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ATTENTION BUSINESS EDITORS**

RICHMOND CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ANNOUNCES NEW BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Richmond, BC, Canada June 29, 2010 -- 125 Business leaders representing Richmond Chamber of Commerce gathered in the Sheraton Vancouver Airport Hotel June 24th for the Richmond Chamber of Commerce Annual General Meeting & Conference to elect the new Board of Directors.

Raymond J. Segat the recent Chair of Richmond Chamber of Commerce presented a summary of the Chambers accomplishments over the past year. Topics included the Chambers organisational review and opportunities through the 2010 Olympics. Raymond commented "During the year the Board evaluated the practices, direction and resources of the organisation to better access the ability of the Chamber to continue its effectiveness as an advocacy for Richmond Businesses."

The BC Chamber of Commerce is pleased to announce the following Board for 2010/2011.

Executive Officers:

Chair Tony Kwan Pryke, Lambert, Leathley, Russell LLP

Vice Chair Lisa Wong Beavis, Wong & Associates

Treasurer Cathie Savoie Dickson, Stojak, Brown
Secretary Barry Grabowski, Cohen Buchan, Edwards

Immediate Past Chair:
Raymond J. Segat, YVR

Board of Governors:
Leslie Matheson, Cadillac Fairview

Directors:
Rob Akimow, The Richmond Review
Lori Chalmers, Richmond News
Colleen Chambers, TSX Venture Exchange
Gerard Edwards, Incisive Marketing Inc.
Vikki Harvey, Scotiabank
Simon Johnston, Gateway Theatre
Mike Karamanian, Digitech Renewable Printer Cartridges
Michael Lok, Lok's Hapkido School
David Sandhu, Sanduz Estate Wines
Dana Westermarck, Oris Consulting Ltd.
Brian Williams, Ashton Service Group

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The Richmond Chamber of Commerce is a broad-based non-profit membership association, celebrating over 80 years of commitment to make Richmond the most prosperous and favorable place to do business.

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