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**ANNOUNCING TASTE OF HUDSON 2006;
16TH ANNUAL BENEFIT FOR THE BABIES OF HUDSON CRADLE INFANT HOME**

**WHEN: Thursday, April 6, 2006
6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.**

**WHERE: Harborside Financial Center Atrium
Exchange Place, Jersey City**

TICKETS: The event is open to the public and tickets are \$100 per person, and are 70% tax deductible. 100% of the evening's profits go directly towards the care of the Hudson Cradle infant residents. Tickets may be purchased at the door or in advance by calling Hudson Cradle at (201) 332-7879.

WHAT: This year marks the 16th annual spring tradition that brings together more than two dozen of the finest restaurants, caterers and beverage suppliers from Hudson County and beyond in support of an amazing cause - Jersey City's own Hudson Cradle. Hudson Cradle is an infant group home providing full nurturing residential care to homeless infants with special needs. Most of the babies are prenatally drug exposed (usually cocaine and heroin), some are HIV exposed, and some have been abused or neglected. All of the infants are under the supervision of the Division of Youth and Family Services. Hudson Cradle also provides family support and community education. **Since opening its doors in 1992, Hudson Cradle has provided a loving home to over 500 infants!**

Live entertainment will be provided courtesy of John Christian Entertainment. Attendees will also have the opportunity to win a number of exceptional prizes, including restaurant gift certificates, NJPAC tickets, and a plethora of autographed memorabilia from Broadway stars, top athletes and high profile individuals including New York Yankees' captain Derek Jeter, New Knicks' great Willis Reed, the cast of *Spamalot* and former President of the United States Jimmy Carter!

This year's event is presented by Paulus, Sokolowski & Sartor / KeySpan Services. Additional sponsors include Fidelity Investments, Goldman Sachs, Harwood Properties, The Provident Bank Foundation, The Silver Family Foundation, Hudson County Community College, Metrovest, The Provident bank Foundation, Verizon and Waters, McPherson, McNeill, P.C. Hudson Cradle is grateful to all of them for their support.

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