

## Reliance First Capital donates chairs to the YMCA

April, 2009......Melville, NY-based *Reliance First Capital*, through its Charlotte, NC branch office, donated school chairs with reading tablets to the YMCA of Greater Charlotte to aid their literacy and child development program.

"I am so glad that we had the opportunity to help a local organization, like the YMCA of Greater Charlotte, achieve its goal of bettering the lives of children," explained Hugh Miller, President and CEO of Reliance First Capital. "In total, we were able to donate 85 chairs which I hope will make the learning process at the center easier for the kids."

According to Chuck Crawford, Director of Purchasing for the YMCA in Charlotte, the school chairs donated by Reliance First Capital will provide for a variety of needs. "These chairs will help provide a comfortable and appropriate learning environment for children in YMCA *Starfish* Academy, a program that improves the reading proficiency of elementary school children who are performing below reading level. The chairs donated by Reliance First Capital will also help with other educational programs taking place in the classrooms."

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About *YMCA of Greater Charlotte*: The YMCA of Greater Charlotte was founded in November of 1874 to help young men grow in spirit, mind and body. Today, it offers thousands of programs that build healthy spirit, mind and body of young boys and girls in the greater Charlotte area. Among the programs provided are Aquatics, Arts & Performing Arts, Child Care & Camp, Fitness & Wellness, Sports and Special Programs & Events. For more information contact Molly Thompson, Senior Director of Public Relations at (704) 716-6238 or by email at molly.thompson@ymcacharlotte.org



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