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Palos Heights' Timothy Fitzgibbons Honored as Appraisal Institute's 'Volunteer of Distinction'

CHICAGO (May 8, 2013) – Timothy Fitzgibbons, SRA, of Palos Heights, Ill., was recognized today as the Appraisal Institute's May "Volunteer of Distinction" for Region III.

The Appraisal Institute is the nation's largest professional association of real estate appraisers; Region III consists of Illinois, Michigan, Minnesota, North Dakota and Wisconsin. Fitzgibbons is a member of the Chicago Chapter.

"Timothy Fitzgibbons is an outstanding representative for the Appraisal Institute," said Appraisal Institute President Richard L. Borges II, MAI, SRA. "We're proud to have individuals like Timothy who continuously strive to advance the valuation profession while also serving their local communities."

Fitzgibbons is regional representative for the Chicago Chapter and was associate guidance chair – residential from 2007-2011. He joined the Appraisal Institute in 1998 and received his SRA designation in 2005.

He became director at Integra Realty Resources in Chicago in 2012. He has been involved in the real estate valuation profession for 17 years. He holds a bachelor's degree from John Carroll University in University Heights, Ohio and a Master's of Business Administration from Saint Xavier University in Chicago.

Fitzgibbons is co-chair of the Fall Fleadh, a committee he co-founded in 1996 to raise money for Misericordia Heart of Mercy, a home for developmentally disabled adults. He served as a board member for Palos Power Softball from 2010-2012.

He is married and has two children.

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