

PARC

For Immediate Release

Date Issued: **April 7, 2008**

Re: **Pi Kappa Phi Accessibility Project for PARC**

Where: **PARC's Baskin Ridge Home, Peoria, IL**

When: **Saturday, April 12, 2008 – 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.**

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The men of Bradley University's Pi Kappa Phi Fraternity will show their continued support of PARC (Peoria Association for Retarded Citizens, Inc.) and individuals with developmental disabilities by constructing a handicap accessible deck and wheelchair ramp at PARC's Baskin Ridge Group Home in Peoria on Saturday, April 12, 2008.

The men of the Bradley Chapter of Pi Kappa Phi will provide the manpower and materials needed to complete the project and enhance the quality of life for the residents of PARC's Baskin Ridge Group Home.

Members of Pi Kappa Phi work year round, providing funds and manpower, to help create a barrier-free society for people with disabilities. Along with fundraising for Push America, chapters of Pi Kappa Phi are encouraged to volunteer and raise awareness for people with disabilities. PARC is grateful to the members of Bradley's Pi Kappa Phi for their continued support of our mission.

Please contact Sibylle LaHood or Eric Sutter if you would like to send a camera crew/photographer and/or reporter to the facility the day of the event. Due to HIPPA regulations, we cannot publicly publish the address of our Community-Based Group Home Facilities. WE DO WELCOME any press we can get for this event and will be happy to release the address to any press who would like to report on the event.

PARC has been providing services to individuals with developmental disabilities and their families for more than 55 years. PARC is dedicated to providing enhanced quality of life experiences through Early Intervention programs, community activities, rehabilitation services, transitional services, respite care, clinical and family support services, vocational training, employment opportunities, and community-based residential settings. **PARC provides choices for a quality life to individuals with developmental disabilities. Together, we make a positive difference in our community.**