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**Financial Award Presented to H-F Park District for 25th Consecutive Year**

(Flossmoor, Ill.) April 5, 2010 — The Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting has been awarded to the Homewood-Flossmoor Park District for the 25th consecutive year by the Government Finance Officers Association of the U.S. and Canada (GFOA) for its comprehensive annual financial report. The Certificate of Achievement is the highest form of recognition in the area of governmental accounting and financial reporting, and its attainment represents a significant accomplishment by the park district and its management. The award was presented to Executive Director Debbie Kopas and Superintendent of Finance & Administration Renae Ross earlier this month.

The park district's comprehensive annual financial report was judged by an impartial panel to meet the high standards of the program, including demonstrating a constructive spirit of full disclosure to clearly communicate its financial story and motivate potential users and user groups to read the report.

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