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American Land Title Association Awards Allentown Resident "National Title Professional" Designation

Washington, D.C., April 10, 2013 — The <u>American Land Title Association</u> (ALTA), the national trade association of the land title insurance industry, announced today it has awarded Phil Janny with Plunkett & Graver, P.C. of Allentown, Pennsylvania a "National Title Professional" designation.

The National Title Professional (NTP) Designation recognizes land title professionals who demonstrate the knowledge, experience, and dedication essential to the safe and efficient transfer of real property.*

"We are pleased to award Phil a National Title Professional designation," said ALTA president Frank Pellegrini. "This designation is evidence of Phil's dedication, experience, and knowledge in the land title industry. Phil's professionalism and integrity within the land title industry is exemplary."

Janny has been a title insurance agent in Allentown, Pennsylvania, since 1989. Janny was named a certified land title professional in 2007 by the Pennsylvania Land Title Association (PLTA). Janny remains involved in the PLTA Executive Committee serving most recently as president from 2011 to 2012.

The designation has several elements, including industry and compliance prerequisites and training requirements. To apply for the NTP designation and for more information, please visit the <u>ALTA's NTP website</u>.

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About ALTA

The <u>American Land Title Association</u>, founded in 1907, is the national trade association representing nearly 4,200 title insurance companies, title agents, independent abstracters, title searchers, and attorneys. With offices throughout the United States, ALTA members conduct title searches, examinations, closings, and issue title insurance that protects real property owners and mortgage lenders against losses from defects in titles.

*Designation under the National Title Professional Program solely demonstrates that a land title professional has met the particular standards and criteria of the National Title Professional Program. Neither the American Land Title Association, nor the designation itself, guarantees or warrants anything beyond a designee's ability to meet such standards or criteria. The American Land Title Association makes no representations, warranties, or guarantees as to, and has and assumes no responsibility for the proper performance of land title services, including but not limited to the transfer of real property, or related services provided by designees.