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**HIGHGROVE PARTNERS RECEIVES PROFESSIONAL LANDSCAPE AWARDS FROM
METRO ATLANTA LANDSCAPE AND TURF ASSOCIATION**

(Austell, Georgia, December 22, 2009) – HighGrove Partners is proud to announce that four of its projects have been recognized for excellence by leaders in the green industry. HighGrove Partners has been awarded a Grand Award and three Distinction Awards for Marist School, Mayfair Property Owners Association, a Private Office Building and the City of Stockbridge, respectively, in the 2009 Professional Landscape Awards presented by the Metro Atlanta Landscape and Turf Association (MALTA).

Grand Awards were presented to projects that greatly exceeded all judging criteria and Distinction Awards were presented to projects that were superior overall. MALTA promotes professionalism, adherence to industry standards and education. The association's annual Professional Landscape Awards program serves all three goals.

"Marist School is proud to be chosen to receive the MALTA award for the front entryway designed and constructed by HighGrove. The entire Marist Community is very proud of the front entry way and our chance to display a part of our school mission to Atlanta. The Marist shield on the left column replicates the shield that welcomed visitors on our original downtown Atlanta campus. The Madonna on the right replicates the statue we have currently at the center of our campus. HighGrove partnered with the school to make sure our entryway matched our vision," says Susan Hansen, Vice President of Finance at Marist School.

About MALTA (www.maltalandscape.com)

MALTA is metro Atlanta and Georgia's premier landscape organization for professionals involved in the landscape design, construction, and maintenance industry.

About HighGrove Partners (www.highgrove.net)

Serving the needs of metropolitan Atlanta since 1989, HighGrove Partners provides a comprehensive range of landscape and land development services to office parks, commercial buildings, and institutional and community facilities. Services include landscape architecture, design-build, installation, land development services, maintenance, seasonal color, irrigation and water management.

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