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### **ON JANUARY 15<sup>th</sup> CROSSOVER MINISTRY EXPERIENCES AN EXTREME ORGANIZING MAKEOVER THANKS TO RICHMOND AREA PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZERS**

RICHMOND, VA, January 10, 2007 - The newly formed Richmond Chapter of the National Association of Professional Organizers (NAPO Richmond) announces Cross Over Ministry as this year's winner of Project Get Organized (Project GO). Project GO was developed last year to help a deserving nonprofit organization get organized. For one week in January the members of NAPO Richmond will donate their time, energies and organizing skills to help Cross Over Ministry, a local nonprofit agency that provides a full range of healthcare services to the uninsured working poor.

Beginning January 15<sup>th</sup> a team of over 15 experienced and eager local Professional Organizers will work side-by-side with the members of the Administrative staff to transform their spaces and processes so that they can be more productive in their mission to provide services to the community. "We are just thrilled that NAPO Richmond has chosen Cross Over Ministry as its 2007 project! Thank you so much!!" says Mary Moore, Director, Development and Administration, Cross Over Ministry.

The National Association of Professional Organizers (NAPO) is sponsoring its third annual *Get Organized Month*<sup>SM</sup> this January. Get Organized Month<sup>SM</sup> is a national industry-wide event dedicated to raising awareness of the benefits of getting organized and of hiring a professional organizer. "January is the perfect month to get organized and start your new year off right," says NAPO President Barry Izsak. "Getting organized is one of the top 5 New Year's resolutions people make and with almost 4,000 NAPO members ready and available to assist, it is easier than most people think." NAPO is gearing up for our largest Get Organized Month<sup>SM</sup> ever with 11 industry partners and a nationwide radio campaign. NAPO members will help over 10,000 people get organized during this month-long event.

Cross Over Ministry celebrated twenty years of service to the community in 2003 and continues its commitment to bridging the health care gap for the uninsured working poor, the working homeless, and the unemployed homeless through the following services and programs: Cross Over Health Center, Medical Outreach Satellite Clinics, Lay Health Promoter Program, Community Health Referral Network, and Charity Inpatient Hospital Care. For more information, visit [www.crossoverministry.org](http://www.crossoverministry.org).

NAPO Richmond is an organization dedicated to bringing Professional Organizers together through networking, education, professional growth, industry updates, support, and public awareness. To learn more about this local organization, visit [www.naporichmond.com](http://www.naporichmond.com).