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SPRING INTO SAVINGS THIS MARCH WITH BIG LOTS

Retailer Offers Great Quality, Value and Style on Outdoor Furniture and Accessories

Columbus, Ohio (March 13, 2015) — This spring, customers will want to *Shop Big Lots First* for their outdoor entertaining needs. Customers will discover stylish, quality outdoor furniture at an incredible value, as well as the name brand grocery products needed to entertain family and friends outdoors.

Big Lots is launching its new “*Shop Big Lots First*” campaign through a series of TV and online videos depicting customers talking to their future selves about their Big Lots shopping trip discoveries. To view the videos, visit: <https://www.youtube.com/biglots>

“Big Lots has everything our customers need to update their homes and get ready for outdoor fun with their families,” said Andrew Stein, Senior Vice President, Chief Customer Officer, Big Lots. “When customers *Shop Big Lots First*, they discover great products to transition their homes to the spring season while staying on a budget.”

Big Lots carries a wide variety of patio furniture, grills, and gazebos, as well an assortment of pillows and replacement cushions in the latest patterns and colors to update the look of any outdoor space. Big Lots also carries lights, outdoor décor, and gardening items to help complete the backyard.

To make it even more convenient for customers to bring their new grills, firepits and patio furniture home, Big Lots offers Easy Leasing. Customers interested in this option should speak with a Big Lots associate; approval is not guaranteed, and additional terms and conditions may apply.

To learn more about Big Lots, speak with a company representative or arrange a store visit, contact the Big Lots Media Hotline at 1-877-614-1274.

About Big Lots, Inc.

Headquartered in Columbus, Ohio, Big Lots Inc. (NYSE: BIG) is a unique, non-traditional, discount retailer operating 1,461 Big Lots stores in 48 states with product assortments in the merchandise categories of Food, Consumables, Furniture, Seasonal, Soft Home, Hard Home, and Electronics Accessories. Our vision is to be recognized for providing an outstanding shopping experience for our customers, valuing and developing our associates, and creating growth for our shareholders. For more information, visit www.biglotsmedia.com

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