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Mi Casa Resource Center Celebrates Grand Opening of New Headquarters Location in Westwood

DENVER – On Thursday, August 3rd, more than 700 people came out to celebrate the grand opening of Mi Casa Resource Center’s new headquarters location in Westwood. The 20,000 square foot space (housed on the 1st floor of a new building located at 345 S. Grove Street) accommodates Mi Casa’s offices as well as training space for programs, which include workforce development, entrepreneurial training, and youth development services.

The event kicked off with a ribbon-cutting ceremony with remarks from: Monique Lovato, CEO/Executive Director of Mi Casa Resource Center; Paul Lopez, Denver City Council, District 3; and Lola Salazar, Salazar Family Foundation. Denver Mayor Michael Hancock also made an appearance later in the evening.

The new headquarters location is named “Salazar Center for Family Prosperity” in recognition of a \$1.5 million gift from the Salazar Family Foundation. Lola Salazar grew up in Southwest Denver and stated: “This is my old neighborhood. This is where I first aspired to achieve my goals and dreams. I am excited to see the redevelopment of Westwood and the impact it will have on families so they can aspire to achieve their goals as well.”

The grand opening celebration also featured food from businesses who graduated from Mi Casa’s business development programs; community resources; a performance by the Mexican Consulate’s Ballet Folklórico; tours of the new building; and, a visit from several Broncos cheerleaders.

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Mi Casa Resource Center (Mi Casa) is a nonprofit organization that has served the Denver community for over 40 years, working to advance the economic success of families with limited opportunities.

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