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**RACE FOR FETAL HOPE ATLANTIC BEACH TO PARTNER WITH LOCAL CELEBRITIES AND BUSINESSES IN
SPREADING AWARENESS OF FETAL SYNDROMES**

Atlantic Beach, FL, October 19, 2009 – In efforts to combine the synergy of a 5k and Family Festival, the Race for Fetal Hope will host one of the largest area post-race expos, including being led by Grand Marshall, Mayor-elect Mike Borno. The Atlantic Beach event is planned to begin at 8 a.m. on Saturday, October 24th at Atlantic Theatres in Atlantic Beach, FL.

Much like the other events within the National Race Series throughout 4 host cities, the event will feature a 5k run/walk with a unique stroller division for parents pushing little ones. The Family Festival will feature games, refreshments and a bounce house, and other activities will be provided by Mad Science, the Gator Clowns of Jacksonville, and the Roar of the Jacksonville Jaguars. There will also be a kids' stretching exercise hosted in conjunction with Jacksonville Jaguar's mascot Jaxson de Ville.

The Atlantic Beach event will conclude with a fetal reunion for families once treated by local, renowned fetal surgeon, Dr. Ruben Quintero and his staff members in Florida. All proceeds from the day will benefit the Fetal Hope Foundation, a non-profit organization focused on providing support, providing information, funding research, increasing awareness and serving as an outlet for leading medical information pertaining to fetal syndromes.

For more information on the Atlantic Beach Race for Fetal Hope, please contact Talitha McGuinness at 980-721-5799, talitha@fetalhope.org, or visit www.raceforfetalhope.org.

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