



**Press Release-4/17/06-Cincinnati, OH-** NASA Television hires Central Satellite Services for special broadcast honoring Neil Armstrong.

CentralSat truck #1 was recently used to provide production and uplink facilities for a press event honoring Neil Armstrong. The multi-camera event was held in the Reakirt auditorium at the historic Union Terminal in Cincinnati. In attendance were members of the media, local and state dignitaries and John Glenn who presented Mr. Armstrong with a NASA Ambassadors of Exploration Award.

Armstrong received the award that includes a moon rock to recognize the sacrifices and dedication of the astronauts and others who were part of the Mercury, Gemini and Apollo programs. A former naval aviator, NASA test pilot and Apollo 11 commander, Armstrong was the first human to ever land a spacecraft on the moon and the first to step on the lunar surface. Armstrong's award will be displayed at the Cincinnati Museum Center at Union Terminal.

NASA-TV Producer Anthony Stewart coordinated the event in conjunction with Central Satellite Services. The crew, video & audio equipment, lighting package and uplink facilities were under the supervision of Jim Timmerman, Operations Manager for Central Satellite Services.

The signal was fed to the NASA facility in Washington where it was fed on the NASA TV Channel. The hour long presentation included speeches by Mr. Glenn, Mr. Armstrong, NASA Administrator Dr. Michael Griffin and George Vincent and Douglass McDonald of the Cincinnati Museum Center.

Jim Timmerman also directed the multi-camera event. He commented "Networks and production companies use Central Satellite Services for a variety of programs. We're able to do more than just uplink. This program is just one example of the kind of projects we can handle. Clients know that one call can do it all."

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