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## **LSTAR's Stacey Evoy Receives Provincial Honour**

London, ON – The London and St. Thomas Association of REALTORS® (LSTAR) Board of Directors is pleased to announce 2016 President Stacey Evoy has been honoured for her outstanding volunteer service to the community, awarded the Ontario REALTORS Care® Foundation Fellowship. Evoy received the honour this week at the Ontario Real Estate Association (OREA) 2017 Annual Conference in Toronto.

Members of the REALTORS Care® Fellowship Program are recognized for their passion and commitment to the real estate profession's Quality of Life principles, enhancing local communities by supporting growth that fosters economic vitality, provides housing opportunities, respects the environment, and builds good communities and safe neighbourhoods.

"I am very proud of the volunteer work REALTORS® do to make a difference and am very excited to receive this award," said Stacey Evoy, LSTAR 2016 President. "This recognition represents the collaborative efforts of so many REALTORS® who make contributions that truly strengthen our communities and make them better places to live, work and play."

Evoy became a REALTOR® in 2003, and participates in a number of fundraising events throughout the year supporting various charities. Most recently, Evoy has sat on the Children's Magical Ball Committee in support of Children's Hospital Foundation. For many years, she cochaired the annual Royal LePage Golf Tournament in support of Women's Community House. She is a champion for children and women's issues, specifically research and fundraising in support of breast cancer. She describes mentoring 5- and 6-year-old girls as a Spark Leader in Girl Guides as her most rewarding volunteer work. Evoy has also chaired LSTAR's annual Children's Christmas Party and she chaired LSTAR's Christmas Gala Committee over four consecutive years and raised more than \$100,000 for various shelter based charities.

The London and St. Thomas Association of REALTORS® (LSTAR) exists to provide our REALTOR® Members with the support and tools they need to succeed in their profession. LSTAR is one of Canada's 15 largest real estate associations, representing over 1,600 REALTORS® working in Middlesex and Elgin Counties, a trading area of 500,000 residents. LSTAR adheres to a Quality of Life philosophy, supporting growth that fosters economic vitality, provides housing opportunities, respects the environment and builds good communities and safe neighbourhoods and is a proud participant in the REALTORS Care Foundation's Every REALTOR™ Campaign.