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ACG Utah Announces 2026 Deal of the Year Award Winners

Four Utah Market Transactions Recognized for Outstanding Value Creation and Strategic Impact

SALT LAKE CITY, UT — ACG Utah today announced the winners of its annual Deal of the Year Awards, recognizing outstanding mergers, acquisitions, and capital transactions that are shaping the growth of companies across Utah.

Presented as part of ACG Utah's Intermountain DealSource Summit programming, the awards celebrate transactions that demonstrate exceptional strategic vision, disciplined execution, and measurable economic impact. Honorees are selected for their ability to drive meaningful value creation while contributing to the continued expansion of the region's middle-market economy.

This year's winning transactions highlight the depth of capital, entrepreneurial leadership, and advisory expertise that continue to define Utah's vibrant dealmaking ecosystem.

2026 Deal of the Year Award Winners

Growth Equity Deal of the Year: Trucordia

Trucordia was recognized for an outstanding growth equity transaction that demonstrates strong strategic positioning and meaningful value creation within Utah's rapidly expanding business landscape.

Strategic Merger Deal of the Year: Weber | Blackstone

The combination of Blackstone Products and Weber was honored for its innovative transaction structure, strong strategic alignment, and the compelling growth platform created by bringing together two powerful consumer brands.

Private Equity Buyout Deal of the Year: Greenix Pest Control

Greenix Pest Control's private equity buyout earned recognition for its disciplined execution and the company's continued expansion, including significant contributions to employment growth across the region.

Public Markets Deal of the Year: Pattern

Pattern received the Public Markets Deal of the Year award for a market-defining transaction that reflects the increasing sophistication and national influence of Utah's capital markets ecosystem.

“These awards recognize the entrepreneurs, investors, and advisors who are building and scaling exceptional companies across Utah,” said Corey Machen, VP of Awards for ACG Utah. “Each of this year’s winners reflects the creativity, rigor, and collaboration that make Utah one of the most dynamic deal markets in the country.”

The Deal of the Year Awards are a cornerstone of ACG Utah’s programming and are closely tied to the chapter’s Intermountain DealSource Summit, which brings together hundreds of investors, operators, and advisors from across the United States to foster relationships and accelerate middle-market deal flow.

About ACG Utah

ACG Utah is the premier professional organization for middle-market mergers and acquisitions, private equity, and corporate growth in the Intermountain West. With nearly 200 members representing private equity firms, investment banks, lenders, corporate leaders, and professional advisors, ACG Utah connects the region’s dealmaking community through world-class events, networking opportunities, and educational programming.

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