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REALTORS® REACH OUT IN COMMUNITIES ACROSS PA

LEMOYNE, PA (Oct. 1, 2010) – The PA Association of REALTORS® (PAR) today announced the third annual REALTORS® Reach Out Month 2010.

REALTORS® from local associations and boards are donating their time to charitable organizations across the state. The PA Association of REALTORS® (PAR) has garnered support for this initiative from state lawmakers.

[Gov. Edward G. Rendell](#) proclaimed October as REALTORS® Reach Out Month. [State Sen. Wayne Fontana \(D-Allegheny\)](#) and REALTOR® and state [Rep. Sue Helm \(R-Dauphin\)](#) put forth resolutions in the House and Senate declaring October as REALTORS® Reach Out Month.

“In addition to the critical services Pennsylvania REALTORS® provide through their profession, they also donate their time to various charitable organizations and enhance their communities by offering their support to those in need,” said Gov. Rendell.

In the past two years, more than 4,700 REALTORS® across the state participated with 27 local REALTOR® associations and boards, donated more than \$101,000 and collected nearly 18,000 pounds of food and 1,000 pieces of clothing for charitable organizations.

“This initiative provides REALTORS® the opportunity to work with colleagues in their local communities,” said PAR President Don Roth. “It is especially important in this economy to volunteer with charitable organizations that need our support more than ever.”

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