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President of HARP wins Prestigious Industry Association's 2016 Chairman's Award

Vienna, Virginia – Andrea C. McCarthy, the President of HARP, a business growth services company headquartered in Vienna, Virginia, was named as a 2016 AFCEA Bethesda Chairman's Award winner. The award was announced at a June 9, 2016, Chapter breakfast meeting attended by several hundred information technology executives and Federal Government leaders.

Active for many years with AFCEA including serving on the current Board of Directors, Ms. McCarthy was recognized specifically for her leadership of the AFCEA Bethesda "Night for the Children" Gala. That event, held on April 9, 2016, in Washington, D.C., benefitted three worthy local charities: House of Ruth, the Hope for Henry Foundation and Children of Fallen Soldiers Relief Fund. For 17 years, AFCEA Bethesda has supported charitable-giving raising more than \$6 million for charities dedicated to the health, welfare, and education of children.

The Chapter's Chairman's award is bestowed upon those who "have gone above and beyond the call of duty, provided leadership, and made significant contributions often across multiple programs and over many years of service."

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