

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

February 25, 2011

Contact: Barrett Walker
Executive Director
(910) 693-1600
barrett@sandhillscoalition.org

Sandhills/Moore Coalition Appoints Barrett Walker Executive Director

The Board of Directors of Sandhills/Moore Coalition for Human Care announced today that it has appointed Barrett Walker Executive Director. Ms. Walker served as the Coalition's Director of Development from December, 2009 until January, 2011 and as Interim Executive Director since Caroline Eddy's resignation earlier this year.

"The Board of Directors is confident Barrett will do an excellent job as Executive Director." said Steve Moore, Board President. "We were fortunate to have several outstanding applicants, but felt Barrett had the leadership qualities, organizational skills and enthusiasm for our mission to ensure we continue to provide critical assistance to Moore County residents in need."

Ms. Walker has been a resident of Moore County for 17 years. She has a psychology degree from the College of Charleston as well as extensive management experience with Pine Needles Lodge and Golf Club, Bank of America and Tanglewood Apartments.

Sandhills/Moore Coalition for Human Care was established in 1986 by twelve area churches to better serve the emergency needs of Moore County residents in crisis. Today, over seventy churches as well as businesses, individuals, and civic groups throughout the community support the Coalition's mission "to provide emergency food, clothing, and financial assistance and to coordinate with appropriate agencies for clients with ongoing needs."