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**O'KEEFE COMMUNICATIONS JOINS ELITE CADRE
OF GOLD AURORA WINNERS**

Washington, DC (March 24, 2010) – O'Keefe Communications is honored to have been bestowed a Gold Aurora Award for the Women's Foodservice Forum's 2009 Conference Opener video. This video recently won a Telly Award for outstanding creative achievement as well.

Since time began the invisible creative forces that power our universe have illuminated the polar darkness with a phenomenon called the Northern Lights, or Aurora Borealis. This same phenomenon also occurs in the Antarctic sky of the Southern Hemisphere as well, called the Aurora Australis. These majestic stardust curtains have transfixed their global audiences with their majestic displays of celestial color and light. The Aurora Awards celebrates this same ability of media creators around the world by recognizing this same ability to captivate audiences by their creative displays of color and light. Competitors come from the independent, corporate, and freelance production groups, advertising agencies, broadcast stations, large and small.

The Aurora Awards is an international competition designed to recognize excellence in the film and video industries. It specifically targets products, programs and commercials that would not normally have the opportunity to compete on a national level, by focusing on non-national commercials, regional or special interest entertainment and corporate sponsored film and video. Entries have come from across the US, and abroad, such as Russia, Denmark, Hong Kong, Germany, Australia, Mexico, etc.

O'Keefe Communications is one of the nation's leading providers of video, multimedia and event production services. For 31 years, O'Keefe has produced events nationwide for non-profits, associations, corporations and the government and is the recipient of more than 100 prestigious awards for creative excellence. O'Keefe Communications is based in Washington, DC and is a member of the International Special Events Society and ASAE & The Center for Association Leadership. O'Keefe is also certified as a Women's Business Enterprise.

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