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Oncor Hosts Annual Supplier Diversity Awards Luncheon

Oncor announces winners of prestigious Omnis award and honors employees

DALLAS (March 3, 2011) – Oncor hosted its annual Supplier Diversity Recognition Program awards luncheon today, honoring employees and business partners who showed commitment, support and development of supplier diversity initiatives in 2010.

Approximately 200 business leaders and Oncor Supplier Diversity participants attended the event, which included keynote remarks by Oncor Chairman and CEO Bob Shapard.

During his welcome address, Oncor Senior Vice President of Asset Management and Engineering Jim Greer emphasized how partnerships with diverse suppliers improves Oncor's business.

"It is our commitment as a Texas-based company to make decisions that make Texas a better place, not just for us, but for every resident of the state," Greer said in his address. "We continue to lead the way in technology development and new innovations – shaping the way for a smarter, more efficient state. And we're able to do that only with the excellent service and commitment we receive from our [supplier diversity partners] in this room today."

In his keynote address about Oncor's long-term vision, Shapard explained why Oncor chooses to work with diverse companies.

"We want to work with companies, like yours, that are made up of people who not only are top in their fields but also care about making an impact in their local communities," he said. "Supplier diversity is not only the right thing to do, but it's also a good business decision."

This year's Omnis Award, which is given to companies who show excellence in business and community efforts, was given to three businesses – MarketNet, accepted by President and Founder Jill Bach; Telecom Electric Supply Company, accepted by President Fred Moses; and Standard Utility Construction Company, accepted by President Glenna Standish.

The Corporate Rising Star Award was given to Geavista and accepted by President and Co-Founder Crystal Corwin-Smith. Geavista began working with Oncor in the past year and has shown a commitment to diversity in their business and community activities.

Oncor gave out two internal awards. The Group Award went to Oncor's Procurement group for their work with a diverse suppliers during Oncor's transition to a new headquarters. Energy Efficiency Senior Project Manager Carl Brown won the Individual Recognition Award for his significant and consistent contributions to the development and utilization of diverse companies.

For information on becoming one of Oncor's supplier diversity partners, visit www.oncor.com/supplierdiversity.

Oncor Electric Delivery Company LLC "Oncor" is a regulated electricity distribution and transmission business that uses superior asset management skills to provide reliable electricity delivery to consumers. Oncor operates the largest distribution and transmission system in Texas, delivering power to approximately 3 million homes and businesses and operating approximately 117,000 miles of transmission and distribution lines in Texas. While Oncor is owned by a limited number of investors (including majority owner, Energy Future Holdings Corp.), Oncor is managed by its Board of Directors, which is comprised of a majority of independent directors.

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