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A SUCCESSFUL FIRST YEAR FOR OCEAN PARK REALTY

Ocean Park, Maine – Ocean Park Realty (OPR), a subsidiary corporation of the Ocean Park Association, recently completed its first full summer season of providing real estate services to the Ocean Park community and throughout southern Maine. Under the leadership of Broker Madeleine (Maddie) L. Paquette, OPR has brokered sales in the York County communities of Biddeford, Saco, and Old Orchard Beach. In addition, Ocean Park Realty tripled its inventory of seasonal vacation rentals and provided 268 weeks of summer rentals in the lovely coastal neighborhood of Ocean Park. “We are thrilled with the great response to this new business venture for the Ocean Park Association,” proclaimed OPA Managing Director Tonya Robles. “Having Maddie on the team is a big achievement for the organization.” With the highest level of licensure with full broker status, Maddie brings to the position an impressive business background with several years of experience selling and renting residential real estate in the Saco Bay area.

When asked why she decided to accept the offer to start Ocean Park Realty, Madeleine said, "I am impressed with the uniqueness of the entire Ocean Park community – the people, the programs, the properties. With no other real estate agency located in Ocean Park, I think there is the opportunity to grow the business quickly by proving to everyone that their needs will be met in a sensitive, yet professional manner. Whether someone is selling, buying or renting, the key is to listen to what they have to say so that I can understand their objectives. I have quickly come to understand why people love being here in Ocean Park, and I look forward to a long-lasting relationship."

Ocean Park Realty’s prime location within the business district ensures a substantial amount of foot traffic from those interested in both sales and rentals. Home sales conducted through Ocean Park Realty provide a source of revenue to the non-profit Ocean Park Association. OPR currently has sales listings in Biddeford and Saco. And with a waiting list of over 100 families for summer rentals, Ocean Park Realty is well-poised for another successful season in 2007.

In 2006 Ocean Park, a Chautauqua community, celebrated its 125th anniversary of providing cultural, educational, religious, and recreational programs. Visit the website at www.oceanpark.org. The realty website is www.oceanparkrealty.com.

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