

BEC honored by ACBR as affiliate member of year

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The Atlanta Commercial Board of Realtors Affiliate of the Year award is given to the affiliate – a company or individual that, while not primarily involved in real estate, has interests in the profession – who has made the greatest contribution of time, energy and resources to the board in the calendar year.

The 2016 winner of this award is Atlanta-based [Business Environments Corp.](#) (BEC), an office furniture sales, furniture management, moving/relocation and cabling company.



Ken Morris, Business Environments Corp.
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The award was made on the basis of BEC's continued involvement as an ACBR annual corporate sponsor; its support of ACBR's fundraising events; and for the assistance the company provided in the renovation of the Frank Carter Board Room at the Atlanta Realtors Center.

"Affiliate members are critical to the success of ACBR, and [BEC chairman and president] [Ken Morris](#) and his team have stepped up time and time again," said [Kristin Lamb](#), ACBR CEO.

"Ken is present at every major board event," Lamb said. "His generous contribution to assist in the renovation of the Frank Carter Board Room was a tremendous gift to the Atlanta Realtors Center, resulting in a beautiful new conference room that will benefit our members for years to come."

Affiliate membership in ACBR provides an opportunity for BEC to give back to the community, according to Morris.

"Our involvement with ACBR is focused on supporting the Atlanta community by helping them raise money at their charitable events," Morris said.

Events include the annual October BrokerFest, which this year raised more than \$60,000 for the Dana G. Smith Cancer Assistance Fund and the Atlanta Realtors Educational Foundation; Spring Fling, whose proceeds were split between Kate's Club and Mary Hall Freedom House; and "Casino Royale," benefitting Andee's Army, which helps children and youth with brain and spinal cord injuries.

"Ken has been a friend of the board for some time," notes [Gregg Metcalf](#), senior vice president at Jones Lang LaSalle and ACBR's 2016 Awards Committee chairman, "and we are grateful to him and his company for their continued support."