

## **PRESS RELEASE**

### **Log Haven Inducted into *Salt Lake Magazine's* 2009 Dining Awards "Dining Hall of Fame"**

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At this week's *Salt Lake Magazine* 2009 Dining Awards, Log Haven was the recipient of the magazine's highest award: induction into their "Dining Hall of Fame."

Log Haven is only the 3<sup>rd</sup> restaurant to receive this prestigious award and joins *Red Iguana* and *Mazza* as members of a select club of perennial winners, deemed by *Salt Lake Magazine* (April 2008) as "places (that) have achieved such consistent excellence that they deserve an award just for winning awards." *Salt Lake Magazine* instituted its Dining Hall of Fame as an award for consistent winners of their dining awards. States Mary Brown Malouf, *Salt Lake Magazine's* Food Editor: "This is the highest honor we can give a restaurant in Utah. It means that besides having great food, terrific ambiance and passionate people, something magical has happened to make this restaurant so consistently excellent on all fronts that it thrives as an inspiration to everyone in the business."

Margo Provost, Log Haven's Owner/Operator, comments "I am honored that *Salt Lake Magazine* recognizes Log Haven as a perennial 'Best of the Best' in all categories by inducting us into their Hall of Fame. It was even more exciting to see so many restaurants win an individual category award for the first time. The energy and enthusiasm from our industry is inspiring to all of us... from veterans to newcomers."

#### **About Log Haven:**

Log Haven has a veritable scroll of national awards and media mentions. The Zagat Survey calls Log Haven an "unsurpassed, spectacular mountain setting," and raves about the restaurant's "consistently innovative and delicious American-eclectic cuisine." Log Haven has garnered top Mobil, Four Diamond and Zagat rankings and Awards of Excellence from *Wine Spectator* and DiRoNA and has also won numerous Best of State awards, including "Best Fine Dining" medals from 2003-2008 and "Best Restaurant" statues in 2004, 2006 and 2007. Along with the 2009 Hall of Fame award, *Salt Lake Magazine* has awarded Log Haven "Best Restaurant (Canyon)," "Best Romantic Restaurant" and "Best Ambience." Salt Lake Area Chamber of Commerce named the restaurant "Small Business of the Year" and area food critics call it, "Quite possibly the finest restaurant in the state."

Log Haven, long synonymous with warm fires, wildflowers, waterfalls and fine canyon dining, is located in a historic log mansion in the Wasatch National Forest, just 20 minutes from downtown Salt Lake City. Established in 1994 by Margo Provost, Log Haven specializes in seasonal American cuisine and is open 364 days a year (closed on Christmas Day).

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