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**MFL commits \$1 million donation for Hurricane Harvey support**

WASHINGTON, D.C.- September 8, 2017- The Minor Football League (MFL), America's premiere professional sports developmental league announced today that CEO/Chairman/Founder Richard Myles, Sr. has pledged to offer assistance to Houston residents. In a press conference earlier today, Myles announced the league will donate \$1 million worth of water to the residents of Houston and surrounding areas impacted by Hurricane Harvey. This news was announced in partnership with the Water Transit Solutions, Inc. (WTS). The MFL and WTS have pledged to ship the water to Houston with immediate speed this month.

The MFL and WTS began a partnership to form a strategic alliance a year ago when former NBA/NCAA champion Bobby Wilkerson partnered with the MFL to form a coalition to further help the community and provide economic development. Wilkerson has provided water for WTS for several years.

The MFL as an American sports league does not want to be alone in this venture of helping the residents of Houston get back on their feet. Though the MFL is the first professional sports league to commit to helping Houston after the severe flooding, it is an effort the league hopes other American sports leagues will join in. Myles, emphasized Houston needs everyone's help.

Myles said, "The community aspect component has always been important to me and has been an inaugural component of the league for the 24 years it has been in existence. We are a community and we must all remember to help one another. The MFL will forever be a league that is committed to giving back to the community."

In addition to his pledged commitment to ensuring the people of Texas get clean water, Myles has issued a call for all sports leagues to match this commitment by purchasing bottled water and bulk water from (WTS) to donate to those residents most impacted by the storm to help them have one less worry as they begin to rebuild their lives.

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**About WTS**

Water Transit Solutions ([www.watertransitsolutions.com](http://www.watertransitsolutions.com)) is an Atlanta-based company that has developed a method of providing clean, fresh water to homes and businesses utilizing bulk delivery. WTS is only African-American own company with the capacity and capability to provide both bottle and bulk water supplies.

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The Minor Football League (MFL)<sup>™</sup> is a professional developmental football league that has 32 franchises across the United States. The league is divided into six divisions. [www.mflishere.com](http://www.mflishere.com). Interview requests contact, Kelsey Nelson at [Kelseynelson@foxsports1340am.com](mailto:Kelseynelson@foxsports1340am.com)

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