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RUSS WEIR NAMED 2009 ASSOCIATION OF REGINA REALTORS® PRESIDENT

Regina, Saskatchewan - January 5, 2009 – Russ Weir of Re/Max Crown Real Estate Ltd. is the new President of the Association of Regina REALTORS® Inc. for 2009. Mr. Weir succeeds Past-President Shawn Fay.

Mr. Weir became a member of the Association in 1978 and has been a member of the current Board of Directors since 2004. He has been active in both sales and real estate appraisals for many years and is currently a member of the Canadian National Association of Real Estate Appraisers. During his time as a member, he has been active on several Association committees and task forces. In the community, Mr. Weir has been active as a fundraiser for the Kidney Foundation for many years.

“It is indeed an honour to follow so many distinguished leaders of the local real estate industry with an organization that has now been part of the community for 97 years”, said Mr. Weir. “This is especially true at a time when our community and province are projected to enter a period of unprecedented economic growth. We’re very optimistic about the future despite what’s happening nationally and internationally”.

Others serving on the Board of Directors are: President-Elect Ian Johnston; Past-President Shawn Fay; and Directors, Stacy Svendsen, Mary Vogel, Mike Duggleby, Francois Maisonneuve, Basil Pappas and Lane Boghean. David Mayer will serve as Regina Regional Director on the Association of Saskatchewan REALTORS®.

The Association of Regina REALTORS® Inc. is governed by a volunteer Board of Directors elected from the ranks of its membership. The Association has been serving Regina and area since 1912 and is committed to ensuring that its members act in the best interests of their clients. REALTORS® provide high standards of service to property owners and buyers and adhere to a strict Code of Ethics and Standards of Business Practice.

The Association operates the Multiple Listing Service® in Regina and area, publishes the ReginaRealEstateReview.com advertising newspaper and produces The REALTOR® Channel on cable TV channel 9.

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