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Urban Environmental Research wins Small Business of the Year award from Las Vegas Chamber of Commerce

Consulting firm honored by local business community and employees

LAS VEGAS – Urban Environment Research (UER) was named the Small Business of the Year, 25 employees or less, by the Las Vegas Chamber of Commerce as part of its 5th annual Small Business Excellence (Biz E) Awards program.

“We are proud to be named Small Business of the Year by the Las Vegas Chamber of Commerce,” said Sheila Conway, managing partner of UER. “We have a long history of working in Las Vegas to find sustainable solutions to the various economic and environmental challenges facing our communities. As we continue our work towards that goal, we are proud to be a member of the Las Vegas Chamber of Commerce and appreciate their support and recognition.”

According to the Las Vegas Chamber of Commerce, award winners are recognized “for their innovation and dedication to excellence in small business.”

The Las Vegas Chamber has hosted the Small Business Excellence Awards since 2006 to celebrate the spirit of entrepreneurship. The awards, sponsored by Nevada State Bank, recognize the contributions and accomplishments of small business in five categories:

- “Emerging Business of the Year”
- “Green Business of the Year”
- “Non-Profit of the Year”
- “Small Business of the Year, 5 employees or less”
- “Small Business of the Year, 25 employees or less”

UER was also recently highlighted in the second annual Best Workplaces in Nevada contest sponsored by the Las Vegas Business Press for its commitment to showing appreciation to their employees and supporting professional development. The companies considered in the Southern Nevada business publication’s contest were nominated by employees via an online survey.

About Urban Environmental Research (UER)

UER is improving the way our communities work and live by providing specific solutions through expert research, innovative products and training services. Founded in 1998 and based in Las Vegas, Nev., this internationally recognized consulting firm offers the public and private sectors sustainable solutions that enhance community vitality by addressing the complex interactions of social, economic, security and environmental issues.

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