

**MEYER JABARA HOTELS TO ADD THREE PROPERTIES
BEFORE THE END OF 2009**

*Despite Tough Economy, Company to Open Hotels
In Florida's Amelia Island, New York City and Bethlehem, PA*

Danbury, CT – In spite of the soft economy and challenging real estate market, Meyer Jabara Hotels will open three new properties before the end of 2009.

The Residence Inn Amelia Island will be the company's second Florida property when it opens August 17. Located a short distance from the beach, the 133 room extended stay property will be the first Residence Inn in the Meyer Jabara portfolio and the eighth Marriott property owned or managed by the company. The hotel will position itself as "Amelia Island's Treasure."

Scheduled for a Fall 2009 opening is the 64-room Flatiron Hotel in New York City. This boutique property, located at Broadway and 26th Street in the famous Flatiron District, is a creative reuse of an early 20th-Century office building and will feature a rooftop lounge with a spectacular view of the Empire State Building. The two-story glass-walled lobby will feature a 25,000 gallon aquarium with a wrap around staircase. Hand-finished plaster walls will be a distinctive element of the guestrooms. With just eight rooms per floor, the Flatiron Hotel will offer a unique experience in a distinct neighborhood.

Meyer Jabara will also open its first Hyatt property, with the planned Fall 2009 opening of the 124-room Hyatt Place in downtown Bethlehem, Pennsylvania. The hotel is a joint venture with Posh Properties of Bethlehem, PA. Meyer Jabara Hotels has a long standing presence in the Lehigh Valley and the distinctive Hyatt Place property joins the Marriott Courtyard Bethlehem which Meyer Jabara opened in 2008. Both hotels will benefit from their proximity to the new Sands Casino which opened in May.

The company's president, Richard Jabara, sees more opportunities. "We have the management team, a talent pool of great associates and the support infrastructure in place now, to take on more properties in the role of third party managers," said Jabara. "As ownerships analyze the performance of their hotel assets, Meyer Jabara Hotels is a company with a 35-year track record of solid hotel management that they will look to."

Meyer Jabara is actively looking for development opportunities through both equity interests and a renewed emphasis on third party management agreements. The company is based in Danbury Connecticut and West Palm Beach Florida.

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