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**ARIZONA CARDINAL MIKE LEACH HEADLINES
2010 SUNSET SHOW LEADERSHIP LIVE**

TUCSON, AZ (February 25, 2010) – United Way of Tucson & Southern Arizona has announced that the third annual Young Leaders Society Sunset Show Leadership LIVE event will be held on Tuesday, March 2, 2010. One of the premier leadership networking events for young professionals in Tucson, Leadership LIVE will be held from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. at the Westin La Paloma Resort & Spa.

The black-tie optional event is an opportunity for local young professionals to meet equally motivated peers and to gain access to many of Tucson's top philanthropic leaders. Heavy hors d'oeuvres and a no-host bar will be available. Cost of the event for Young Leaders Society (YLS) members is \$25 (plus a guest) and \$40 per person for non-members.

"The Sunset Show offers local young professionals the chance to interact with many of Tucson's top business leaders and to learn about what the Young Leaders Society has to offer," said Julie Wolfe-Beadle, United Way Vice President of Resource Development.

The highlight of Leadership LIVE will be conversations with Arizona Cardinals long snapper Mike Leach and Lynne Wood Dusenberry, Interim Vice President for Legal Affairs & Interim General Counsel for the University of Arizona. The guest speakers will be interviewed during the evening's variety show segment, where they will answer questions about their personal philanthropy, leadership and professional experiences. They will also offer personal advice to the next generation of young leaders.

"We are excited to once again bring Tucson's diverse young talent and established philanthropic leaders together for a night of business networking and great conversation," said Wolfe-Beadle.

In addition, the winner of the 2010 Young Leader of the Year Award will be honored during Leadership LIVE. The Young Leader of the Year Award was established in 2008 to recognize an individual who has emerged as a community leader and exemplifies the mission of UWTSA through a demonstrated commitment to volunteerism, philanthropy and leadership in the areas of Education, Income and Health.

The United Way Young Leaders Society is an organization of passionate young professionals who are actively seeking ways to Connect, Serve & Lead to make a positive and lasting impact throughout our community.

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Sunset Show Leadership LIVE Guest Speakers

- **Mike Leach** is the Long Snapper for the Arizona Cardinals. He attended Jefferson Township High School in Jefferson Township, N.J., where he was a first-team All-State selection as a punter. In basketball, Leach graduated as the all-time leading scorer and rebounder in Jefferson Township High School history. Leach attended Boston University (1995–1997) and The College of William & Mary (1998–2000). During his junior season, Leach earned AP second-team All-America and second-team All-Atlantic 10 honors. As a senior, Leach earned first-team Walter Camp All-American honors at tight end as a senior. Mike was signed by the Tennessee Titans as an undrafted free agent in 2000. He signed a three-year contract with the Cardinals as a free agent on 3/12/09 after spending the last seven seasons with the Denver Broncos. In 2008, Leach was a finalist for the Broncos' "Walter Payton Man of the Year" award.
- **Lynne Wood Dusenberry** has been a part of the University of Arizona community for more than 30 years. A proud Wildcat, Lynne has served as legal adviser and University Attorney for her alma mater since 1979. In 2005, she was named Deputy General Counsel. Prior to joining the University of Arizona, Ms. Wood served on active duty with the U.S. Navy as a legal assistance officer and member of the Judge Advocate General's Corps in Pearl Harbor and San Diego. She also served for 20 years in the U.S. Naval Reserve's Judge Advocate General's Corps, retiring with the rank of commander in 1996.

Sunset Show Leadership LIVE Hosts

- **Larry Finuf** is the Regional President for Wells Fargo in Greater Arizona and oversees more than 1,080 Wells Fargo team members and the operations of 78 locations in Arizona, including Retail Banking, Marketing, and Strategic Planning. Finuf is a graduate of the University of Washington Pacific Coast Banking School and the University of Arizona Executive Development Program at the Karl Eller School of Management. He has received numerous awards from Wells Fargo for his management excellence, and recently completed Wells Fargo's Executive Leadership Program. The elite program is limited each year to 20 Wells Fargo managers who have been identified for their potential to move into the highest level of the company's corporate executive positions.
- **Dr. Taylor Lawrence** is a Raytheon Company Vice President and President of its Missile Systems business, a position he assumed in July 2008. With a workforce of 12,500 employees and 2008 sales of \$5.4 billion, Raytheon Missile Systems is the world's leading producer of weapon systems for the United States military and the allied forces of more than 50 countries. Dr. Lawrence holds a bachelor's degree in physics from the California Institute of Technology and a master's degree in applied physics from Stanford University. He earned his Ph.D. in applied physics from Stanford in 1992. In 1996, Dr. Lawrence was honored with the Secretary of Defense Medal for Meritorious Civilian Service.