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SALT LAKE INTERFAITH ROUNDTABLE PRESENTS ANNUAL SERVICE AWARDS AT FEBRUARY PRAYER BREAKFAST

Salt Lake City – The Salt Lake Interfaith Roundtable presented awards for community and Roundtable service at the annual Interfaith Month prayer breakfast on February 2, in the downtown Marriott Hotel.

Roundtable Secretary, Elaine Emmi, presented the 2012 Community Award to Safi Safiullah, Librarian of the Salt Lake Downtown Main Library, and his staff, for promoting understanding in our diverse community. Recipients of the Community Award have demonstrated the importance of community connections, including working partnerships, that help strengthen the Roundtable's message of understanding, commonality, and respect.

Roundtable Executive Director, Ivan Cendese, presented the Lifetime Achievement Award to past Board Chair, Brian Farr, recognizing his years of service to the Roundtable. Brian's membership dates from 1999, and the creation of the Olympic Interfaith Roundtable. In presenting the award, Rev. Cendese expressed his appreciation and thanks to Brian "for supporting and strengthening the Interfaith movement by your service and example."

Roundtable Chair, Alan Bachman, presented two "We Can't Live Without You" awards to Interfaith Month Planning Committee Chair Josie Stone, and also to her Business Assistant, Angela Aanerud. The purpose of the award is to recognize the Roundtable's own volunteers' "stellar work in supporting Interfaith Month." This is Ms. Stone's second year as the Planning Committee Chair.

About the Salt Lake Interfaith Roundtable's annual Interfaith Month

2012 marks the tenth anniversary of Interfaith Month and also of the Salt Lake Interfaith Roundtable. The work that began with the 2002 Olympic Interfaith Roundtable in fostering understanding and cooperation among the diverse faith traditions in Utah continues. Interfaith Month is a time for all to come together to promote love, harmony, and understanding among all faith traditions. For information about the Salt Lake Interfaith Roundtable and Interfaith Month events, including the February 26 Musical Tribute at the Salt Lake Tabernacle, please visit www.interfaithroundtable.org.