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At-A-Glance

What:

Announce Terry McAdam
Book Award

Who:

*Chief Executive Transitions:
How to Hire and Support a
Nonprofit CEO* by Don Tebbe

When:

Wednesday, July 15th, 7pm –
8:30pm PST

Where:

LaQuinta Club & Resort, Palm
Springs, California

Why:

This book includes all the tools
necessary to guide a board
through a CEO transition and
ensure an organization's future
impact and continued success.

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2009 TERRY McADAM BOOK AWARD RECIPIENT ANNOUNCED

WASHINGTON, DC – The Alliance for Nonprofit Management is thrilled to recognize Don Tebbe, author of *Chief Executive Transitions: How to Hire and Support a Nonprofit CEO* as the recipient of the 2009 Terry McAdam Book Award.

Nominations were submitted by the Alliance's network of over 1,500 nonprofits, consultants and capacity builders. "This year's pool of exceptional candidates reflects the growing and vibrant field of experts in nonprofit management," said Summer Spencer, Alliance Acting Executive Director. "The profound and cutting edge thinking arising from the nonprofit sector and authors like Don Tebbe indicates the positive change emerging in our industry, even in these most trying economic times."

Each year, the Terry McAdam Book Award is made in honor of Terry McAdam, an Alliance founder who devoted his life to improving the nonprofit management field and urged nonprofit practitioners and academicians to write about the nonprofit sector so that it is better understood. Since 1989, the award has recognized books that make a substantial contribution to the improvement of nonprofit management. The award brings to center stage the top books in the field of nonprofit management and capacity building.

Published by BoardSource in 2008, *Chief Executive Transitions* is the first guide written expressly for nonprofit boards facing a turnover of their CEO. It offers a comprehensive process to help boards navigate the hiring process and oversee a successful leadership transition.

Tebbe said, "Winning the 2009 McAdams Book Award is extremely gratifying, but the real credit goes to the hundreds of nonprofit boards who, over the past 15 years, have invited me and my TransitionGuides colleagues to help guide them during the most critical decision most board will ever make – the selection and installation of a new CEO."

Mr. Tebbe was recognized during a reception **at the Alliance Annual Conference, on July 15th from 7:00pm – 8:30pm at the LaQuinta Club and Resort in Palm Springs, California.**

A description of all Alliance awards can be found [here](#). For more information, contact Summer Spencer at (202) 494-7374 or sspencer@allianceonline.org.

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