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Pender Newkirk & Company Hosts Firm Community Involvement Event
Firm Celebrates 3rd Annual Day of Sharing

TAMPA, Fla. (December 17, 2009) – The public accounting firm of Pender Newkirk & Company, LLP recently held its **3rd Annual Day of Sharing** firm wide volunteer day on Thursday, December 10, 2009. Sixty staff members of Pender Newkirk & Company, in coordination with the United Way of Tampa Bay, donated one day of community service to a variety of Tampa-area not-for-profit community organizations. The firm divided into 8 teams, volunteering at 5 different sites including:

- Metropolitan Ministries
- America's Second Harvest
- Boy's & Girl's Clubs of Tampa Bay
- Child Abuse Council
- The Children's Home

Pender Newkirk & Company volunteers provided a broad range of services including the organization of supplies, household items, canned goods and holiday toy donations. "Pender Newkirk & Company is committed to demonstrating leadership in the Tampa Bay community. Through our **Day of Sharing** event, the United Way of Tampa Bay provides coordination assistance and helps our firm spend one full day supporting a variety of organizations while also creating an opportunity to strengthen the camaraderie, generosity and leadership skills among our staff," said Ralph Garcia, Managing Partner.

About Pender Newkirk & Company

Founded in 1976, Pender Newkirk & Company is a full service accounting and business consulting firm based in Tampa, Florida. With eleven partners and more than 60 employees, the firm provides an array of services including audit and assurance, tax planning and preparation, Sarbanes-Oxley compliance, estate & trust, valuation, small business advisory and other consulting services to clients across a broad range of industries. For additional information about the firm and the services we offer, please visit www.pnccpa.com

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