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**COMMUNITY ACTION PARTNERSHIP OF ORANGE COUNTY
AWARDED \$13,200 LET'S PLAY GRANT FOR IMAGINATION
PLAYGROUND IN A CART™ PLAY SYSTEM
FROM DR PEPPER SNAPPLE GROUP
AND NATIONAL NON-PROFIT KaBOOM!**

GARDEN GROVE, CA, JULY, 13, 2016 – Dr Pepper Snapple Group (DPS) and national non-profit KaBOOM! awarded Community Action Partnership of Orange County (CAPOC) a \$13,200 Let's Play Improvement Grant to use toward the purchase of an Imagination Playground in a Cart™, an innovative playground equipment system.

The grant, which will allow Community Action Partnership of Orange County to install the system at El Modena Family Resource Center in Orange, is part of Let's Play, an initiative by DPS to provide kids and families with the tools, places and inspiration to make active play a daily priority.

Imagination Playground in a Cart™ is an innovative design in play equipment that encourages creativity, communication, and collaboration in play. With a collection of custom-designed, oversized blue foam parts, Imagination Playground™ provides a changing array of elements that allow children to turn their playground into a space constantly built and re-built by their imagination.

"Thanks to KaBOOM! and Dr Pepper Snapple Group's donation of the Imagination Playground, neighborhood children and families will have exercise and activity opportunities at CAPOC's El Modena Family Resource Center," said Clarence Ray, Executive Director of Community Action Partnership of Orange County. "This provides a fun way to enhance and support the Center's



healthy living programs that encourage kids to move more and eat healthy. Thanks again KaBOOM! and DPS.”

CAPOC's Family Resource Centers, located in Orange and Anaheim, are focal points for their communities as they work to support families, children, and seniors by providing resources to help low-income residents. The El Modena Family Resource Center in Orange strengthens the surrounding community and engages local residents to transform and revitalize their neighborhood. At the El Modena Center children have a safe space to play, interact socially, and work on their homework and studying skills through after-school and summer activities. Due to the generous support of KaBOOM! and the Dr Pepper Snapple Group the Center will be able to offer new ways to play and continue to encourage children to keep dreaming and imagining.

Unstructured, child-directed play has proven to help kids develop physically, emotionally, socially and intellectually, yet today's kids have less time and fewer opportunities to play than any previous generation. As a result of expanded Let's Play grants and projects, more than 1 million kids will benefit from new or improved playgrounds around the nation between 2014 and 2016.

DPS launched Let's Play in 2011 with a \$15 million commitment to KaBOOM! to build or improve 2,000 playgrounds. In 2014, Dr Pepper Snapple and KaBOOM! extended their partnership through 2016 with an additional \$10 million commitment from DPS to continue providing kids with the active play they need.

Visit Let's Play at www.LetsPlay.com to join the conversation and learn how to apply for the various available grants to make communities more active and playful.

About Community Action Partnership of Orange County

With leadership and results dating back to 1965, Community Action Partnership of Orange County has evolved into Orange County's most comprehensive anti-hunger and poverty relief organization. CAPOC's aim is to make a positive impact in people's lives by helping them meet basic needs and strengthen their support system. Our position within Orange County allows us to identify neighborhood concerns and find unique solutions. We have a stake in the health of our community and have the ability to create real change in the lives of low-income children, families, seniors, and veterans. By acting as a resource for ending hunger and poverty, our organization improves the health of our community. We mobilize and direct resources to programs that assist, educate, and promote self-sufficiency.

About Let's Play

Let's Play is an initiative launched in 2011 by Dr Pepper Snapple Group to provide the tools, places and inspiration to make play a daily priority. By 2017, DPS will provide nearly 10 million children across North America with new opportunities to play and be active through Let's Play. In partnership with the nonprofit organizations KaBOOM! and Good Sports, Let's Play is working to eliminate the 'play deficit' by building and improving play spaces and providing grants for athletic equipment and gear. For more information, please visit LetsPlay.com or Facebook.com/LetsPlay.

About Dr Pepper Snapple Group

Dr Pepper Snapple Group (NYSE: DPS) is a leading producer of flavored beverages in North America and the Caribbean. Our success is fueled by more than 50 brands that are synonymous with refreshment, fun



and flavor. We have 6 of the top 10 non-cola soft drinks, and 13 of our 14 leading brands are No. 1 or No. 2 in their flavor categories. In addition to our flagship Dr Pepper and Snapple brands, our portfolio includes 7UP, A&W, Canada Dry, Clamato, Crush, Hawaiian Punch, Mott's, Mr & Mrs T mixers, Peñafiel, Rose's, Schweppes, Squirt and Sunkist soda. To learn more about our iconic brands and Plano, Texas-based company, please visit www.DrPepperSnapple.com. For our latest news and updates, follow us at www.Facebook.com/DrPepperSnapple or www.Twitter.com/DrPepperSnapple.

About KaBOOM!

KaBOOM! is the national non-profit dedicated to bringing balanced and active play into the daily lives of all kids, particularly those growing up in poverty in America. Since 1996, KaBOOM! has collaborated with partners to build, open or improve nearly 16,000 playgrounds, engaged more than one million volunteers and served 7.4 million children. KaBOOM! creates great places to play, inspires communities to promote and support play, and works to drive the national discussion about the importance of play in fostering healthy lives and communities. To learn why #playmatters: visit kaboom.org or join the conversation at twitter.com/kaboom or facebook.com/kaboom.

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