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New Board, Officers Set to Guide REALTOR® Foundation in 2011

INDIANAPOLIS – The REALTOR[®] Foundation, the philanthropic arm of the Metropolitan Indianapolis Board of REALTORS[®] (MIBOR) today announced its new board members and leadership team for 2011.

The REALTOR® Foundation's new board members will serve through 2013, ushering the Foundation through its *Building a Living Legacy* capital campaign and work with the 2012 Indianapolis Super Bowl Legacy Housing Project. These landmark projects compliment the Foundation's ongoing commitment to community projects geared toward supporting local organizations combating homelessness in central Indiana.

The new board members include:

Katie Griffin, Keller Williams Realty Tom Johnson, F.C. Tucker Company Kevin Kirkpatrick, Prudential Indiana Realty Group Jeff Risley, Carpenter, REALTORS®

In addition, the Foundation has tapped new leadership to steward the organization's activities for the next year. The Foundation's 2011 officers are:

President – Joyce Scotten, Investors Titlecorp President-elect – Bruce Bright, Keller Williams Realty Treasurer – Dan Bowden, F.C. Tucker Company Secretary – Gail Watts, RE/MAX Ability Plus

"The REALTOR® Foundation is poised to make a major impact on homelessness in the next few years," commented Regina L. Jones, current REALTOR® Foundation President. "We are so fortunate to have these dedicated community leaders lending their talent and passion to the cause of making sure central Indiana residents have safe, decent housing."

Each year, the Foundation looks to support the vital work of organizations that serve people displaced because of domestic violence, natural disaster, or those affected by economic hardships that have made them temporarily homeless.

About 1,500 people are homeless in Indianapolis every night. In response to this problem, the Foundation awards grants to support central Indiana organizations working to provide transitional housing solutions. An announcement of the 2011 funding recipients is expected in early February.

To learn more about the REALTOR® Foundation, visit www.realtorfoundation.org.

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Indianapolis Board of REALTORS® (MIBOR). MIBOR, the professional association representing central Indiana's REALTORS®, serves the needs of more than 6,500 members in Boone, Brown, Hamilton, Hancock, Hendricks, Johnson, Marion, Montgomery, Morgan and Shelby counties.