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Meridian Mayor Presents Neighborhood Star Awards

Meridian, ID – (October 2, 2014) – Meridian Mayor Tammy de Weerd presented the 2014 Neighborhood Star Awards to a number of deserving individuals and businesses within the community during a public ceremony and reception last night at the Meridian City Hall.

This annual award recognizes Meridian residents for their staunch commitment to preserving, maintaining and improving the quality of life and safety in their neighborhoods, as well as the broader Meridian community.

"Meridian has repeatedly been recognized by *Money Magazine* in their annual 'Best Places to Live' list because of people like this year's esteemed recipients," said Mayor Tammy de Weerd. "These unsung heroes have shown selfless dedication to their neighbors, neighborhoods and community, and are deserving of our appreciation and recognition."

Award recipients are nominated by a neighbor or neighborhood association, and this year's recipients were:

Jay & Roxanne Corsi
Claudia Sanders
Edee White & Carol Standley
Norma Gale
Randy Hill

Danielle Stem, Genesis Service Dogs
Dennis Hoffman
Kendall Ford
Rachael Perry
Stan & Suzi Young

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The City of Meridian is located in the center of the Treasure Valley in southwest Idaho. Founded in 1893 and incorporated as a city in 1903, Meridian is now one of Idaho's largest and fastest growing communities. Meridian is cited by Money Magazine as one of its Top 50 Best Places to Live, and by America's Promise Alliance and ING as one of the nation's 100 Best Communities for Young People. For more information, visit www.meridiacity.org.