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REALTOR® Paul Lauschke Honored with Fountain

March 17, 2010 — REALTOR® Paul Lauschke of Paul R. Lauschke & Associates has been honored by Alton Memorial Hospital with a fountain that has been erected in his name in the hospital's Healing Garden. A ceremony took place on March 11 in conjunction with the unveiling of the new Duncan Wing of the hospital.

Paul served as a board member of Alton Memorial Hospital for 40 years and was Board Chairman from 1995 until his retirement early this year. He will continue to serve as Chairman of the Alton Memorial Health Services Foundation's Board of Directors. Paul has been an active member of the Greater Gateway Association of REALTORS® since its inception in 1998.

The Healing Garden is a serene area adorned with plants, benches, and the fountain located outside the hospital entrance that recognizes gifts from employees, volunteers, and medical staff to the "Building the Best Care Close to Home" campaign.

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