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ART VAN FURNITURE EXTENDS EMPLOYEE PRICING TO CHICAGOLAND RESIDENTS HIT HARD BY THIS WEEK'S RECORD FLOODING

Retailer's emergency flood relief program to help families replace furniture, mattresses and flooring

WARREN, Mich. (July 14, 2017) – As record flooding following this week's torrential rains continues to wreak havoc across Chicagoland, Art Van Furniture is stepping up to help area residents who have been impacted by devastating water damage. Starting Friday, July 15, 2017, Art Van Furniture will extend its best pricing, the company's employee family purchase pricing, to flood victims through the Art Van Furniture Mattress and Flooring Emergency Flood Relief Program.

Guests at Chicagoland's 12 Art Van Furniture and five Art Van *PureSleep* mattress stores are asked to bring in photos of their damaged furniture, mattresses or flooring -- or an insurance claim -- to receive the special discount on furniture, mattresses and flooring. The one-time purchase offer requires store or sales manager approval and expires in six months.

"We want to do all we can to assist Chicagoland families whose homes and furnishings have been damaged by the record-breaking flooding," said Kim Yost, president and CEO of Art Van Furniture. "Art Van is committed to helping our neighbors pick up the pieces as they begin the painstaking process of repairing and refurnishing their homes."

Art Van Furniture's 12 Chicagoland stores are in Algonquin, Batavia, Bedford Park, Chicago (Elston Avenue), Downers Grove, Glendale Heights, Naperville, Orland Park, Schaumburg, Woodridge, Portage, Ind., and Merrillville, Ind. The five area Art Van *PureSleep* mattress stores are in Chicago (Ashland Avenue), Burbank, Willowbrook, Bloomingdale and Plainfield.

About Art Van Furniture

*Art Van Furniture is the Midwest's largest furniture retailer and America's largest independent furniture retailer. The company operates more than 120 stores throughout Michigan, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and Iowa, including freestanding Art Van *PureSleep* mattress stores, Art Van Flooring stores, and Art Van Furniture franchise locations, as well as a full-service e-commerce website. Founded in 1959, the company is headquartered in Warren, Mich. Visit artvan.com for more information.*

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