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Valerie McGhee Elected to the House of Delegates of the American Association of Homes and Services for the Aging

WICHITA, Kan., Nov. 24, 2009 . . . Valerie McGhee, president and CEO of Larksfeld Place, has been elected to serve as a member of the American Association of Homes and Services for the Aging (AAHSA) House of Delegates.

The 200-member House of Delegates is AAHSA's governing body and is made up of leaders in the long-term care and aging services field. Delegates elect the members of the AAHSA board of directors and its officers, and also assist the AAHSA board of directors in clarifying association policy, long-range planning and governance of the association. Valerie McGhee will serve a three-year term.

“Valerie is a valuable addition to our organization’s House of Delegates,” said Dr. William L. Minnix, AAHSA’s president and CEO, “McGhee’s hard work and expertise will help ensure that America’s older adults receive the services they need, when they need them, in the place they call home.” McGhee holds a Master’s degree from the University of Missouri. She is a resident of Wichita.

About Larksfeld Place – Wichita’s Premier Not-for-Profit, Full-Service Community

Built on 60-acres, Larksfeld Place offers a variety of living accommodations from Apartments to Villas. The Larksfeld Place campus provides privacy, personal services of all kinds, including a variety of social, recreational and cultural activities. Should the need arise, its members also have access to the community’s Health Care Center. For more information, log onto www.larksfeldplace.org.

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