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### **HomeAid 7th Annual Trap Shoot Raises \$100,000**

**San Ramon** - HomeAid Northern California raised more than \$100,000 at its seventh annual Trap Shoot recently. Money raised from this event at the Livermore-Pleasanton Rod and Gun Club pushed the organization's seven-year total to more than \$1 million.

A crowd of over 500, most from the regions home building industry, attended in support of HomeAid's mission to provide shelter for those less fortunate in the Bay Area, and help them become more productive members of the community.

Julie O'Connor, executive director of HomeAid Northern California, expressed her gratitude.

"We are grateful to the Livermore-Pleasanton Rod and Gun Club, our sponsors, the home builders and all of the volunteers and participants. It is really because of them that this event has been so successful year after year. Our trap shoot event literally raised the roof on homeless shelters and in the process, we have generated hundreds of thousands of dollars."

Participating home builders included Pulte Homes, Brookfield Homes, DeNova Homes, Shea Homes, Standard Pacific Homes, Ponderosa Homes, William Lyon Homes and Shapell Homes.

2008 HomeAid Chairman Steve Kalmbach, extended appreciation to the home building companies that continually give generously to HomeAid through the Trap Shoot.

"These are many of the same people who also work year round providing ongoing support, materials and labor for HomeAid's shelter projects."

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De Nova Homes won High Score tem trophy this year. In addition, HomeAid presented the Spirit of Hope Award to Dave and Lori Sanson of DeNova Homes. This special award goes to the person(s) who best represents HomeAid's mission in advancing the organization's goals.

The Dogs of War team from Joseph J. Albanese Concrete in Santa Clara, led by Matt Maes, participated for the first time. On behalf of HomeAid, Albanese donated nearly \$15,000 in concrete construction, services and materials to the Livermore-Pleasanton Rod and Gun Club.

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