester and were modeled by HGAR Realtors.

Established in 2003 and relaunched in 2013, the Hudson Gateway REALTOR® Foundation has donated thousands of dollars to charities and non-profit organizations serving the housing, hunger, health, happiness, and humane needs of people throughout the Hudson Valley and beyond. Last year, the Foundation donated more than \$81,000 to 26 local charities.

“We are so grateful to all who attended this exciting event and to our many sponsors who helped to make the evening possible,” said Maryann Tercasio, President of the Hudson Gateway REALTOR® Foundation. “This funding will allow us to continue to support so many wonderful charitable organizations that make a real difference in the lives of both individuals and families here in the Hudson Valley,” added Bonnie Koff, Chair of the HG Realtor Foundation Fundraising Committee.

The HG REALTOR® Foundation models include: Ed and Justin Albano of Keller Williams NY Realty in **White Plains**; Carol Aloia of Houlihan Lawrence in **White Plains**; Carmen Bauman of Green Grass Real Estate Corp. in **Bronxville**; Anthony Berardi of BHG Rand Realty in **New Rochelle**; Viktoria Cooper of Coldwell Banker in **Katonah**; Justin Cruz of BHG Rand Realty in the **Bronx**; Virginia Doetsch, Julia B. Fee Sotheby’s Int. Realty in **Bronxville**; Luis Omar Figueroa in the **Bronx**; Rich Herska of BHG Rand in **Nyack**; Ron Garafalo, HGAR President, of John J. Lease Realtors in

Middletown; Ari LaFauve of Compass Greater NY, LLC in **Dobbs Ferry**; Nikki McMann of William Raveis-New York LLC in **Katonah**; Jeliana Melendez of Keller Williams in **White Plains**; Jennifer Moore of Houlihan Lawrence in **White Plains**; Leia Rodman of William Raveis Legends Realty in **Briarcliff Manor**; Evelyn Roman of Compass Greater NY LLC in **Dobbs Ferry**; Tremaine Selby of Weichert Realtors in **Monroe**; Al Smith of Coldwell Banker in **New Rochelle**; Veronica Suarez of Re/Max Distinguished Homes & Properties in **Tuckahoe**; Crystal Hawkins Syska of Keller Williams in **White Plains**; Linda Urban of Houlihan Lawrence in **Briarcliff Manor**; Elaine Voss of Coldwell Banker in **Pound Ridge**; Jill Ramsey Wilkins of BGH Rand in **Goshen**, and Suzan Zeolla of Houlihan Lawrence in **Briarcliff Manor**.

The Hudson Gateway REALTOR® Foundation is part of the Hudson Gateway Association of REALTORS®®, which serves over 13,000 real estate professionals doing business in Westchester, Putnam, Rockland, and Orange counties and Manhattan. It is the second largest REALTOR® Association in New York, and one of the largest in the country. It owns and operates the Hudson Gateway Multiple Listing Service (HGMLS), offering more than 22,000 properties in the Bronx, Westchester, Putnam, Dutchess, Rockland, Orange, Sullivan and Ulster counties. It is among the top 50 largest MLSs in the country. For more information, visit www.HGAR.com. For more information on the Hudson Gateway REALTOR® Foundation, visit www.HGRealtorFoundation.com.