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The Life Properties Appoints Jamin Harkness as President

Atlanta, G.A. – September 14, 2022 – [The Life Properties](#), the property and construction management affiliate of [Olive Tree Holdings](#), a mission driven private investment company, announced today that Jamin Harkness has joined the firm as President. Harkness will primarily focus on overseeing the day-to-day operations across the entirety of the property and construction management firm’s portfolio of work, which since inception has consisted of 16,000 workforce and affordable housing units.

“With a deep bench of knowledge and experience across all facets of the multifamily real estate landscape, Jamin is a nationally recognized leader and innovator within the industry,” said Ian Bel, Managing Principal and Chief Executive Officer of Olive Tree Holdings. “With a leadership approach that parallels Olive Tree’s commitment to being a people and community first organization, we’re confident that Jamin’s addition to The Life Properties will only deepen the firm’s already significant impact on the people and communities it serves.”

Ahead of joining The Life Properties, Harkness served as Executive Vice President and Partner at The Management Group, LLC (TMG) where he managed and oversaw the day-to-day operations across TMG’s wide ranging property portfolio. Prior to his time at TMG, Harkness was Vice President at Wesley Apartment Homes.

“I am excited to work with a team that embraces a People First Culture. I am informed by my past experience in the multifamily industry, present opportunities and future goals when making decisions and this organization directly aligns with my core values of integrity in all interactions, while simultaneously supporting my passion for social impact causes. I couldn’t be more thrilled to join The Life Properties and look forward to working alongside the talented team in place,” said Harkness.

Deeply committed to philanthropy and civic responsibility, Harkness currently serves as the President of Duluth Cluster School Foundation, sits on the School Council of Coleman Middle School and serves as Vice President of Professional Adoption and Family Services. Additionally, Harkness is a member of Kaiser Permanente’s Executive Employer Advisory Council, a member

of the Atlanta Apartment Association's Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Committee and a volunteer at the Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation.

He currently serves in Duluth, Georgia as an elected City Council Member.

Harkness holds a B.S. in Organizational Communications and an M.B.A in Management from Kennesaw State University in Kennesaw, Georgia.

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About Olive Tree Holdings

Formed in 2017, Olive Tree Holdings LLC ("Olive Tree") is a mission driven private investment company headquartered in New York City, Atlanta and Houston specializing in the acquisition, management and transformation of multifamily communities across dynamically growing markets within the U.S. With vertically integrated asset management, property management, construction, technology, and marketing services, the Olive Tree Holdings team devises 360-degree business plans to dramatically increase the value of its invested assets while creating a higher standard of living for its residents. To date, the firm has a lifetime portfolio value of \$2 billion, has acquired and transformed 16,000 units of workforce and affordable housing, secured over \$425 million in equity funding and built a base of 300 active investors in the firm's portfolio.

For more information, please visit olivetreeholdings.com.

About The Life Properties

Formed in 2017, The Life Properties is the property management and construction management affiliate of Olive Tree Holdings, a mission driven private investment company with a focus on real estate. Dedicated to providing elevated living experiences for residents through heightened levels of customer service, the firm conducts extensive research to assess the current state of each property within the portfolio and map out tailored capital improvement programs to bringing rehabilitation efforts to fruition in a timely manner for residents while simultaneously bolstering operational efficiencies within each multifamily community. Since its inception, The Life Properties has managed Olive Tree Holding's portfolio of 16,000 units of workforce and affordable housing, managed 4,000 units of affordable housing across 17 properties and managed the allocation of over \$250 million in capital expenditure funds throughout the lifecycle of 47 properties.

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