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VOLUNTEERS KEY TO SUCCESSFUL 2008 LEGENDS RENO-TAHOE OPEN, JULY 28 – AUG. 3

RENO, Nev. (June 19, 2008) – Each summer, The Legends at Sparks Marina Reno-Tahoe Open relies on hundreds of volunteers to help run northern Nevada's only PGA TOUR Tournament. And this year, the more than 600 volunteers will be lead by volunteer committee chairman, Bill Ferguson. In his role, Ferguson works with the leaders of each of the 16 subcommittees, all aimed at accommodating PGA TOUR players, sponsors, spectators, and Montréux members and their guests, ensuring a positive experience for everyone.

"The Legends Reno-Tahoe Open continues to be a great event every year because of the dedication of our volunteers," said Ferguson. "It's a really fun way for golf enthusiasts to get involved while also allowing them a chance to get up close and personal with some of the best golfers in the world."

Ferguson and the other committee chairs are currently recruiting volunteers for the 2008 Legends Reno-Tahoe Open, July 28 – Aug. 3 at Montréux Golf & Country Club. Duties range from coordinating guest transportation and hotel accommodations to working on the course as walking scorers and Shotlink laser operators collecting data on each shot players make during the round.

"We're very fortunate to have Bill as our volunteer chair for the 2008 tournament," said Michael Stearns, Legends Reno-Tahoe Open tournament director. "We're sure that the passion, dedication and attention to detail that helped him find success in his professional career will translate well into leading our volunteers during the Legends Reno-Tahoe Open. I'm certain that he'll demonstrate the same level of dedication and exactness during this year's event, helping us to achieve our goal of hosting the best tournament in our 10-year history."

Volunteer applications for the 2008 Legends at Sparks Marina Reno-Tahoe Open can be found online at www.LegendsRenoTahoeOpen.com/Volunteers. All volunteer packages include two weekly passes to the event, a volunteer parking pass, two logo'd golf shirts, a Legends Reno-Tahoe Open hat and complimentary meal and beverage during each shift worked. Volunteers also receive an invitation to the annual volunteer party hosted at Montréux Golf & Country Club.

For more information on this year's Legends at Sparks Marina Reno-Tahoe Open, including ticket sales, volunteer and sponsorship opportunities, visit www.LegendsRenoTahoeOpen.com or contact the tournament office at 775-322-3900.

The Legends at Sparks Marina Reno-Tahoe Open, an official PGA TOUR event, celebrates its 10th anniversary July 28 – Aug. 3, 2008 at Montréux Golf & Country Club in Reno, Nev. As the PGA TOUR's only West Coast summer venue, the tournament is a regular full-field stop on the TOUR schedule and is part of the FedExCup series, a points competition for PGA TOUR professionals. The nationally-televised tournament brings in millions of dollars in coverage for the region through its affiliation with The Golf Channel and follows the 132 PGA TOUR professionals competing for a share of the \$3-million purse. The Legends Reno-Tahoe Open is operated and managed by the Reno-Tahoe Open Foundation, comprised of its members including Eldorado Hotel Casino, EMPLOYERS, Montréux Development Group, RED Development, LLC, Reno-Tahoe, America's Adventure Place and Sierra Pacific Resources.

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