

MicroVest Capital Management Passes \$1 Billion Disbursement Mark

Bethesda, May 11, 2017 – MicroVest Capital Management is pleased to announce that the firm has successfully disbursed more than \$1 billion to Microfinance and SME Finance institutions around the globe. Starting with \$15mm in commitments in 2003, MicroVest has grown to become an asset management company with \$392mm under management, proving that financing low income populations and fostering financial inclusion can be done in a sustainable, ethical, and profitable manner.

"We are very excited to have crossed the \$1 billion threshold, something we feel clearly exemplifies the successful and sustainable character of our business. I would like to thank all our investors, partners, dedicated employees and Board Members that supported us throughout this journey, without whom it would have not been possible." says Gil Crawford, CEO of MicroVest Capital Management, LLC.

MicroVest's Chairman, Bo Cutter, added that, "While the \$1 billion mark is noteworthy, what is truly remarkable is that by indirectly lending to a yurt maker in Mongolia or a bike repairman in Tanzania, we have demonstrated that they are amongst the best borrowers in the world."

MicroVest achieved this milestone primarily by lending to financial intermediaries in developing countries, while also making equity investments. The current portfolio consists of 90 obligors in over 40 countries. Looking to build on its previous success, MicroVest is focusing on its core business of investing in socially responsible financial institutions in emerging markets, while further growing its operations and foot print in impact investing.

About MicroVest Capital Management, LLC

<u>MicroVest</u> is an asset management firm that offers global investment opportunities in emerging markets assets. The company invests capital in under-banked markets, providing access to a growing portfolio of sustainable financial institutions. MicroVest's emphasis on detailed due diligence process and focus on aligning values can result in meaningful financial returns for its investors. Since 2003 MicroVest has demonstrated that investing in its funds can be both, financially sustainable and purposeful. As of March 2017, MicroVest managed \$392 million across all its funds.

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