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Smith Recipient of Crum's Labor of Love Award

Crawford Hoying Smith President Honored at Charity Golf Event

COLUMBUS, Ohio – For the past decade, the Jimmy Crum Labor of Love Award has honored exceptional people committed to improving the quality of life for the less fortunate in the Columbus community. 2006 honoree Rick Smith is no exception, as he exemplifies the same selfless dedication of past recipients. Smith was presented the award at the 2006 Jimmy Crum Labor of Love Charity Golf Classic on September 11, 2006 at the Medallion Club.

Smith has spent many hours serving several Central Ohio charities, including The Humane Society of Ohio, The Fraternal Order of Police, Athletes for Christ, and Children's Hospital. Smith, a four year letter winner in basketball at Ohio State is entering his 10th year on the Varsity "O" Men's Alumni Association board and serves as the immediate past-president.

Smith is currently the President of Columbus based Crawford Hoying Smith, which offers comprehensive real estate services including commercial development, sale and lease negotiation, property management, and tenant and landlord representation. Since 1999, Crawford Hoying Smith has transacted more than \$1 billion in real estate services.

The Labor of Love Charity Golf Classic is an annual event that has raised funds for numerous worthy organizations, most recently the Ohio Special Olympics and Easter Seals. Since its inception in 1991 the event has raised over \$900,000 for area charitable organizations. Past honorees of this prestigious award include Wendy's Dave Thomas, the "First Lady of Golf" Barbara Nicklaus, and Archie Griffin.

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