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Hudson Gateway REALTOR® Foundation Presents “Runway for Hope” Fashion Show on April 4

*Show to Feature HGAR REALTOR® Models in Fashions Provided
By Lord & Taylor at Glen Island Harbour Club, New Rochelle*

White Plains, NY (March 2019) The Hudson Gateway REALTOR® Foundation, the charitable arm of the Hudson Gateway Association of REALTORS®, will present its “Runway for Hope” Fashion Show on **Tuesday, April 4, from 6 to 10 pm** at Glen Island Harbour Club in New Rochelle. The event, featuring fashions courtesy of Lord & Taylor in Eastchester and modeled by HGAR REALTORS®, will benefit the Hudson Gateway REALTOR® Foundation.

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.

“This is going to be such an exciting event, and we’re confident that this fashion show will be a huge success, as it has in the past,” said Bonnie Koff, Chair of the HG REALTOR® Foundation’s Fundraising Committee. “What makes this unique and so popular is the fact that members of our own Hudson Gateway REALTOR® family will be walking the runway!”

The emcees for the evening will be Donald Arace and Beth Hargraves, HG REALTOR® Foundation Fundraising Committee members.

The HG REALTOR® Foundation models include: Ari Afshar of Compass Greater NY LLC in **Dobbs Ferry**; 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**; Vikkoria Cooper of Coldwell Banker in **Katonah**; Justin Cruz of BHG Rand Realty in the **Bronx**; Luis Omar Figueroa in the **Bronx**; Rich Herska of BHG Rand in **Nyack**; Ron Garafalo, HGAR President, of John J. Lease Realtors in **Middletown**; 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**; Jessica Murphy of Sotheby's International Realty in **Irvington**; Leia Rodman of William Raveis Legends Realty in **Briarcliff Manor**; Evelyn Roman of Compass Greater NY LLC in **Dobbs Ferry**; Termaine Shelby 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 Wilkens in **Orange County**; and Susan Zeolla of Houlihan Lawrence in **Briarcliff Manor**.

Tickets are \$165 and include an open bar, passed hors d' oeuvres, a sumptuous dinner, dessert and show. Tables of 10 can be reserved for \$1,650 or tables of 12 for \$1,980. Raffle baskets will also be available. "We know it's going to be sellout so anyone who wants to attend should make their reservations ASAP," added Koff. To purchase tickets or sponsorships, please visit www.HGAR.com.

The Hudson Gateway Association of REALTORS® is a not-for-profit trade association representing over 12,000 real estate professionals doing business in Westchester, Putnam, Rockland, and Orange counties, as well as the Bronx 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 20,000 properties in the Bronx, Westchester, Putnam, Dutchess, Rockland, Orange, Sullivan and Ulster counties. It is among the top 50 largest MLSs in the country.