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## **Gainesville-Alachua County Association of Realtors® (GACAR) Recognizes 2016 James Parrish Community Leadership Award**

GAINESVILLE, FL. January 17, 2017- Gainesville-Alachua County Association of Realtors® (GACAR) honored Freddie Wehbe, by awarding him the 2016 James Parrish Community Leadership Award. Freddie is a well-known local business man that is very involved in the community.

The James Parrish Community Leadership award was presented at the local association's annual installation banquet at the Best Western Gateway Grand with close to 200 people in attendance.

GACAR has presented the James Parrish Community Leadership Award since 2000. This award is presented to the Alachua County resident who has made the greatest contribution to the local community through volunteer work, local involvement in business and community organizations, and ultimately in areas that benefit the community as a whole which enhanced the quality of life for the citizens of Alachua County.

Freddie has given back to the community in countless ways and had an immeasurable impact. To mention a few specifics Freddie is currently serving on Leadership Council for Children's Miracle Network, an Advisor Board Member for LifeSouth Community Blood Centers, Director of Keep Alachua Beautiful, and has given countless hours of mentoring to other local business owners.

Freddie is a vital component to our community. He has a remarkable drive and ability to succeed and to help others succeed. The Gainesville-Alachua County Association of REALTORS is proud to award Freddie Wehbe with the 2016 James Parrish Community Leadership Award.

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