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*We are proud to feature these local women who are making significant contributions to the business community in Sarasota-Manatee.*

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## Marla Doss, Surry McFaul, Phyllis Siskel

Community Haven for Adults and Children with Disabilities, Inc.

**At Community Haven,** three remarkable women represent the pillars of strength that buttress and stabilize a 59-year-old organization with a mission to empower the lives of individuals with disabilities through its leadership, donors and business partnerships.

For the last 28 years, Marla Doss, president and CEO, has tirelessly served Community Haven. Her blue eyes sparkle as she recalls the names of each client while remembering milestones in the lives of those who grew up on its serene 32-acre campus.

Phyllis Siskel was bestowed the “Angel of the Agency Award” for her generous financial support and time

commitment, from rocking infants to selling tickets and attending numerous fund-raising events. She began her relationship with Community Haven in 1999 by participating in the organization’s second annual “Jingle and Jog” 5K run.

Surry McFaul, board advisor for Community Haven and lead engineer at Sun Hydraulics Corporation, has been instrumental in developing and sustaining Haven Industries, a highly

successful, revenue-generating collaboration between local industries providing meaningful employment to adults with disabilities through Community Haven’s Adult Day Training Program.

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