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### **2010 Phi Kappa Sigma Alumnus of the Year Award Recipient: James S. "Jim" Broadhurst, Psi Chapter (Penn State University) 1965**

Phi Kappa Sigma International Fraternity is pleased to announce that its recipient of the Fraternity's 2010 Alumnus of the Year Award is James S. "Jim" Broadhurst.

Jim Broadhurst has been an advocate for fraternities and Greek Life throughout his career, and exemplifies a commitment to the values and ideals of the fraternal movement and Phi Kappa Sigma. Jim's efforts were vital to the recent re-colonization of the Psi Chapter of the Fraternity at Penn State.

Jim is Chairman of Eat'n Park Hospitality Group, a provider of diversified food services to nearly 200 facilities throughout the mid-Atlantic region. A 1965 graduate of The Pennsylvania State University, Jim was named the University's 1994 Alumni Fellow by the College of Health and Human Development. He received the 1997 Distinguished Alumnus Award from Penn State and was chosen to serve as the Conti Distinguished Professor at Penn State in 1999. He most recently served as Chairman of the Board of Trustees of Penn State where he continues to serve as a Trustee. He also served as Chairman of the University's major capital campaign, "A Grand Destiny: The Penn State Campaign" which raised nearly \$1.4 billion.

Jim also holds a Masters in Business Administration from the University of Pittsburgh, where he received the Distinguished Alumnus Award from the Katz Graduate School of Business.

Jim is actively involved in the western Pennsylvania community, serving on numerous boards and committees, including the Board of the Allegheny Conference on Community Development, the Advisory Council of the University of Pittsburgh Cancer Institute, and as an Emeritus Director of the National Restaurant Association. He previously served on the Board of National City Corporation. He also served as Chairman of the Board of The Pittsburgh Foundation, Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh, and the United Way of Allegheny County.

Jim has earned numerous awards for his professional and civic accomplishments including an Honorary Doctorate from Robert Morris University, the Hospitality Executive of the Year from the Penn State Hotel & Restaurant Society, the Pennsylvania Restaurant Association's Restaurateur of the Year Award and the Keystone Award, the Man of the Year Award and the Richard S. Caliguiri Award both from Vectors/Pittsburgh, the National Kidney Foundation Gift of Life Corporate Award, the

American Red Cross Humanitarian Award, the Workplace Legacy Award from the People Report, and the Golden Achievement Award from Junior Achievement. Together, Jim and his wife Suzy were the recipients of the "For Love of Community" Award from WQED, the Persons of Vision Award from the Pittsburgh Blind Association, the B'nai Zion Humanitarian Award, and the Art Rooney Award from Catholic Youth Association.

Jim is a native of Titusville, Pennsylvania, where he was inducted into the Titusville High School Sports Hall of Fame.

Jim and Suzy have three sons who all work for Eat'n Park Hospitality Group.

Phi Kappa Sigma International Fraternity is honored to be able to extend this award upon Brother Broadhurst, and the entire Fraternity looks forward to presenting the award in person to Jim at the 2010 Grand Chapter in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, July 22-25, 2010.

### **About Phi Kappa Sigma Fraternity**

The Phi Kappa Sigma Fraternity was founded August 16, 1850, at the University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia. The purpose of Phi Kappa Sigma is “the promotion of good fellowship and the cultivation of the social virtues among our members; the protection of just rights and the advancement of the best interests, present and future, individual and collective, of all those who shall be associated together as members of this Fraternity; the encouragement of good scholarship and the breadth of training for our members; and cooperation in the educational and cultural programs of institutions of higher education in which our Chapters are located.” [www.pks.org](http://www.pks.org)