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INDIANA REALTORS® SWEAR IN CHARLIE SHOOK AS TREASURER

(INDIANAPOLIS, IN) – Lafayette-area REALTOR® Charlie Shook was inaugurated as Treasurer of the Indiana Association of REALTORS® (IAR) last week at IAR's annual Winter Legislative Conference in Indianapolis.

Shook is president and an owner of Coldwell Banker Shook, a family owned residential and commercial real estate Brokerage Company that was founded in 1915 by his great grandfather and grandfather. He oversees the residential operation in Greater Lafayette and has served the real estate profession on a local and state level.

Currently Shook serves as the Commissioner for the Indiana Real Estate Commission which he was appointed to by Governor Mitch Daniels in 2006. He is a member and past president of the Lafayette Regional Association of REALTORS® where he was named REALTOR® of the Year in 1996 and 2002. He is also a member of the Metropolitan Indianapolis Board of REALTORS®. Prior to being elected as IAR's Treasurer, he has served as a Regional Vice President for IAR since 2002.

"Charlie is coming from a long history of working in and around the real estate industry," said Karl Berron, Chief Executive Officer. "As leader of the Indiana Real Estate Commission he knows the issues facing the industry better than most and his counsel will be extremely valuable."

Shook spent 10 years in the banking industry working for Comerica Bank in Detroit, MI in the Commercial Loan Administrative Department prior to returning to Indiana in 1989. He is very involved as a community volunteer for many organizations throughout the Lafayette-West Lafayette area and Indianapolis.

IAR represents more than 16,000 REALTORS® who are involved in virtually all aspects related to the sale, purchase, exchange or lease of real property in Indiana. The term REALTOR® is a registered mark that identifies a real estate professional who is a member of the world's largest trade association, the National Association of REALTORS®, and subscribes to its strict Code of Ethics.

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