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To: AV Employees

From: Roger Cregg

## Subject line: Talent Assessment Update and Upcoming Division Town Halls

Team,

Thank you for your feedback on the video message shared last week. Sheryl Palmer and I were pleased to hear it accomplished what it was designed to do, helping you get to know more about the people and culture of Taylor Morrison.

A critical part of any acquisition is assessing talent, and Taylor Morrison is moving as quickly as they can through this process. They started with the field roles and next week we expect to begin communicating with all AV sales associates and front-line construction employees to confirm their roles going forward. That means that, within the next 10 days, we anticipate that more than half of our organization will receive confirmation of a continued roll with the combined company upon closing of the acquisition.

They have also completed interviewing nearly 70 employees on our operating team (VPs and above) and in the corporate office, bringing the total number of talent-assessment interviews conducted to more than 300 in the last two weeks. We expect that leadership selections will be announced starting the week of July 9. Taylor Morrison is committed to assessing the balance of our workforce with the goal of having every AV employee through the process before the end of July.

During the **week of July 16**, myself, Sheryl and members of the Taylor Morrison leadership team will host a town hall meeting in every AV division and continue the momentum already created in familiarizing you with Taylor Morrison. During the town hall you will receive a brief introduction to Taylor Morrison s history, culture and leaders, along with an update on where we are in the process of becoming part of Taylor Morrison.

Most importantly of all, however, the Taylor Morrison leadership team wants to use this time to hear from you and learn what is on your mind. They would like to solicit any questions you have in advance of the town halls, so they can shape the content of their presentation and be sure they answer your questions in-person. Please click here to submit your anonymous feedback on what you would like to learn more about during the meetings by **Wednesday**, **July 11**. Through Taylor Morrison s survey platform Waggl you can also vote on the responses others list, indicating that response is equally important to you.

I will close by relaying that the Taylor Morrison leadership team wants you to know the time they will spend at our divisions is all about you. They place an unmatched focus on people and know how important it is to get this right.

Sincerely,

Roger A. Cregg

President and Chief Executive Officer

## Additional Information about the Merger and Where to Find It:

This communication is not intended to and does not constitute an offer to sell or the solicitation of an offer to subscribe for or buy or an invitation to purchase or subscribe for any securities or the solicitation of any vote or approval in any jurisdiction, nor shall there be any sale, issuance or transfer of securities in any jurisdiction in contravention of applicable law. In connection with the proposed transaction between Taylor Morrison and AV Homes, Taylor Morrison will file with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (the SEC) a registration statement on Form S-4 that will include a Proxy Statement of AV Homes that also constitutes a Prospectus of Taylor Morrison (the Proxy Statement/Prospectus ). AV Homes plans to mail to its shareholders the definitive Proxy Statement/Prospectus in connection with the transaction. INVESTORS AND SECURITY HOLDERS OF AV HOMES ARE URGED TO READ THE PROXY STATEMENT/PROSPECTUS AND OTHER RELEVANT DOCUMENTS FILED OR TO BE FILED WITH THE SEC CAREFULLY WHEN IT BECOMES AVAILABLE BECAUSE IT WILL CONTAIN IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT TAYLOR MORRISON, AV HOMES, THE TRANSACTION AND RELATED MATTERS. Investors and security holders will be able to obtain free copies of the Proxy Statement/Prospectus (when available) and other documents filed with the SEC by Taylor Morrison and AV Homes through the website maintained by the SEC at www.sec.gov. In addition, investors and security holders will be able to obtain free copies of the documents filed with the SEC by Taylor Morrison in the Investor Relations section of Taylor Morrison s website at http://investors.taylormorrison.com or by contacting Taylor Morrison s Investor Relations at investor@taylormorrison.com or by calling (480) 734-2060, and will be able to obtain free copies of the documents filed with the SEC by AV Homes in the Investor Relations section of AV Homes website at http://investors.avhomesinc.com or by contacting AV Homes Investor Relations at m.burnett@avhomesinc.com or by calling (480) 214-7408.

## **Forward Looking Statements:**

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in their entirety by the cautionary statements set forth in this paragraph. Undue reliance should not be placed on such statements. In addition, material risks that could cause actual results to differ from forward-looking statements include: the inherent uncertainty associated with financial or other projections; the integration of Taylor Morrison and AV Homes and the ability to recognize the anticipated benefits from the combination of Taylor Morrison and AV Homes; the risk associated with AV Homes ability to obtain the shareholder approval required to consummate the merger and the timing of the closing of the merger, including the risk that the conditions to the transaction are not satisfied on a timely basis or at all and the failure of the transaction to close for any other reason; the outcome of any legal proceedings that may be instituted against the parties and others related to the merger agreement; unanticipated difficulties or expenditures relating to the transaction, the response of business partners and retention as a result of the announcement and pendency of the transaction; risks relating to the value of the Taylor Morrison common stock to be issued in connection with the transaction; the anticipated size of the markets and continued demand for Taylor Morrison s and AV Homes homes and the impact of competitive responses to the announcement of the transaction; access to available financing on a timely basis and on reasonable terms, including the refinancing of Taylor Morrison and AV Homes debt to fund the cash portion of the consideration in connection with the transaction. Additional risks are described under the heading Risk Factors in Taylor Morrison s Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2017, filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (the SEC ) on February 21, 2018 and in AV Homes Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2017 filed with the SEC on February 23, 2018. Forward-looking statements speak only as of the date they are made. Except as required by law, neither Taylor Morrison nor AV Homes has any intention or obligation to update or to publicly announce the results of any revisions to any of the forward-looking statements to reflect actual results, future events or developments, changes in assumptions or changes in other factors affecting the forward-looking statements.

## Participants in the Merger Solicitation

Taylor Morrison, AV Homes and certain of their respective directors, executive officers and employees may be considered participants in the solicitation of proxies in connection with the proposed transaction. Information regarding the persons who may, under the rules of the SEC, be deemed participants in the solicitation of the shareholders of AV Homes in connection with the transaction, including a description of their respective direct or indirect interests, by security holdings or otherwise, will be included in the Proxy Statement/Prospectus described above when it is filed with the SEC. Additional information regarding Taylor Morrison s directors and executive officers is also included in Taylor Morrison s proxy statement for its 2018 Annual Meeting of Shareholders, which was filed with the SEC on February 21, 2018, and information regarding AV Homes directors and executive officers is also included in AV Homes proxy statement for its 2018 Annual Meeting of Stockholders, which was filed with the SEC on April 18, 2018, or its Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2017, which was filed with the SEC on February 21, 2018, and information regarding AV Homes directors and executive officers is also included in AV Homes proxy statement for its 2018 Annual Meeting of Stockholders, which was filed with the SEC on April 18, 2018, or its Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2017, which was filed with the SEC on April 18, 2018, or its Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2017, which was filed with the SEC on April 18, 2018, or its Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2017, which was filed with the SEC on February 23, 2018. These documents are available free of charge as described above.