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Parker's Harold McCloud Honored as Appraisal Institute's 'Volunteer of Distinction'

CHICAGO (Nov. 5, 2014) – Harold S. McCloud, MAI, of Parker, Colorado, was recognized today as the Appraisal Institute's November "Volunteer of Distinction" for Region II.

The Appraisal Institute is the nation's largest professional association of real estate appraisers; Region II consists of Colorado, Iowa, Kansas, Missouri, Nebraska, Oklahoma, South Dakota, Utah and Wyoming, as well as Manitoba and Saskatchewan, Canada. McCloud is a member of the Colorado Chapter.

"Harold McCloud is an exceptional ambassador for the Appraisal Institute," said Appraisal Institute President Ken P. Wilson, MAI, SRA. "We're proud to be represented by individuals like Harold, who faithfully serve our organization and the real estate valuation profession, as well as their local communities."

McCloud served as Colorado Chapter president in 2006, vice president in 2005, treasurer in 2004 and secretary in 2003. He was regional representative from 2000-01 and candidate guidance chair from 1996-99. He was a participant at the Appraisal Institute's Leadership Development and Advisory Council Conference in 2007, 2010 and 2014.

McCloud has been president at McCloud & Associates, in Parker since 1995. He has been involved in the real estate valuation profession for 29 years. He holds a bachelor's degree from Metropolitan State College in Denver. He joined the Appraisal Institute in 1987, and received his MAI designation in 1992.

He was a council member for the Town of Parker from 1994-96. He is a charter member of the Parker Rotary Club and has served as a member and president of Parker Rotary Club Foundation Board, as well as various Rotary programs.

He is married and has one daughter and two granddaughters.

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