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*GEORGE VRADENBURG, President, Vradenburg
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Mr. Vradenburg is a prime example of the “encore career”. Nominally retired since 2003, he is a civic activist, driven by an insatiable curiosity, a wide range of interests and a passion for public service (though not public office) and a determination to “make a difference”.

He currently serves as Chairman of the Board of The Phillips Collection (the nation’s first modern art museum), the Geoffrey Beene Foundation-Alzheimer's Initiative (committed to the early diagnosis and treatment of Alzheimer's disease) and the DC Education Compact (dedicated to fostering student success for DC public school students). Additionally, Mr. Vradenburg currently serves as Vice Chairman of the Chesapeake Crescent Initiative (a public/private collaboration involving Maryland, Virginia, the District of Columbia and the Federal Government focused on life science, energy and security). He serves on the board of The Greater Washington Board of Trade, the Washington Scholarship Fund and DC Children First (supporting Opportunity Scholarships to private schools for low-income kids in DC). Mr. Vradenburg is also a member of the Council on Foreign Relations and the Economic Club of Washington. Mr. Vradenburg previously chaired The Potomac Conference (a regional leadership organization of the business, civic and public sectors) and the Alliance for Regional Stewardship (a national nonprofit committed to more effective regional decision-making). Previous board positions have included Vice Chair of the INOVA Health System Foundation, Human Rights First and the Survivors’ Fund (serving families of 9/11 victims at the Pentagon). He is also a member of the Private Sector Senior Advisory Committee of the Department of Homeland Security's Homeland Security Advisory Council; and he has founded business and nonprofit Task Forces on Emergency Preparedness for the Greater Washington Region. With his wife Trish, Mr. Vradenburg founded and co-chairs the National Alzheimer’s Gala and the Alzheimer’s Action PAC and publishes Tikkun Magazine (a Jewish and Interfaith Critique of Politics, Culture & Society).

In recognition of his community service, Mr. Vradenburg has received the Outstanding Community Leadership Award, the Golden Links Award from the Greater Washington Board of Trade and the Bridge Builders Award from the Partners for Livable Communities.

Prior to December 2003, Mr. Vradenburg was Strategic Advisor, AOL Time Warner, having served in senior executive positions at AOL, AOL Time Warner and Time Warner. In those positions, Mr. Vradenburg set the Company’s strategy to create a policy framework designed to foster the Internet’s global economic, social and civic value. Before joining America Online, Mr. Vradenburg served as Senior Vice President and General Counsel of CBS Inc. and Executive Vice President of Fox, Inc. He then launched the Entertainment & Media Practice Group of the law firm of Latham & Watkins.

Mr. Vradenburg received his B.A. from Oberlin College, magna cum laude, where he was elected to Phi Beta Kappa, and his J.D. cum laude from Harvard Law School. His wife, Trish, is a TV sitcom writer, a playwright, book author and magazine and newspaper columnist; his daughter, Alissa, is a Talent Manager in Los Angeles, and his son, Tyler, is a high school teacher, guidance counselor and football coach in Chicago. Mr. Vradenburg has four beautiful grandchildren under the age of 4-years-old. They are all on their way to Harvard.