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### **Presents of Mind in Flanders to Host Christmas Gathering and Santa Visit for All**

PRINCETON, NJ (December 3, 2015) – The holiday season is upon us and Community Options wants to help you get in the spirit. On Saturday, December 12th from 10am to 12pm, Community Options' boutique gift shop, Presents of Mind, will hold a Christmas get together for all families and their children.

There will be Arts and Crafts for the kids to do, including ceramic train painting. The notable Christmas movie, *Polar Express*, will be playing in addition to many themed props from the film, in addition to decorations and goody bags to get you cozy for "The Most Wonderful Time of the Year".

Last but certainly not least, Santa Claus will make an appearance and spend time with the families and take pictures as well.

Presents of Mind opened its doors in the Summer of 2008. The shop is located at the Mall at 206 in Flanders, NJ. Former New Jersey Governor Tom Kean visited Presents of Mind in March 2014.

Community Options develops and operates entrepreneurial businesses, like Presents of Mind, that successfully integrate people with disabilities into the workforce. By operating businesses such as a flower shop, copy centers, and shared office facilities, Community Options confronts the barriers to working in community based settings instead of sheltered training centers or workshops. These businesses are enhance job training and employment opportunities for people with disabilities. For more information on Community Options' entrepreneurial businesses, please visit [www.comop.org/services/enterprises](http://www.comop.org/services/enterprises).

#### About Community Options

For over 25 years, Community Options has developed housing and employment programs for people with disabilities. Community Options operates with a budget over \$107 million and serves thousands of people with disabilities through 38 offices across 10 states. Providing advocacy assistance to empower people with disabilities, Community Options believes that all people –regardless of disability level – should live and work in the community with dignity, choice, and self-determination. A registered PVO with USAID, Community Options is also the pioneer of innovative programs for people with disabilities in the Middle East, Russia, and South America. Please visit our website at [www.comop.org](http://www.comop.org).