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HMHB Names Pat Hugley Green of Columbus, GA '2017 Inspiring Mother of Georgia'

Atlanta, Georgia - April 26, 2017 - On Sunday, Healthy Mothers, Healthy Babies Coalition of Georgia ("HMHB") will award six Inspiring Mothers of Georgia including Pat Hugley Green of Columbus, GA.

"We are so privileged to honor Ms. Hugley Green for her incredible contributions to the Columbus community, as well as to her family," says Elise Blasingame, executive director. "We received nominations from all over the State, and the women we read about blew us away. After a thorough blind-review of all nominees, the stories shared about Ms. Hugley Green and her work to support children and families through the School Board really stood out to the selections committee."

"I'm honored to share this opportunity with other mothers balancing the responsibility of family and community," shares Green. "We are fortunate to have the Healthy Mothers, Healthy Babies Coalition to advocate local and state government for over 34,000 Georgians each year to improve health outcomes for women and children."

Ms. Hugley Green will be honored with five other 'Inspiring Mothers of Georgia' at the HMHB Inaugural Mother's Day Luncheon on Sunday, April 30, 2017 at the Emory Conference Center Hotel from 1PM-3PM. They will be honored alongside six First Ladies of Georgia, including Mrs. Sandra Deal, Mrs. Mary Perdue, Mrs. Shirley Miller, Mrs. Marie Barnes, Mrs. Rosalynn Carter and Mrs. Mary Beth Busbee (in memoriam) for their work to improve maternal and infant health in Georgia during their respective careers.

"We are excited to have three of the First Ladies of Georgia in attendance at this important event to honor their work and also celebrate the amazing role that mothers play across our great state!" shares Blasingame.

Tickets are available at: https://hmhbmothersday2017.eventbrite.com/

About Healthy Mothers, Healthy Babies Coalition of Georgia

Since 1973, Healthy Mothers, Healthy Babies Coalition of Georgia has served as the statewide voice for improved maternal and infant health outcomes and access to healthcare. Learn more by visiting us online at www.hmhbga.org.

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