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Talbert House Opens LEED Certified Parkway Apartments

CINCINNATI— On March 11, 2016, community partners, government supporters, and prospective tenants celebrated the ribbon cutting and grand opening of Parkway Apartments – a 34 unit, LEED certified multi-family housing prioritized for U.S. Military veterans. Talbert House coordinates services to residents that include life skills, employment training, financial counseling, and medical care.

Parkway Apartments, located in the CUF neighborhood, achieved LEED Silver Certification, ensuring lower utility costs and a cleaner air quality for residents. LEED components include: 89.5% of construction waste was recycled, low flow plumbing fixtures, high efficient heating and cooling equipment, LED light bulbs and Energy Star appliances, and low VOC paints and adhesives.

The ceremony welcomed speakers Mayor John Cranley, City of Cincinnati; Greg Carmichael, Fifth Third Bancorp; Hal Keller, Ohio Capital Corporation for Housing; Doug Garver, Ohio Housing Finance Agency; Andy Howell, Federal Home Loan Bank of Cincinnati; Bobby Maly, Model Group; and U.S. Congressman Brad Wenstrup.

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Talbert House is a community-wide nonprofit that operates within five service lines: Adult Behavioral Health, Community Care, Court and Corrections, Housing, and Youth Behavioral Health. Children, adults and families benefit from these proven services. Each year, Talbert House serves over 37,500 clients face to face and an additional 28,000 are reached through prevention services throughout Greater Cincinnati. Talbert House's mission has two basic purposes: to improve social behavior and enhance personal recovery and growth.