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## **RE/MAX Cityview Announces Charitable Partnership with The Danny Did Foundation**

RE/MAX Cityview today announced a new charitable partnership with the Danny Did Foundation in which the firm will make a donation to Danny Did for each property sold over the next 12 months. The Danny Did Foundation is a Chicago-based nonprofit that supports families who face epilepsy.

RE/MAX Cityview managing broker and owner Robert Padron said, "This year we chose Danny Did because of the amazing local work they are doing, and the fact they are helping families all over the world. We feel with the large amount of homes sold by our agents each year, we can make a real difference for this great cause."

"This partnership from Robert and his team makes a significant difference towards our ability to support people and families who struggle with seizures," said Tom Stanton, Danny Did Foundation executive director. "A staggering 1 in 26 Americans will develop epilepsy, and more people die as a result of seizures than from fires and sudden infant death syndrome (SIDS) combined. Generosity from business partners like RE/MAX Cityview allows us to take on the massive challenge of protecting people with epilepsy."

### **About Danny Did Foundation**

Founded by Chicago parents Mike and Mariann Stanton in 2010 after the sudden death of their four-year-old son Danny, the Danny Did Foundation's primary mission is to prevent deaths caused by seizures. The Foundation advances awareness of epilepsy and Sudden Unexpected Death in Epilepsy (SUDEP), strengthens SUDEP communication between medical providers and families, and advocates for the mainstream acceptance and use of seizure detection and prediction devices that may assist in preventing seizure-related deaths.

Epilepsy affects 3.4 million people in the United States and 65 million people worldwide. A staggering 1 in 26 Americans will develop epilepsy during their lifetime. But what few people understand, including many people with the disorder, is that seizures can be fatal. More people die as a result of seizures than from fires and sudden infant death syndrome (SIDS) combined. The causes of death can vary and include drowning, other accidents and status epilepticus (prolonged seizures). In addition, thousands of deaths occur annually from SUDEP, a fact that is little known and too rarely addressed in public and in medical circles. The name of the Danny Did Foundation originates from the last line of Danny Stanton's obituary, written by his dad: "Please go and enjoy your life. Danny did."