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Jupiter Volunteer Receives Community Service Award

April 17, 2008 – The Area Agency on Aging of Palm Beach/Treasure Coast, Inc. hosted their 17th annual “Prime Time Awards Breakfast” at the Palm Beach Gardens Marriott this morning. The event recognized senior volunteers from our area.

The Jupiter Police Department nominated three volunteers from its Volunteers in Policing (VIP) program for the ‘Florida Power & Light Community Service Award’. Those nominees were Irwin Bromley, Joe Brugliera and David Erlanger. From our compliment of eighteen volunteers, these three nominees stood out for their leadership qualities and willingness to donate their time without hesitation.

Irwin Bromley was selected, from 95 nominees, to receive the award in recognition of his outstanding volunteer service to the community. Mr. Bromley lives with his wife of 59 years, Adele, in Jupiter. He is a retired comptroller and chief financial officer, as well as being a retired Naval Officer. After participating in the Jupiter Police Department’s Citizens Police Academy in 1998, he joined our VIP program in 1999. He is a member of the first graduating class of our Community Emergency Response Team (C.E.R.T.) and now continues to volunteer as a ham radio instructor for C.E.R.T. classes. He currently participates in the C.E.R.T. on Patrol program, donating time to patrol local neighborhoods. Mr. Bromley also volunteers at the Jupiter Medical Center and the North County Courthouse and has previously volunteered for the IRS preparing tax returns. In 2007, Mr. Bromley volunteered in excess of 200 hours to assist within the Jupiter Police Department. We are privileged to have him as a member of our team.

The ‘Florida Power & Light Community Service Award’ is presented to a currently active senior volunteer involved with one or more non-profit organizations or programs. Mr. Bromley received the award because of his positive impact on the community as a whole.

For more information on our Citizens Police Academy, C.E.R.T. and VIP programs, contact our Community Activities Unit at 561-746-6201.

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