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**Resource Title adds MacFarland to Commercial Division**  
***Cleveland title company continues national growth with addition of another experienced VP***

**Cleveland—August 18, 2009** The beat goes on for Independence-based Resource Title Agency, Inc., one of the nation's leading independent real estate services firms, as it adds its sixth experienced commercial executive this year.

John MacFarland, an industry veteran of over twenty years, has joined Resource Title as Senior Vice President, National Commercial Division. MacFarland will spearhead the division's growth into the commercial Real Estate Owned (REO) and default market segments, and take part in developing and servicing more traditional commercial and investment transactions as well.

Resource Title is an independent, family-owned agency which has provided traditional title insurance services since 1984. The company has been servicing the commercial market nationwide for twenty-five years, recently opening a second office in Chicago to serve its commercial customers. The company also offers non-traditional services in the relocation, default and Real Estate Owned (REO) fields. MacFarland's arrival will enhance an already considerable national commercial presence. "John is a well-regarded and respected industry leader," said Andrew Rennell, Executive Vice President. "He comes to us with a well-rounded background, a wide-ranging network and, most importantly, an outlook and approach that perfectly fits our aggressive growth strategy."

MacFarland comes to Resource Title after seven years with a major national underwriter as Vice President, Business Development, Commercial and Investment Real Estate. Before that, he served with two other national underwriters as a Vice President, National Sales and Sales Manager. In all, MacFarland has spent over 20 years in the industry.

“Resource Title is growing while others struggle or tread water,” said MacFarland. “I’m looking forward to playing a key role growing a company which is already an industry leader in many ways.”

MacFarland will be based in the Independence office of Resource Title.

### **About Resource Title Agency, Inc.**

Resource Title Agency, Inc. is an independent, family-owned title agency providing comprehensive title, escrow and closing services to Realtors, real estate agents and brokers, developers, mortgage lenders and home builders. Based in the Cleveland suburb of Independence, Resource Title has been providing a full complement of products and services to customers since 1984, including title insurance, escrow and real estate closing.

With a wide range of clients locally and nationwide, the company prides itself on its ability to customize programs to the individual needs of its customers. In addition to delivering traditional settlement services, Resource Title also offers unique and well-regarded services in the relocation, default and Real Estate Owned (REO) fields. The company also leans on cutting edge technology to streamline all of its processes, resulting in rapid service and negligible claims and error rates.

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