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### **Phil Forner Honored With ACCA's Distinguished Service Award!**

The Air Conditioning Contractors of America (ACCA), the nation's largest association of indoor environmental systems professionals, has awarded Phil Forner with the association's Distinguished Service Award.

Forner of Allendale Heating Company, Inc. in Allendale, Mich., was selected for his extensive volunteer involvement in ACCA. He has given freely of his time and talents and has served on many ACCA committees and task teams, has been a representative for ACCA on the International Code Council Residential Plumbing and Mechanical Technical Committee, and also served on the ACCA Board of Directors, including a term as Chairman of the Board of Directors in 2007 – 2008. Forner has played an integral role in getting the association involved in Codes and forming a code committee, as well as laying the ground work for the Standards Task Team to receive ANSI approval for many of ACCA manuals.

“Phil's contributions to ACCA truly enhance the membership experience for all contractors,” says John Sedine, ACCA Chairman. “He has been dedicated to technical excellence and moving the industry forward in a way that few other contractors have been and has raised the bar for the HVACR industry as whole.”

Forner was recognized at ACCA's 43rd Annual Conference and Indoor Air Expo, held this week in San Antonio, Texas. He was presented the Distinguished Service Award in front of ACCA contractor members at the association's annual Town Hall Meeting.

ACCA's Distinguished Service Award is presented occasionally to an outstanding volunteer contributor to the association.

The Air Conditioning Contractors of America (ACCA) is a non-profit association serving more than 60,000 professionals and 4,000 businesses in the indoor environmental and energy services community. Founded more than 40 years ago, today ACCA sets the standards for quality comfort systems, provides leading-edge education for contractors and their employees, and fights for the interests of professional contractors in every state in the country.