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**Telework Exchange Presents the 2011 Tele-Vision Awards for
Best in Government Telework**

2011 Tele-Vision Awards Program Recognizes the Air Force Central Adjudication Facility; Administrative Assistant to the Secretary of the Air Force; Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives; State of Connecticut; Department of Defense; National Institutes of Health; and Washington State University Extension

ALEXANDRIA, Va., June 8, 2011 – Telework ExchangeSM, a public-private partnership focused on eliminating telework gridlock, announced the recipients of the sixth annual Tele-Vision Awards today at an awards ceremony in Washington, D.C. The 2011 Tele-Vision Awards Program, sponsored by Citrix Systems, recognizes excellence in government and education telework programs, including agency accomplishments and individual contributions to telework success.

An independent panel of judges, composed of professionals from government and affiliate organizations with experience funding, implementing, managing, and maintaining telework programs for public-sector organizations, selected the Telework Exchange 2011 Tele-Vision Award winners. Details on the award-winning programs and individuals are available at www.teleworkexchange.com/2011awards.

Telework Exchange recognized the following in outstanding telework programs and leadership:

- **Federal Telework Program Honorable Mention**
Organization: U.S. General Services Administration
- **Excellence in Telework Leadership**
Organization: Administrative Assistant to the Secretary of the Air Force
Program: Headquarters Air Force Telework Program
- **Innovative Application of Technology to Support Telework**
Organization: Department of Defense
Program: Computer/Electronic Accommodations Program

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- **Best New Telework Initiative**
Organization: Air Force Central Adjudication Facility (AFCAF)
Program: AFCAF Telework Program
- **Telework Program with Maximum Impact on Government**
Organization: National Institutes of Health (NIH)
Program: NIH/Office of Human Resources Continuity of Operations Project
- **State and Local Government Telework Program**
Organization: Connecticut Department of Transportation
Program: Telecommute Connecticut
- **Telework Leadership in Higher Learning**
Organization: Washington State University Extension
Program: Washington State University Division of Governmental Studies and Services
Program for Digital Initiatives (PDI)
- **Telework Driver Award**
Honoree: Rosanne Russo, Telework Coordinator
Organization: Department of Justice/Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and
Explosives

“Congratulations to the winners of this year’s Tele-Vision Awards program,” said David Smith, chief technology officer for public sector, Citrix Systems. “The recipients represent the best-of-the-best in government telework and are a model to other telework programs. The winners should be very proud of their hard work and many accomplishments.”

“We are pleased to honor our outstanding award recipients, and look forward to working with them in the future to expand telework programs across the public sector,” said Cindy Auten, general manager of Telework Exchange.

More information on the winning programs and individuals, as well as the 2011 Tele-Vision Awards, is available at www.teleworkexchange.com/2011awards.

About Telework Exchange, LLC

Telework ExchangeSM is a public-private partnership focused on demonstrating the tangible value of telework and serving the emerging educational and communication requirements of the Federal teleworker community. The organization facilitates communication among Federal teleworkers, telework managers, and IT professionals. For more information on Telework Exchange, please visit www.teleworkexchange.com.