



KIDS HOPE USA

Annual Renewal of Affiliation 2010-2011

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BETWEEN _____ (*church*) and KIDS HOPE USA

The KIDS HOPE USA (KHUSA) national office pledges to support _____ (*church*) KHUSA program with quality resources, timely assistance, and ongoing encouragement.



September 15, 2010

KIDS HOPE USA President, David Staal

Date

_____ (*church*) in _____, _____ (*city, state*)
pledges to uphold and implement the affiliate church commitments included in the current KHUSA Affiliation Agreement:

- a. **Separation of church and state.** Our church and its volunteers shall strictly adhere to the separation of church and state in all aspects of our KIDS HOPE USA program.
- b. **Director leadership.** The KIDS HOPE USA program at our church is led by a trained director. This director has access to a computer with internet and e-mail capability.
- c. **Training.** Our director and all our volunteers are trained according to the KIDS HOPE USA national office training program.
- d. **Screening.** All our KIDS HOPE USA church volunteers who have direct one-to-one contact with children are screened according to KHUSA national policies and those of our local school district, a process that includes, but is not limited to, volunteer interviews and a criminal history check. This screening is documented, on file at the church.
- e. **Matching.** We recruit mentors exclusively from our own church. We carefully match one trained mentor with only one child whose parent(s) or guardian(s) has approved participation in our KIDS HOPE USA program at our partner school. We identify a behind-the-scenes prayer partner for every mentor-child relationship.

Supervising Pastor

Date

KIDS HOPE USA Director(s)

Date