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NEWS RELEASE

IAEM-Canada Announces the Winners of the 2011 IAEM-Canada Council Awards Competition

Aug. 2, 2011 (Falls Church, Va.) – The Canada Council of the International Association of Emergency Managers (IAEM) has announced the winners of the 2011 IAEM-Canada Awards Competition.

The **IAEM-Canada Public Awareness Awards** recognize outstanding public awareness programs or public education products related to emergency management, homeland security, and/or disaster preparedness. The 2011 award winner is:

IAEM-Canada Public Awareness Award (Division 1, Local Emergency Management Agency)

- **First Place: Victoria (BC) Emergency Management Agency** for its “Prepare Victoria” public awareness campaign.

The **IAEM-Canada Technology & Innovation Awards** recognize the development of technology and innovation to improve emergency management operations, public education, or the emergency management/homeland security field. The 2011 award winner is:

IAEM-Canada Technology & Innovation Award (Division 2, State, Regional, National Government, International, or Nonprofit Organization)

- **First Place: Justice Institute of British Columbia School of Public Safety and Security, Emergency Management Division**, for “My Emergency Management Resources,” an online library of free educational and operational emergency management resources.

Learn more about the IAEM Council and Global Awards Competitions at www.iaem.com/Awards, where the 2012 Call for Entries will be posted in Spring 2012.

The International Association of Emergency Managers (IAEM), which has more than 5,000 members in 58 countries, is a non-profit educational organization dedicated to promoting the goals of saving lives and protecting property during emergencies and disasters. IAEM provides: access to the largest network of emergency management experts who can provide advice and assistance; the Certified Emergency Manager® program; annual scholarships; a comprehensive monthly newsletter; and more. Visit www.iaem.com for details.