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INDUSTRY LEADER JOINS LONG ISLAND CHILDREN'S MUSEUM BOARD

GARDEN CITY, NY – Jason Hirschhorn, founder, president and CEO of the Corinthian Family of Companies has joined the Board of Trustees of Long Island Children's Museum. Hirschhorn, a resident of Massapequa, NY, was elected to a three-year term.

In announcing the new appointment, LICM President Erika Floreska said, "I'm excited to have Jason Hirschhorn join the LICM Board of Trustees at a time of momentum and growth. His energy, ingenuity and collaborative mindset will be valuable assets." Floreska added, "His commitment to service and community, traits he has engendered in his children as well, are in perfect alignment with the Museum's mission."

In discussing his appointment Hirschhorn said, "I'm thrilled to join the board of the Long Island Children's Museum, especially as a parent of three amazing boys. Children's museums hold a special place in my heart as they ignite creativity and foster a love for learning in young minds." Hirschhorn described his success measures for this involvement on the LICM board. "My ultimate goal is to ensure that every child who visits leaves with a sense of wonder and a thirst for knowledge. I am looking forward to being part of an organization that transforms learning into an adventure, where young minds are encouraged to dream big and explore endless possibilities."

As CEO of the Corinthian Family of Companies in Wyandanch, NY, he oversees operations and strategic planning for several organizations, including Corinthian Cast Stone, Inc, Corinthian Building Materials, Corinthian Data Capture and Corinthian Devices. Corinthian Cast Stone (CCS), established in 1998, has emerged as the largest architectural cast stone and natural stone firm in the NY Metro region. The company specializes in a range of projects, from public schools

and luxury residential and commercial developments to government and institutional work. The company is known for its efforts in historic replication.

During its 25-year history, CCS has boasted numerous firsts, including being the first cast stone company in the New York metropolitan area to receive certification from the Cast Stone Institute. They pioneered the use of laser scan metrology in the industry, leading to the establishment of Corinthian Data Capture, enabling precise documentation of iconic structures and architectural artifacts.

Jason Hirschhorn is actively involved in numerous industry associations that promote professional growth and collaboration. He served as a board member and chairman of the Strategic Planning Committee for the Cast Stone Institute. Additionally, he is an active member of the YPO LI Chapter, where he currently serves on the Membership Committee and is the Incoming Forum Officer.

Hirschhorn and his wife Teresa are the parents of three sons, Ryan, Gabe and Cooper. Earlier this year, Ryan Hirschhorn's sculpture, "Hearts for Ukraine" was displayed at the Museum as part of a fundraiser he organized for Project C.U.R.E, which provides humanitarian assistance to Ukraine, including medical equipment and supplies. Through the LICM event and subsequent "Hearts for Ukraine" displays in Washington, DC and Chicago, Ryan has raised more than \$100,000 in support.

About the Long Island Children's Museum (www.licm.org)

The mission of Long Island Children's Museum is to connect all our communities' children, and those who care for them, to a life of wonder, imagination and exploration. At LICM, children discover their passions and their relationship to the world we share. The 40,000-square-foot museum welcomes nearly 275,000 children and adults annually. The private, not-for-profit institution chartered by the New York State Board of Regents, offers museum-based educational programs and cultural experiences, as well as an extensive community outreach program offered in schools, libraries and youth centers across Long Island. Additionally, the Children's Museum operates the historic Nunley's Carousel in association with Nassau County, one of three intact Stein & Goldstein carousels still in existence.

LICM is accredited by the American Alliance of Museums (AAM), recognized as the field's gold standard for museum excellence and signifies a museum's quality, credibility and deep commitment to mission and community. Less than 3% of the nation's more than 30,000 museums have earned this recognition. LICM is

currently the only children's museum in NY State, and just one of 16 nationwide, to achieve accreditation. The Museum is the recipient of the 2012 National Medal for Museum & Library Service, the highest honor conferred on museums for extraordinary civic, educational, economic, environmental, and social contributions.