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## **McKINLEY FINANCIAL SERVICES, INC. 2009 LEADERSHIP BROWARD AWARD**

### **Ft. Lauderdale, Florida**

Mr. Jim McKinley, President of McKinley Financial Services, has received the Leadership Broward Foundation's Distinguished 2009 Leaders of the Year Award. Each year, Leadership Broward honors individuals in the community who have demonstrated such leadership qualities as courage, vision, integrity, and perseverance in the pursuit of their own endeavors. These individuals have distinguished themselves as professional visionaries and agents for positive change.

The Leadership Broward Foundation, Inc. held its Annual Profiles in Leadership Gala - "Signature Grand's Arc de Triomphe Gala: Celebrating our Leaders of Broward" - at the Signature Grand on October 17th in Davie, Florida. This 'grand' celebration was attended by more than 500 prominent business and community leaders.

Also honored at this prestigious event were Ms. Rosalind Perlmutter and Stuart Rosenfeldt, Esquire in the category of Distinguished 2009 Leaders of the Year and Ronald Book and Lauren Book-Lim in the category of Generations of Leadership.

### **About the Leadership Broward Foundation:**

The Leadership Broward Foundation is an organization designed to enhance participant's leadership skills, provide practical experience in community action, and facilitate opportunities for interaction with established community leaders - all for the purpose of strengthening their bond to the community.

### **About McKinley Financial Services, Inc.:**

In 22 years, McKinley Financial has grown exponentially to become one of the largest minority-owned insurance agencies in the United States. Last year, the Company grossed more than \$287,000,000 in sales. McKinley Financial has developed an initiative to penetrate the Fortune 500 and has enhanced their efforts in pension benefits' sales and service.

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