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### **E9-1-1 Institute Honors FCC Chairman for 9-1-1 Leadership**

The E9-1-1 Institute has chosen Federal Communications Chairman Kevin Martin as the recipient of the 2006 E9-1-1 Institute "Federal Government Leader" award.

This award recognizes the Federal government leader that has demonstrated leadership capabilities of 9-1-1 emergency communications. As an FCC Commissioner, and now as Chairman, Chairman Martin has made the deployment of E9-1-1 one of his highest priorities.

Gregory L. Rohde, executive director of the E9-1-1- Institute, said "Chairman Martin has show remarkable leadership this past year with regards to emergency communications issues, specifically E9-1-1. His dedication to improving our nation's 9-1-1 systems is greatly appreciated and we are proud to salute his leadership."

The award will be presented at a March 8th ceremony in Washington, D.C.

**About the E9-1-1 Institute.** The E9-1-1 Institute ([www.e911institute.org](http://www.e911institute.org)) is a not-for-profit organization, which provides administrative and policy support to the Congressional E9-1-1 Caucus. The purpose of the E9-1-1 Institute is to promote public education and awareness of E9-1-1 and emergency communications issues and serve the Congressional E9-1-1 Caucus as a clearinghouse of information on E9-1-1 and emergency communications issues. Gregory L. Rohde, former Administrator of the National Telecommunications and Information Administration, serves as the E9-1-1 Institute's Executive Director.

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