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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

### **Junior Service League of Beaufort Hosts 2<sup>ND</sup> Annual Touch A Truck Fundraiser— *A Unique and Interactive Experience for Children of All Ages!***

**Beaufort, South Carolina** – The [Junior Service League of Beaufort](#) (JSLB) is excited to host our 2nd annual Touch A Truck fundraiser on **THIS SATURDAY, November 18th, 2017 in Downtown Port Royal from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Paris Avenue.** Cost of admission is \$5 per person.

**What is Touch A Truck?** Touch A Truck is a family event that offers a unique and interactive experience for children of all ages. Children will have the opportunity to see, touch, and safely explore their favorite vehicles that serve our community.

Our event will feature **more than a dozen** different types of equipment to explore, including a fire truck, ambulance, **police cars, and construction vehicles!** The entertainment area will include a variety of activities including face painting, bounce-houses, TCL welding simulator for kids and much more. And, to round out the experience, enjoy music and fabulous food, drinks, and libations available for purchase. Tons of fun for the whole family!

"We are very proud to bring our 2nd Annual Touch a Truck fundraiser to Port Royal this year. Supporting and enriching the lives of women, children, and families is our focus in all endeavors at JSLB, and this fundraiser perfectly matches that mission—fun for all ages in a family-friendly environment. We are bringing out new trucks, fun vendors, and exciting entertainment. Last year's event was spectacular and this year is set to be even better!" said JSLB Touch A Truck Chairwoman Mikie Bertholf.

#### **Important Notes About the Event:**

- In the case of rain, the event will be postponed to December 2nd, 2017.
- Pets will not be allowed at the event.

"Our inaugural Touch a Truck offered families a fantastic experience and we are excited to make it an annual fundraiser for the league. This year we are shooting for bigger and better! We are currently seeking both "trucks" and sponsors. Please help us spread the word throughout our community and help us give back. Not only will the event be fun and educational, but proceeds from our event funnel right back into our beloved community. Mark your calendar for a great event!" said JSLB President Lindsay Gifford.

#### **Thank you to our generous sponsors for helping to support this event:**

**Big Rig Presenting Sponsor:** The Town of Port Royal

**Excavator Sponsors:** Eat Sleep Play Beaufort, Hiers Construction, & Adams Outdoor Advertising

**Bulldozer Sponsors:** Technical College of the Lowcountry & Anchor Concrete Foundations LLC

**Tractor Sponsors:** SCE&G, Harbour Health Solutions, Southern Tree Services, Oliver's Bushogging, Veteran's Pride Entertainment Services, Coastal Real Estate Solutions, eviCore, Signs Now, Pepsi, & Piggly Wiggly

For information about participating, please contact Mikie Bertholf at 843-263-9870 or log onto [www.touchatruckbeaufort.com](http://www.touchatruckbeaufort.com) for more information.

**About Junior Service League of Beaufort**

JSLB is a nonprofit organization founded in 2005 dedicated to supporting and enriching the lives of women, children and families in the Beaufort County community. Since its founding, the league has donated more than \$125,000 and provides regular volunteers to organizations such as the Child Abuse Prevention Association and Citizens Opposed to Domestic Abuse. JSLB also hosts an annual blood drive in the winter, a free prom dress boutique in the spring along with a spring and fall annual fundraising event. For more information, please visit [www.jslbeaufort.com](http://www.jslbeaufort.com).

For additional information about Touch A Truck or Junior Service League of Beaufort please contact Communications Director, Kristen O'Neal, at [communication.jslb@gmail.com](mailto:communication.jslb@gmail.com), or visit [jslbeaufort.com](http://jslbeaufort.com).

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