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CityNet Wins ITFlorida Excellence in IT Leadership Award

PANAMA CITY, Fla., Dec. 12, 2006 – CityNet, LLC was recognized today by the Bay County Economic Development Alliance for their receipt of the ITFlorida Excellence in IT Leadership Award for the Northwest region of Florida. The award was presented to CityNet President Clif Parker by speaker pro tem Dennis Baxley, at the annual ITFlorida Awards Gala on Dec 7, in Lake Buena Vista.

CityNet President Clif Parker stated, *“I’m excited and honored that CityNet won! Our team has worked hard, and we’ve accomplished many great things this year. It’s nice to know your efforts are noticed by others who understand the challenges we have faced and the obstacles we overcame. Economic development and technology advancement are very important to me, and CityNet has allowed us to accomplish both goals in northwest Florida. Now we are deploying our technology in many places around the globe.”*

Awards were given in five categories including: Excellence in IT Leadership, divided into Florida’s four regions; Excellence in New Business Recruitment; Government Technology Leadership, divided into public and private; Small Business of the Year; and High Growth Company of the year.

Bay County EDA Chairman Sean McNeil said, *“It is wonderful to be able to recognize such a deserving company for their receipt of this award. CityNet is a valuable asset to our community and continues to be a pillar for high-tech growth in Bay County. They are truly part of the wave of the future.”*

ITFlorida is an umbrella, not-for-profit membership organization that represents Florida’s diverse information technology businesses and communities on a statewide basis. ITFlorida advocates for the establishment of rational regulatory regimes and economic development processes to support and enhance Florida’s high tech industries. For more information on ITFlorida visit www.itflorida.com.

The Bay County Economic Development Alliance is a public-private organization whose purpose is to grow Bay County in a way that’s beneficial to its residents. Not to just bring as many businesses as possible to the area, but to foster businesses that are already here and bring quality growth to the areas of our economy which are lacking.

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