



MEDIA ADVISORY

Columbia Housing Authority
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Rosewood Hills Grand Opening Will Highlight Energy Efficient Homes

- WHO:** To be on hand:
- Jack Suber, Energy Coordinator, U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, Columbia office
 - Anne Sinclair, Columbia City Council
 - Claude St. Hilaire, President, Home Energy Group
 - Rhonda Williams, New Homeowner, Rosewood Hills
 - Bobby Gist, Chairman, CHA Board of Commissioners
 - Gilbert Walker, CHA executive director
- WHAT:** Columbia Housing Authority will hold a press conference to announce the grand opening of Rosewood Hills, the first residential development in the Midlands with a strict focus on energy efficiency. The homes will be open to the public, and lenders will offer home buying information under a tent on site.
- WHERE:** 433 S. Gregg Street - Turn right on S. Gregg Street off Rosewood Drive
- WHEN:** **Wednesday, April 23, 2008 – 10 a.m.**
- WHY:** “With the high demand for affordable housing in Columbia, our primary focus when designing Rosewood Hills was to build a community where people could afford to live,” said Gilbert Walker, CHA executive director. “Incorporating cost-effective, energy efficient features in our design has guaranteed that residents will continue to see the benefits of this affordable, green community for years to come.”
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