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Host Hotels & Resorts Sponsors A Wider Circle's Home Reimagined Initiative to Transform Homes Across the Washington, D.C. Region

50 homes will be fully furnished and designed in a single day for families in need

SILVER SPRING, Md. May 5, 2026 – A Wider Circle, a leading nonprofit dedicated to providing furniture and essential resources to individuals and families across the Washington, D.C. region, is proud to announce that Host Hotels & Resorts will sponsor its Home Reimagined Initiative, taking place on May 7, 2026.

The Home Reimagined Initiative is a one-day, large-scale service event that transforms empty apartments and houses into fully furnished, professionally designed, and functional homes. On this day, volunteers, designers, and partners will come together to complete 50 home transformations – all at no cost to the individuals and families served.

“Home Reimagined brings our community together to support neighbors in a powerful, tangible way,” said Lara Gagrca, Director of Home Reimagined. “In just one day, we transform empty spaces into fully furnished homes – creating comfort, style, and a fresh start for the families we serve. We are especially grateful to Host Hotels & Resorts for their sponsorship, which helps make this work possible and allows us to deliver life-changing transformations across the region.”

Through this sponsorship, Host Hotels & Resorts will play a key role in supporting the transformation of homes and lives – helping ensure that families transitioning out of housing instability have not just a place to live, but a place that feels like home.

“It’s important to us to partner with organizations like A Wider Circle that deliver tangible results for families in our communities. We’re proud of the impact our FF&E donations and ongoing support of A Wider Circle have had in providing safe, functional homes for those transitioning out of housing instability. We truly value the measurable impact this collaboration creates,” said Mike Lentz, Executive Vice President of Development, Design & Construction.

For 25 years, A Wider Circle has served more than 300,000 individuals and families, providing essential items and support that empower neighbors to build stability and thrive. The Home Reimagined Initiative is a powerful extension of that mission, combining community engagement, design, and direct service to meet urgent needs.

About A Wider Circle

The mission of A Wider Circle is to advance equity in the greater Washington, DC region by fostering the exchange of goods, skills and connections from neighbor to neighbor, and by engaging in advocacy to address the root causes of poverty. Our holistic approach paves the way to financial self-sufficiency, walking alongside each individual and family we serve to work toward a common goal – ending poverty. Learn more at awidercircle.org.