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**BRIGHT HOUSE NETWORKS ANNOUNCES \$20,000 “WORTH OF MOUTH” LOCAL CONTEST WINNERS**

Bakersfield, California- Bright House Networks announced today that there are two local winners of the “Worth of Mouth” online contest conducted by Road Runner High Speed Online. Each winner receives \$10,000 cash. The national online refer a friend contest was held June 4 through August 31, 2004. Road Runner High Speed Online customers received an email, which they could forward to family and friends. The email explained the contest rules and benefits of the service. By forwarding the email the customer and their friend were automatically entered to win \$10,000 dollars each.

Bright House Networks of Bakersfield will be presenting checks to the winners on Tuesday, November 9, 2004 at 11:00 am at 3701 N. Sillect Ave, Bakersfield, California. The media is invited to attend the presentation ceremony.

Bright House Networks Road Runner customers can experience the newest game sites, surf the Internet or shop online at speeds up to 70x faster than dial-up. The standard upstream speed is 384 Kbps (Kilobits per second) and maximum downstream speed is 3 Mbps (Megabits per second).

Bright House Networks is managed by Advance/Newhouse Communications and serves over 2 million customers in cable television systems in and around Tampa Bay, Central Florida, Indianapolis, Birmingham, Bakersfield and Detroit, along with several smaller systems in Alabama and the Florida Panhandle. The company also exclusively provides Central Florida News 13 and Bay News 9, 24-hour local news stations in Central Florida and the Tampa Bay area. Advance/Newhouse Communications is a privately held company headquartered in Syracuse, New York. The Advance/Newhouse partners’ other interests include *Conde’Nast* and *Fairchild* magazines, *PARADE* magazine, daily newspapers serving 26 cities, American City Business Journals, which publishes business journals in over 45 cities, Advance Internet and CondeNet, producers of online services, and significant interests in Discovery Communications, Inc. and Time Warner Telecom, Inc.

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