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The Indiana Broadcasters Association (IBA) announces the 2009 1st Place SPECTRUM AWARD WINNERS and the IBA's "Service to Indiana" award.

The Spectrum Awards recognizes broadcast excellence for outstanding achievement in broadcasting by Indiana radio and television stations. The competition is established to encourage the highest standards of reporting, community service and production creativity. It brings the ultimate prize of peer recognition to members of the broadcast industry of Indiana.

Saturday, November 14, 2009, the Indiana Broadcasters Association awarded 61 first place Spectrum Awards and the "Service to Indiana Award," at the 22nd Spectrum Annual Awards Show at the Marriott Hotel in Indianapolis.

Service To Indiana Award

WISH-TV, Indianapolis for their entry, "Hoosiers Helping Hoosiers." The IBA salutes WISH-TV for their dedication to serving the public interest representing the true meaning and spirit of localism.

Community Involvement

1st place winners in this category vie for the "Service to Indiana" award.

Radio Market 1 WIBC-FM, Indianapolis – WIBC Salvation Army Radiothon

Radio Market 2 WAOR-FM, Fort Wayne – Food for Kids

Radio Market 3 WVUB-FM, Vincennes – METH Not Even Once

Television Market 2 WEHT-TV, Evansville – "Josh"

Television Market 1 WISH-TV, Indianapolis – Hoosiers Helping Hoosiers

Station of the Year

Radio Market 1 WHHH-FM, Indianapolis
Radio Market 2 WKDQ-FM, Evansville
Radio Market 3 WMRS-FM, Monticello
Television Market 2 WTHI-TV, Terre Haute
Television Market 1 WISH TV, Indianapolis

Breaking News Story

Radio Market 1 WIBC-FM, Indianapolis – Cosmopolitan Fire

Radio Market 3 WQLK-FM, Richmond - Connersville Lands Carbon Motors

Breaking Local News Story

Television Market 2 WTHI-TV, Terre Haute – High Speed Chase Television Market 1 WISH-TV, Indianapolis – Cosmopolitan Fire

General News Story

Television Market 2 WTHI TV, Terre Haute – Puppy Mill

Television Market 1 WTHR-TV, Indianapolis – Wolf Dog Hunt

IBA Spectrum Award Winners, 2009

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Newscast

Radio Market 1 WIBC FM, Indianapolis

Radio Market 2 WSBT-AM, South Bend – 7AM News, 8/6/09

Radio Market 3 WSCH-FM, Lawrenceburg - Morning Newscast, 8/5/09

Television Market 2 WANE-TV, Fort Wayne – Willows Fire and Santa Lighting – 6PM

Television Market 1 WRTV-TV, Indianapolis – 6 News at Six

Mini Series or Documentary

Radio Market 1 WFYI-FM, Indianapolis – Water Pressure
Radio Market 2 WSBT-AM, South Bend – Neighbors In Need
Radio Market 3 WFIU-FM, Bloomington – Cultivating Afghanistan

News Special Or Documentary

Television Market 2 WANE-TV, Fort Wayne – The Hunted

Television Market 1 WRTV-TV, Indianapolis – Kritter Heaven

Radio Station Broadcast Personality or Team

Radio Market 1 WHHH-FM, Indianapolis – Jay Rio

Radio Market 2 WTHI-FM, Terre Haute – The Waking Crew, Barry Kent & Frank Rush

Radio Market 3 WBWB-FM, Bloomington, Alex Starr Morning Show

Sports/Sportscast

Radio Market 1 WNDE-AM, Indianapolis – Cathedral vs. Warren Central

Radio Market 2 WSBT-AM, South Bend – WSBT Radio Sports

Radio Market 3 WGRE-FM, Greencastle – DePauw vs. Colorado College

Television Market 2 WTHI TV, Sports 10 "In The Zone", Terre Haute
Television Market 1 WTHR-TV, Indianapolis – Operation Football

Humorous Commercial

Radio Market 1 WXNT-AM, Indianapolis - Butt Crack Union

Radio Market 2 WAOR-FM, Mishawaka – Papa Murphy's "Take & Bake Racing"

Radio Market 3 WFML-FM, Vincennes – Boys Bow Shop

Commercial Series/Commercial

Radio Market 1 WJJK-FM, Indianapolis – Pic-A-Part

Radio Market 2 WAOR FM, Mishawaka – Papa Murphy's "Take & Bake Racing"

Radio Market 3 WQLK-FM, Richmond – Bader Mechanical Television Market 2 WTWO-TV, Terre Haute – Sundown Pictures

Best On-Air Promotional Announcement

Radio Market 1 WIBC-FM, Indianapolis – Stay Informed on WIBC
Radio Market 2 WJFX-FM, Fort Wayne – God Winner Promo
Radio Market 3 WCOE-FM, LaPorte – Last Chance Radio Auction

Best Promotional Campaign

Radio Market 2 WAOR-FM, Mishawaka – 2009 Bracket Breakers

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Feature/Use of Medium

Television Market 2 WTVW-TV, Evansville – Life Flight/Help From Above

Television Market 1 WTHR-TV, Indianapolis – Hard Act to Follow

Weathercast

Television Market 2 WANE-TV, Fort Wayne – Sandy Thompson 1/27/09

Television Market 1 WTHR TV, Indianapolis – Weathercast

Marketing Materials & Promos

Television Market 2 WTHI-TV, Terre Haute – Storm Team 10

Television Market 1 WISH TV-TV, Indianapolis – 24 Hour News Image

Special Interest & Cultural Programming

Radio Market 1 (tie) WTLC-AM, Indianapolis – Town Hall Meetings on Healthcare

WFYI-FM, Indianapolis – Sound Medicine 5/24/09 Program

Radio Market 2 WBST-FM, Muncie – War of the Worlds Live Broadcast

Radio Market 3 WHCC-FM, Bloomington – Cop Talk
Television Market 2 WNIT-TV, Elkhart – Farm Fresh to You

Television Market 1 WISH-TV, Indianapolis – Egypt Comes to Indy

Cross Platform Use of Radio

Radio Market 2 WJFX-FM, Fort Wayne – iPhone App

Radio Market 3 WHCC-FM, Bloomington – Hoosier Country Tradin Post

Television Market 2 WLFI-TV, W. Lafayette

Television Market 1 WISH-TV, Indianapolis – Hoosiers Helping Hoosiers

The IBA congratulates all award winners!