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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE Central Florida Commercial Association of REALTORS® holds annual Hallmark Awards Dinner

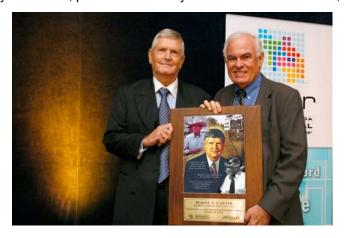
Orlando, FL - (March 17, 2008) - The Central Florida Commercial Association of REALTORS® (CFCAR) hosted their annual Hallmark awards dinner Thursday, March 13, 2008, at the Downtown Orlando Marriott. The evening honored commercial real estate practitioners from CFCAR's 10 county area and their accomplishments in 2007.

Lifetime Achievement Award Presented to Maury L. Carter

Maury L. Carter was awarded the prestigious Wilbur Strickland Lifetime Achievement Award. This award is historically given to a person considered a founding father of commercial real estate in this area and represents outstanding dedication and support of the Central Florida Commercial Association of REALTORS®.

Mr. Carter was moved by the enthusiasm of the people attending the event: "Wow, 45 years and never a night like this! This was special in that it really was our family, friends and community celebrating an award earned by not one person but by many." [Note: photo available/attached with release.]

"Dad's receipt of the Lifetime Achievement Award was a thrill for Mom, Dad, our family, friends, and associates. I wish to convey my deepest appreciation to CFCAR for the wonderful evening that was given to us. It was truly a once in a lifetime experience - one that we will never forget," said Daryl M. Carter, president of Maury L. Carter and Associates, Inc.



Mayor Richard Crotty presents Maury L. Carter with the Lifetime Achievement Award from the Central Florida Commercial Association of REALTORS(r) at the recent Hallmark Awards ceremony. In Mr. Carter's more than 50 years in Central Florida, he has handled sales of more than 200,000 acres of land worth over \$1 billion.

The evening was sponsored by: Phillips, Edison & Company; Rockefeller Group Development Corporation; The Alter Group; First Industrial Realty Trust; CCR Certified Public Accountants and Business Advisors; Faulk Painting; Hatcher Insurance, Inc.; Commercial Roofing Consultants; Dean Mead; Cushman & Wakefield; Maury L. Carter & Associates; Florida Crown Investment Company; C. T. HSU Group; and Crossman & Company.

The Central Florida Commercial Association of REALTORS® is committed to enhancing the business of all members. CFCAR provides commercial practitioners with opportunities to network and market listings, search properties or collaborate with other commercial practitioners regionally. CFCAR currently serves the following ten counties: Alachua, Brevard, Flagler, Lake, Marion, Orange, Osceola, Seminole, Sumter and Volusia Counties. For more information on CFCAR, please visit www.CFCAR.net or call 407-816-7368.



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