Hunt Companies Named One Of The Country's Largest Apartment Firms

El Paso, TX – (April 6, 2012) – Hunt Companies earned national recognition today by making the National Multi Housing Council's (NMHC) 2012 NMHC 50, the annual ranking of the nation's largest apartment owners and managers. Hunt is ranked as the Number 7 Apartment Owner (up from number 14 last year) and Number 17 Apartment Manager (LEDIC, an affiliate of Hunt, was ranked number 48 last year) in the country. Hunt is one of only 8 firms ranked in the top 20 on both the Top 50 Ownership and Management lists. Full rankings and detailed analysis is available online at www.nmhc.org/goto/2012NMHC50. "We're extremely honored to make the list as one of the top apartment firms nationwide," said Woody Hunt, Chief Executive Officer of Hunt. "The ranking validates the strategic acquisitions and investments we've made over the past several years and firmly positions Hunt as a leader in this sector." NMHC partners with Kingsley Associates, a leading real estate research and consulting firm, for the NMHC 50's research and analysis. Additional information can be found online at www.nmhc.org/goto/top50. ABOUT NMHC Based in Washington, DC, the National Multi Housing Council is a national association representing the interests of the larger and most prominent apartment firms in the U.S. NMHC's members are the principal officers of firms engaged in all aspects of the apartment industry, including owners, developers, managers and financiers. One third of Americans rent their housing, and more than 14 percent live in a rental apartment. For more information, contact NMHC at 202-974-2300, e-mail the Council at info@nmhc.org, or visit NMHC's web site at www.nmhc.org. ABOUT HUNT Hunt Companies, Inc. is a leading national real estate company dedicated to building values through development, investment, and management. Hunt is focused in the core areas of public private partnership, military housing, community development, real asset investment management and multifamily housing. Hunt is firmly rooted in a legacy of leadership, integrity, and trust. Together, Hunt and its affiliates have more than \$13 billion in assets under management, including 115,302 multi-family housing units and 7.7 million square feet of office, retail and industrial properties. Hunt has also developed 89,000 housing units and thousands of acres of land, comprising more than 400 development projects completed in 32 states. Development project costs have totaled more than \$6.3 billion with more than \$8.2 billion in construction costs. LEDIC Management Group is an affiliate of Hunt Companies. LEDIC manages over 34,000 market-rate and affordable units in 20 states. Visit www.huntcompanies.com to learn more about Hunt, its heritage and commitment to values that build.