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**CLOSINGCORP'S CRAIG AUSTIN NAMED ONE OF
THE 2019 HW RISING STARS**

SAN DIEGO, Calif., June 12, 2019 – [ClosingCorp](http://ClosingCorp.com), a leading provider of residential real estate closing cost data and technology for the mortgage and real estate services industries, announced today that its senior vice president of Sales & Business Development, Craig Austin, has been named one of HousingWire's 2019 HW Rising Stars.

The 6th annual HW Rising Stars list recognizes 50 executives who demonstrate leadership and innovation that inspires not only those within their own organizations, but also in their communities and in the industry at large. This year's winners represent a variety of occupations within the housing industry, including marketing, fintech, compliance, operations management, business development, and asset management. The list was carefully selected by HousingWire's editorial staff based on tangible accomplishments in the last twelve months.

Austin was recognized for his role in leading the company's sales organization. In less than a year, he closed more than a dozen high-impact deals with large lenders and partners, resulting in business and revenue momentum that has exceeded expectations and reach, both for ClosingCorp and its partners. Under his leadership, the company has grown to encompass more than \$10 million in sales. Its lender client base has also grown, increasing more than 50 percent, with volume increasing more than 15 percent.

"This year's group of Rising Stars represents a rising generation of strong, innovative



and motivated leaders taking the mortgage industry by storm. Each of these individuals has accomplished a great deal, but we believe they are still at the early stages of their ultimate impact on the housing economy,” said Clayton Collins, CEO of HousingWire.

“Craig is an exceptional leader who goes above and beyond to exceed client expectations,” said Bob Jennings, CEO of ClosingCorp. “His knowledge of products and solutions combined with his ability to develop and implement strategies that increase efficiency for our clients has helped shape ClosingCorp into one of the nation’s leading third-party fee providers.”

About ClosingCorp

Headquartered in San Diego, Calif., ClosingCorp owns and operates the premier source of intelligence for closing costs and service providers in the U.S. residential real estate industry. Through innovative solutions, progressive technologies and strong alliances, the company delivers timely, accurate and transparent results that help optimize closing processes and services for mortgage lenders, title and settlement companies and real estate professionals. Clients rely on ClosingCorp to help improve efficiencies and mitigate risk. For more information, please visit www.closing.com.

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