



**THE CONTINENTAL GROUP PROMOTES JIM TACCONE
TO DISTRICT MANAGER**

HOLLYWOOD, Fla. – (January 30, 2009) – The Continental Group, the largest property management company in Florida, announced the promotion of Jim Taccone to district manager for the Palm Beach Region. In this role, Taccone is charged with overseeing and maintaining positive relationships with 81 communities and helping Continental increase its presence in the area.

A licensed community association manager, Taccone most recently served as portfolio manager for Wellington Management Inc., a Continental subsidiary, where he was responsible for managing operations for 12 communities since 2005. Taccone previously was vice president and financial manager for Sunberry-Crestview Estates Mobile Home Park in Rochester, N.Y.

Taccone earned his bachelor's degree in management from St. John Fisher College in Rochester in 2004. He serves as treasurer for West Palm Beach Junior Academy, a local private school.

Founded in 1990, The Continental Group's corporate headquarters is located in Hollywood, Fla. It also has regional offices in Kendall, West Palm Beach, Orlando, St. Petersburg and Jacksonville. The company is the largest manager of multifamily rental communities and condominium and homeowner associations in the state, and one of South Florida's leading private sector employers. Today, The Continental Group manages and maintains more than 1,300 condominium and homeowner associations in Florida, representing over 310,000 residential units.

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