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Akerman Shareholder Named President of the Christian Service Center for Central Florida
Community Involvement Plays Important Role in Akerman's History and Culture

ORLANDO — March 10, 2009 — Akerman Senterfitt shareholder and real estate attorney Nancy Campiglia has been named the new President for the Christian Service Center in Orlando, Florida. Since 1971, the Center - well known for its soup kitchen, Daily Bread - has focused on preventing homelessness while serving the less fortunate in the Orlando community.

"Now more than ever, during these challenging economic times, I am honored to be tasked with a leadership role in an organization dedicated to helping those in our community in need of physical, emotional, or spiritual assistance." said Ms. Campiglia.

Ms. Campiglia has been active in the community for many years, recently leading Akerman's efforts to provide pro bono legal assistance for Habitat for Humanity Orlando's first-ever townhome/condominium community. Ms. Campiglia is just one of the many Akerman attorneys who are committed to making a difference in the Central Florida community. Currently Akerman attorneys are active in more than 100 community and professional organizations, including the United Way, Boys and Girls Clubs of Central Florida, Junior Achievement, YMCA, Harbor House and the Edgewood Children's Ranch.

"Akerman has a rich tradition of supporting the Central Florida community, going back nearly 90 years," said Charles T. Brumback, Jr., Office Managing Shareholder for Akerman's Orlando office. "I am extremely proud of everyone at Akerman who has demonstrated their passion for our community by donating their time and energy to so many worthwhile community organizations."

Akerman co-founder and former shareholder, Donald Senterfitt, was one of the first at the firm to play an active role in community organizations. For more than 40 years, he participated in numerous organizations including taking his Sunday school classes to serve at the soup kitchens at the Christian Service Center.

Numerous other shareholders have held leadership positions with organizations for years at a time. Shareholder Virginia Townes has served on the Board of Directors of the Society to Preserve African American Society, Tradition and History for more than 15 years, and shareholder Rick Hurt has served on the Board of Directors for the Orlando Health Foundation for 18 years.

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