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ICCF Hires Vice President of Finance

GRAND RAPIDS, MI, July 6, 2017 – Inner City Christian Federation (ICCF) has hired Derrick Smith as its Vice President of Finance. Smith will direct accounting systems and activities within the organization.

“I’m excited to become a part of and support the ICCF team in their work to provide high quality, affordable housing and services to those in the greater Grand Rapids area,” noted Smith. “I look forward to seeing the transformation of both individuals and communities as they are touched by this organization’s work.”

“We are thrilled to have Derrick join the ICCF team,” shared Ryan VerWys, CEO of ICCF. “He brings significant leadership and management experience, along with a real commitment to the cause of housing justice and equitable opportunity.”

Prior to joining ICCF, Smith worked in finance at the City of Muskegon for nearly 20 years. Most recently he was the Director of Finance and Administration and was responsible for overseeing the planning, directing, and coordinating of financial and administrative operations for the city. Before that he was the City Treasurer for more than 16 years.

Questions regarding ICCF or this new hire may be directed to Gwen Vryhof Bultema at gwen@bultemagroup.com.

ICCF is the oldest non-profit affordable housing provider in the state of Michigan. Active in the Grand Rapids area since 1974, ICCF serves more than 2,200 households a year through its programs and services. Program offerings include Family Haven emergency shelter, 168 units of affordable rental housing, newly constructed homes for purchase, homeownership education and financial counseling. Visit www.iccf.org for more information.

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