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**Atlanta Business Executives, Sara Burden, CBI, M&AMI, FMAS, FIBBA
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Receive Fellow of the M&A Source Award**

Atlanta, GA – The M&A Source® announces it has conferred Sara Burden and Patricia McDonald of Walden Businesses, Inc. its prestigious Fellow of the M&A Source Award (FMAS) during its Educational Conference and Middle Market Expo in Austin, TX, November 17, 2014.

The M&A Source® is the world's largest international organization of experienced, dedicated merger and acquisition intermediaries representing the middle market. Fellowship is a lifetime award that is one of the highest honors bestowed by the M&A Source. The Fellow Award recognizes and honors M&A Source members who have made sustained and significant contributions to the Association. Burden's and McDonald's awards demonstrate exemplary commitment and experience as professional M&A intermediaries.

Since 1991, the M&A Source has addressed professional issues of merger and acquisition specialists. The organization has over 300 cooperating intermediaries active in middle-market transactions across the U.S., Mexico, Europe and other international locations. It provides education, networking, conferences, member tools, peer-to-peer roundtables, deal making expos and other support, all specific to M&A specialists.

Burden is President of Walden Businesses and McDonald is a Principal at Walden Businesses. Both Burden and McDonald have devoted their professional careers to assisting sellers and buyers of businesses. Both are seasoned in business sales & acquisitions of mid-market companies, each with over 20 years of experience.

Additional information is available from Burden or McDonald by telephoning 678-277-9951, or via email at sb@waldenbus.com or pm@waldenbus.com, respectively. Both are available to the news media as a source of information or comments regarding acquisitions, sales, and mergers of closely held businesses.

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