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## **Bryan/College Station Professional Receives Prestigious Award from Statewide Title Industry Association**

AUSTIN – The Texas Land Title Association (TLTA), one of the state’s oldest trade associations, awarded Celia Goode-Haddock, Chairman of the Board/CEO of University Title Company, with the esteemed Title Person of the Year Award during their Annual Conference and Business Meeting in Fort Worth, June 15. The award recognizes significant and longtime contributions to the title industry and the association. It is the highest honor bestowed by TLTA.



“We are honored to present Celia with this prestigious award,” said Leslie Midgley, Executive Vice President and CEO of TLTA. “Celia has been a constant champion for our association and the title industry in Texas. The contributions she has made as part of our association leadership are too many to name and we are privileged to have her among our ranks.”

Goode-Haddock has been an active TLTA member for a number of years. She served on the TLTA Board of Directors in 1990, but was recently called back into duty for another term. She has also served on many TLTA Committees, including the Federal Issues Committee, Legislative Committee and Finance Committee.

From a startup company of two employees in 1973, Goode-Haddock has handled all positions within the company. Under her leadership, University Title has grown to be the largest provider of title insurance in Brazos County. Employing over 55 employees, the company is recognized as one of the largest private business enterprises in the College Station/Bryan community and is well-known in the area as a business leader.

Goode-Haddock was selected the Bryan/College Station Chamber Citizen of the Year in 2004 and Outstanding Alumni of Texas A&M University’s College of Education and Human Development in 2009. One of her most cherished honors is the Bryan/College Station Habitat for Humanity Bubba Moore Lifetime Achievement award and having a street named after her in a local Habitat subdivision.

### **About TLTA**

Founded in 1908 and serving more than 11,000 professionals, the Texas Land Title Association (TLTA) is a statewide trade association representing the land title industry in Texas. TLTA members provide certainty, efficiency and security to real estate transactions by conducting title searches, examinations, closings and issuing title insurance to protect real property owners and mortgage lenders against losses from defects in titles. For more information about TLTA visit [www.tlta.com](http://www.tlta.com).