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Alliance Grants \$48,000 to Golf Programs for People with Disabilities

Alexandria, VA – July 27, 2010 - The National Alliance for Accessible Golf (Alliance) announced today that it has granted more than \$48,000 to inclusive golf programs for people with disabilities. Through a grant from the United States Golf Association, the Alliance has expanded its efforts to provide financial assistance and resources to help make the game of golf more accessible to people with disabilities. These grants defray core program costs and support programs to help golfers with disabilities both learn and transition into playing the game.

Recipients of the funding include the following organizations:

- BREC Foundation and The First Tee of East Baton Rouge Parish, Baton Rouge, LA
- The Children’s Course, Home of The First Tee, Gladstone, OR
- Great Lakes Adaptive Sports Association, Lake Forest, IL
- Massachusetts Golf Association and The First Tee of Massachusetts, Norton, MA
- RevelationGolf, Elk Grove, IL
- ViaQuest, Dublin, OH

“The Alliance is pleased to enable funding for inclusive golf programs that will touch hundreds of individuals with disabilities,” said Alliance President, Dr. Betsy Clark.

The Alliance will continue to accept grant applications on a rolling basis in 2010 until funding is exhausted. There are no specific deadlines for grant submission. However, the Alliance Grants Committee will review applications on a rolling basis every 30 or 60 days. Eligibility guidelines and application materials are available at www.accessgolf.org in the Grants section.

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The National Alliance for Accessible Golf is a charitable organization working to ensure the opportunity for all individuals to play the game of golf. The Alliance is represented by major golf organizations in the United States, organizations that provide services for people with disabilities and other advocates. Through GAIN™ (Golf: Accessible and Inclusive Networks) and other programs, the Alliance promotes inclusion and awareness to the golf industry, golf instructors, and the public. For more information about Alliance programs, please visit www.accessgolf.org.

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