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Lake Oswego REALTOR® Wins State REALTOR® of the Year

SALEM, OR – The Oregon Association of Realtors have named Alan Mehrwein the 2012 Oregon Realtor of the Year. The award, the highest granted by the Association, was bestowed in Salem on October 18th at the 2012 Fall Governance Meetings for the Oregon Association of Realtors, a professional organization representing more than 12,000 members statewide.

Mehrwein is a principal broker and branch manager of the RE/MAX Equity Group office in Lake Oswego, one of the top producing offices in the Metro region and Oregon. A California transplant, Mehrwein has practiced real estate in Oregon since 1991 and has been heavily involved in all levels of the REALTOR® organization at local, state and national levels.

Serving on nearly every committee possible as well as the state board of directors, he has also held leadership positions such as committee chairs, state association president in 2010 and current national association director from the Northwest region. Alan's exemplary service has been honored before as he was also selected as REALTOR® of the Year for the Portland Metropolitan Association of REALTORS® in 2004.

When he's not selling real estate or giving back to his industry, Alan can often be found enthusiastically blowing his saxophone as part of the Lake Oswego Millennium Concert Band.

Mehrwein won the award based on service to local, state, and national levels of the REALTOR® organization, the largest trade organization in America, with over 1.1 million members involved in all aspects of the residential and commercial real estate industries.

The Realtor of the Year award is based on the recommendation of the Board of Directors and an Executive Committee. It is designed to recognize a Realtor member from one of the Associations in Oregon who has provided outstanding service to all Realtor organizations, their profession and their community.

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The Oregon Association of REALTORS® was established in 1932 to organize the real estate profession in Oregon. Today, the Association is a force for education and a business and legislative advocate for free enterprise and private property rights in Oregon.