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FIFTH WARD ENRICHMENT PROGRAM, INC.

**FIFTH WARD ENRICHMENT PROGRAM HONORS
BRIDGEWAY CAPITAL'S JOHN MONTGOMERY AT
HEART OF HOUSTON AWARDS LUNCHEON
Wednesday, May 23, 2012**

Houston, Texas (January 19, 2012) - The [Fifth Ward Enrichment Program, Inc.](#) announced today that the non-profit organization would honor John Montgomery, the founder of Bridgeway Capital Management and the Bridgeway family of domestic equity mutual funds at its 14th Annual *Heart of Houston* Awards Luncheon. The annual fundraiser will be held on Wednesday, May 23, 2012 at 11:30 a.m. at The Junior League of Houston, 1811 Briar Oaks Lane, Houston, 77027.

The Fifth Ward Enrichment Program, Inc. is a youth leadership and development program for at-risk males, ages 12 to 19 years old, located in one of Houston's most economically depressed neighborhoods. The *Heart of Houston* award annually recognizes individuals for their tremendous commitment to Houston and its citizens. Previous *Heart of Houston* recipients include former Houston Mayor Lee P. Brown, Houston Texans owner-president, Bob McNair, State Representative Sylvester Turner, Pastor Kirbyjon Caldwell and City Attorney Anthony Hall. Jerome Gray, last year's honoree, will serve as the Master of Ceremonies this year.

John Montgomery, this year's honoree, is well known in the community for his personal philanthropy and business acumen. Bridgeway Capital Management has a high-energy, mission focused, and unique philanthropic culture. Since

inception in 1993, Bridgeway has differentiated itself in the marketplace through financial stewardship, servant leadership, and a policy of donating half its profits to not-for-profit organizations. John is board chairman of both Bridgeway's affiliated foundation, which has a core mission of peacemaking, reconciliation and ending genocide and the British organization, Aegis Trust.

“In both his professional and personal life, John Montgomery embodies the mission of the Fifth Ward Enrichment Program – to be a responsible man and a productive member of his family and community,” stated Charles Savage, Executive Director of the Fifth Ward Enrichment Program, Inc. “His successful firm distinguishes itself in the marketplace with a policy of donating half of its proceeds to not-for-profit organizations. John exemplifies the role model that we encourage our young men to emulate.”

Sponsorships for the *Heart of Houston* event range from \$2,500 to \$15,000, and there will be a limited number of single tickets available. All proceeds from the event will help Fifth Ward Enrichment Program Inc. provide services and programs designed to empower boys to become responsible men and productive members of their families and community – like John Montgomery.

Please contact Connie Whipple at 713-229-8353 or e-mail HOH@FWEPINC.ORG for a sponsor package. Members of the media, contact Susan Schmaeling at 713-349-0780 or susan@saspr.com.

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