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CONGRATULATIONS RPAC HALL OF FAME CLASS OF 2008

- **Good evening!**
 - **This is a packed week of special events and important meetings.**
 - **But I particularly wanted to make it here tonight to honor and celebrate the 54 new members of the RPAC Hall of Fame, Class of 2008.**
 - **In fact, our own CEO Dale Stinton, is a part of this special class of donors.**

- **The commitment you’ve made to the REALTOR® organization and to supporting candidates who place a high priority on housing is no less than extraordinary.**

- **By reviewing this past year alone, we can see just how important it is to have advocates for housing on Capitol Hill.**

- **Because when we’re talking about what’s good for housing, we’re talking about what’s good for:**

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- **our businesses**
 - **our industry**
 - **and our nation.**
- **You have answered the call to get involved and to personally invest yourself, all to benefit the real estate community.**
- **On behalf of all REALTORS® and the NAR leadership and staff, I want to thank you and welcome you to the RPAC Hall of Fame.**
- **We are immeasurably grateful.**
 - **I hope your name on this wall—overlooking the stunning Capitol Building—is enough of a gesture to say we “thank you.”**
 - **Congratulations!**