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NATIONAL GALLERIES COORDINATE TO FIGHT BLINDNESS

"Art for VisionNation" –A national show attracts the support of female founders of Milavechakimi gallery to raise awareness of blindness.

New York, NY – October 13, 2011 – GALLERY M (gallerym.com) of Denver's Cherry Creek North announced today the support for the national efforts for Foundation Fighting Blindness VisionWalk fundraising.

To assist with the national foundations VisionWalk chapter goals, participating galleries will make a generous donation from any acquisition made during the evening event where regional chapters participate.

The New York City region invites FFB members, supporters and the general public to it's next pre-walk event on **Saturday, October 22, 2011** from **7PM to 9PM** at the **Milavechakimi Gallery**. The gallery is located at 41 Cooper Union, New York, NY 10003.

The exposure of "**Art for VisionNation**" provides a chance for seasoned as well as first-time collectors to add important works to a collection while contributing to a socially significant cause. These are works that can be seen, felt or experienced only when blindness has been beaten.

Gallery founder and managing director, Myrna Hayutin, vied for other galleries to participate. "The **Milavechakimi** team was a wonderful connection because here is a gallery that is new, fresh and led by two 29 year women (Nikki and Karen) eager to make a difference in their local community." Opening a gallery is no easy task – as Myrna knows. Her gallery will turn 16 on November 1, 2011. Of course Myrna's efforts were achieved while being legally blind.

Visit each gallery's website and create a conversation socially about seeing and collecting great fine art. Gallery consultants are available to answer questions in person or online. Simply visit:

gallerym.com or milavechakimiart.com

GALLERY M's fall show is for the online fine art community. For 10 days online only, an exhibition by international painter and recognized art prodigy **Alexandra Nechita** is curated. The October event continues thru **Sunday, October 30, 2011 at 8PM**. This is a unique opportunity to acquire from the national authority of her paintings and prints directly online.

MILAVECHAKIMI has linked the final day of it's "**Hello World**" exhibition to the "**Art for VisionNation**" efforts.

The gallery has selected Wall Flower #4 by **Norman Mooney** as the focal work of art that symbolizes Retinitis Pigmentosa (RP).

Proceeds from sales will enable a generous donation to the Foundation Fighting Blindness for every work sold during these time specific events. **Foundation Fighting Blindness is the major source for providing research funds to cure vision loss and retinal disease.**

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GALLERY M's experience with diseases causing blindness is direct – as the gallery founder and visionary, Ms. Myrna Hayutin has lived with RP (Retinitis Pigmentosa) since age 15. Her life achievements and contributions to Denver's fine art community are well documented.

She is now available for candid discussion about how she has incorporated the finest in art with other collectors and philanthropists while managing the disease.

Today's online world cannot be experienced without vision and clear eyesight.

Vision loss affects over 10 million Americans - infants at birth as well as numerous from parents, siblings, grandparents and neighbors throughout their years. Retinal diseases, most notably Macular Degeneration and Retinitis Pigmentosa (RP), cause eyesight to become impaired or lost completely. Imagine a world where you cannot read, view text messages from a loved one or friend or even complete a basic task like walking unassisted.

GALLERY M's 10 day painting exhibition online and by appointment features the painter most compared to Picasso since she was 8 years old. The Nechita movement is credited for cultural awareness in the finest in the arts, specifically for her ability to express the feelings of so many visually and abstractly. Alexandra has appeared on the Oprah Winfrey Show, has been involved in the arts as a United Nations Ambassador of Peace and funded others to achieve their best in the arts. In just 26 years she has become a world renown painter sharing the recognition of museums, foundations, fellow artists and private collectors.

Hayutin states: "Nechita was never afraid to "let her age, feminism or naysayers" discourage her routine. She has inspired so many to reach new highs of the human condition through a different point of view – one that is truly visionary."

Wide selection of original canvas paintings, etchings, recent releases of hand pulled lithographs and glass sculpture will be available.

To collect during this rare opportunity, visit GALLERY M's website and choose "COLLECT NOW" on any Alexandra Nechita work. A consultant will promptly work with you to finalize your selection (s) and process your payment. You may also contact a consultant at 1.877.331.8401.

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Additional Details about Alexandra Nechita or GALLERY M visit:
<http://www.gallerym.com/artist.cfm?ID=20>

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