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Dallas Market Strong for Collector Cars

Tulsa, OK (December 15, 2009) – The Dallas Leake Collector Car Show & Auction racked up over \$5.6 million in total sales during their 2009 auction. This year's auction held at Dallas Market Hall, November 20-22, had thousands of car enthusiasts throughout Texas and the surrounding area attended.

The Dallas auction – the largest collector car show and auction in Texas - featured over 500 cars across the auction block, including Cadillacs, Corvettes, Camaros, Shelys, Thunderbirds, Mustangs, Mopars and other vintage, collector, muscle and specialty vehicles. A total of 269 cars were sold during the three day auction, with a 52 percent sales rate.

"Dallas continues to have one of the strongest-performing economic areas in the US," said Richard Sevenoaks, president of Leake Auction Company. "Buyers and sellers came to do business and the results show this. Texas is a great place to do business."

This year's top selling car was a 2005 Ford GT, which sold for \$154,000. Other top cars included a 1955 Chevrolet Resto Mod, which sold for \$99,000, a 1965 Pontiac GTO, which sold for \$93,500 and a 1961 Chevrolet Corvette, selling at \$90,200. All of the auction's results are available online at www.leakecar.com.

Car enthusiasts who were not successful in winning the bid in Dallas can bid on other collector cars at the Leake Collector Car Show & Auction in Oklahoma City or San Antonio. The Oklahoma City show will be held February 19-20, 2010 on the Oklahoma City Fairgrounds in the Cox Pavilion. The San Antonio show will be held this spring.

Leake Auction Company was established in 1964 as one of the first car auctions in the country. More than 40 years later the auction company has sold more than 32,000 cars. Leake Auction Company currently operates auctions in Tulsa, Oklahoma City, Dallas, Houston and San Antonio

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