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Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASA) of Peoria County Names Advisory Panel Members

Peoria, IL, April 21, 2010—Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASA) of Peoria County recently announced the individuals who comprise the organization's first Advisory Panel. The purpose of the Advisory Panel is to provide insight, guidance and support to the nonprofit organization.

"We're honored to have this group of community leaders involved with CASA. Their unique skills, expertise and dedication to our organization will help drive our growth," said Pamela Perrilles, Executive Director of CASA of Peoria County. "In addition to the 10 members already named to the Advisory Panel, we have plans to expand the panel to include additional leaders who share our mission of serving abused and neglected children and will serve as ambassadors of our mission in the community. We're fortunate to have past board member, Dave Collins, chair this exciting addition to our organization."

The CASA of Peoria County Advisory Panel includes:

- John Amdall – Caterpillar Inc.
- Greg Batton – 1470 WMBD
- Dave Collins – Quinn, Johnston, Henderson, Pretorius & Cerulo
- John Day – John R. Day & Associates, Ltd.
- Guy Goodman – Illinois Central College
- Stan Lynall – LMA Consulting, LLC
- Chris Monroe – CPS Financial Services
- Dean Steiner – Methodist Medical Center
- Gretchen Wirtz – WHOI Channel 19
- Peter Wong – Perpetual Jewel

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About CASA of Peoria County (www.casapeoria.org)

Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASA) of Peoria County is a nonprofit, volunteer organization that advocates for the best interests of abused and neglected children within the Juvenile Court systems. Its existence is based on the belief that every child has the right to a safe and permanent home allowing them the chance to reach their full potential in life. The organization has been serving abused and neglected children since 2005.

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