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RAYMOND VINEYARDS' LIVE LOT AT 2014 AUCTION NAPA VALLEY RAISES \$840,000 FOR THE NAPA VALLEY COMMUNITY, THE HIGHEST LIVE AUCTION LOT IN A RECORD YEAR

St. Helena, CA (June 12, 2014) – Raymond Vineyards' 2014 Auction Napa Valley Live Lot, created in unison with the Weinstein Company, earned \$840,000 for Napa Valley charities when two bidders each offered a winning bid of \$420,000, and Raymond Proprietor Jean-Charles Boisset agreed to double the lot, making it the highest-earning lot among the fifty offered at the Live Auction on Saturday, June 7th, 2014. The record-setting auction brought in a total of \$18.7 million for healthcare and children's education nonprofits.

“Auction Napa Valley 2014 was a remarkable moment for Napa – again exceeding all records and expectations and we are thrilled that we were able to contribute to the Napa community and the charities that have come to rely on the generous funding of the donors at the Napa wine auction,” said Jean-Charles Boisset, proprietor of Raymond Vineyards and the Boisset Collection. “It's thanks to the incredible stewardship of the Duncan and Gargiulo families, and the remarkable leadership of the Napa Valley Vintners. The NVV has done so much to promote the Napa Valley while ensuring that the vibrancy of Napa wine provides strong and meaningful support to all members of the Napa community. Among the many organizations and regions that we support through our wineries in France and California, the commitment of vintners in the Napa Valley is an example to us all.”

The Raymond Vineyards-Weinstein Company lot offered a year of Hollywood Glamour, including a private, VIP table at the Weinstein Company's Oscars weekend parties, private jet transportation, a red carpet premiere of new Weinstein Company film, evening gown and tuxedo appropriate for the festivities, and a collection of rare Raymond wines, including a 9L bottle of Raymond Generations signed by the cast of a Weinstein Company film.

Since joining the Boisset Collection in 2009, Raymond has consistently been among the top fundraisers at the annual auction, with its live lots earning more than \$1.6 million for the Napa Valley. Raymond also hosted last year's record-breaking Barrel Auction, and has been a consistent presence supporting charities in the Napa Valley, hosting fundraisers, events and contributing to auctions for organizations including the Land Trust of Napa Valley, Festival del Solé, the Napa Film Festival, and the Napa Valley Hospices and Adult Day Services, among many others.

Raymond's contributions to the Napa community mirror the Boisset family's global commitment to philanthropic efforts in the regions where its wineries are present. Boisset's Sonoma wineries, DeLoach Vineyards and Buena Vista Winery, have actively supported the Sonoma community; at the annual Sonoma Wine Country Weekend and Sonoma Harvest Wine Auction, Boisset's live

auction lot was the highest earning lot in 2013. In Sonoma, Boisset has supported the Redwood Empire Food Bank, the Sonoma Community Center, the Sonoma Historic Preservation Foundation, the Sonoma Greenbelt Alliance, the Sonoma Sister City Committee, and others. In addition, Buena Vista Winery donates a portion of the proceeds of its wine – the Sheriff of Buena Vista – to the National Sheriff's Association. Other Boisset charitable contributions include more than 1,200,000 meals through its Fight Against Hunger, more than \$50,000 donated to support community gardens across the country, charities that prevent cruelty to animals, a campaign to Save the Shrike in Canada, Surfrider in France, the annual Hospices de Beaune, the College of Creative Studies in Detroit, the St. Petersburg Museum of Fine Arts, and many others.

About Raymond Vineyards

Raymond Vineyards, founded in 1970, comprises 300 acres in Rutherford, St. Helena and Jameson Canyon. Five generations of the Raymond family created a Napa icon, with an enduring reputation for elegant wines with a beautiful balance of finesse, power and complexity. Today, guided by the vision of Proprietor Jean-Charles Boisset, Winemaker Stephanie Putnam, and Winegrower Eric Pooler, Raymond Vineyards is one of the wine world's most dynamic winery destinations. Blending phenomenal wines with guest experiences that unite education, passion and entertainment, the winery offers diverse opportunities to explore wine, leading it to be named Sunset's "Best Tasting Room – Experience Beyond Tasting" - in 2011, 2012 American Winery of the Year by Wine Enthusiast, and one of Wine Spectator's Top 100 Wines of 2013 for the 95-point rated 2010 Generations Cabernet Sauvignon. Raymond's estate vineyards are certified organic and Biodynamic, and the winery generates 100% of its energy needs from on-site solar panels. To learn more, please visit: www.raymondvineyards.com.

About Boisset Collection

Boisset Collection is a family-owned producer and importer of fine wines founded in Burgundy, France in 1961. The Boisset Collection of more than twenty historical and unique wineries boast leading positions in the world's pre-eminent *terroirs*, including Burgundy, Beaujolais, the Rhône Valley, the South of France, Canada, and California's Russian River Valley and Napa Valley. One of the world's foremost producers of Pinot Noir and principal proponents of organic and Biodynamic® viticulture, Boisset crafts fine wines with a strict *terroir* approach: each house in its family of wineries has a unique history, identity, and style, yet all are united in the pursuit of superior quality. To learn more about the Boisset Collection, please visit www.boissetcollection.com.

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