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OTTEN JOHNSON SPONSORS THE 2012 ROCKY MOUNTAIN LAND USE INSTITUTE (RMLUI) CONFERENCE

Denver, Colorado – Otten Johnson Robinson Neff + Ragonetti PC (Otten Johnson) is pleased to announce that they are the Summit Sponsor of the 2012 Rocky Mountain Land Use Institute (RMLUI) annual conference. The conference theme is “The Wilderness City: Nature, Culture and Economy in the Next West” and is being held at DU’s Sturm College of Law, on March 1 & 2, 2012.

Since its inception in 1992, RMLUI has served as a prominent convener and educator of lawyers, planners, policymakers and other professionals in the environmental, land use and real estate development fields. Otten Johnson has been a supporter of RMLUI since its creation and a consistent underwriter of their annual conference. The conference is a nationally renowned event that attracts land use planners, architects, engineers and municipal officials who value the Institute’s focus on practical approaches to balanced land use.

“The RMLUI is a truly valuable organization and one that I am proud to be a part of,” stated Tom Ragonetti, president of Otten Johnson and founding member of the firm.

Mr. Ragonetti, in addition to being one of the founders of RMLUI, is considered to be one of the preeminent land use attorneys in Colorado and the Rocky Mountain region. His practice is focused on land use, government regulation, public-private transactions and related matters. He is a recognized specialist in land use planning and regulation, public finance for private development, annexation, urban development, zoning and historic preservation.

The Rocky Mountain Land Use Institute seeks to elevate the law, policy and practice of sustainable development in the West to promote nature-friendly, prosperous and equitable communities. Through innovative research, education and professional development programs and its renowned annual conference, the Institute trains and connects students and professionals across disciplines, sectors and regions to build the sustainable development field while creating new possibilities for the future of the West’s landscapes and livelihoods. For more information on the RMLUI <http://www.law.du.edu/index.php/rmlui>.

Otten Johnson is a leading commercial law firm in Colorado, highly regarded for its real estate and land use practices. Our attorneys work with clients in a wide array of industries, with a particular emphasis on finding real world, business-minded solutions. In the real estate industry, Otten Johnson's clients include owners, developers, builders, investors, banks and financial institutions, commercial tenants, managers and brokers, whether in the multi-family, residential subdivision, office, retail, hotel and resort, mixed-use, or industrial sectors. The firm provides legal services related to real estate and business transactions, financing, land use and entitlement matters, urban renewal and other public/private partnerships, mergers and acquisitions, tax, eminent domain, regulatory compliance, workouts, restructuring, bankruptcy, and commercial litigation. For more information about Otten Johnson Robinson Neff + Ragonetti PC, please contact Heather Baker at hbaker@ottenjohnson.com or visit our website: www.ottenjohnson.com.

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