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Board of County Commissioners

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Commissioners Sworn In for New Terms

Shalimar – On Saturday evening at the Okaloosa Republican Club Christmas Party, it was announced that Commissioner Carolyn Ketchel was the recipient of the Mike Mitchell Award MVP given to the most valuable politician each year. She was recognized for her many accomplishments to Okaloosa County since taking office four years ago. She is the first female politician to receive this award.

“I feel honored to be the first woman to receive this prestigious award,” Commissioner Ketchel said upon her receipt of the award.

Pictured with Commissioner Ketchel are past recipients including Ben Anderson Okaloosa County Tax Collector, Former county commissioner Mike Mitchell for whom the award is named, Rep. Jerry Melvin, President of the Ok. Co. Rep. Club, past recipients School Board President Dr. Lamar White and former Senate President Don Gaetz.

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