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## MISS ILLINOIS 2006 SPEAKS TO SENIORS

Aurora, Ill. (July 2, 2007) – Miss Illinois 2006 Heidi Ekstrom signs a photograph for Marie Bucholz, 85, during an appearance at Alden Gardens of Waterford Assisted Living Community on Wednesday, June 21. Ekstrom talked to more than 20 residents and



employees about her experience as Ms. Illinois as well as the Right Decisions Right Now program, which focuses on dealing with peer pressure, Character Counts Coalition and Enriching the Lives of Children with Disabilities, an issue close to her heart because she has two younger sisters with disabilities. Heidi passed on the crown to Ms. Illinois 2007 Ashley Hatfield on June 30.

Alden Gardens of Waterford Assisted Living Community is located at 1995 Randi Dr. in Aurora.

*Alden Gardens of Waterford Assisted Living Community offers seniors personalized service and world-class amenities in a luxurious setting.*

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