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Hilton Sandestin Beach Golf Resort & Spa Is Honored with ConventionSouth's Prestigious Annual Readers' Choice Award

DESTIN, Fla. (Jan. 13, 2014) – Hilton Sandestin Beach Golf Resort & Spa is the proud recipient of the 2013 *ConventionSouth* Readers' Choice Award for the sixth time.

"We are so honored that *ConventionSouth* readers have nominated and voted Hilton Sandestin Beach as one of the best meeting sites in the South," said Gary Brielmayer, Hilton Sandestin Beach general manager. "The value in receiving this prestigious recognition is that it comes from top meeting professionals demanding the highest level of customer service and quality facilities, and they have determined that Hilton Sandestin Beach displays the commitment to professionalism, creativity and service that they desire."

Hilton Sandestin Beach Golf Resort & Spa is among 160 convention and visitor bureaus (CVBs), meeting facilities and hotels located across the South to receive this year's Readers' Choice Award. Throughout the year, meeting professionals nominated the meeting sites they believe provide exemplary service for group events. The nominated properties were then compiled into an online ballot where meeting professionals were asked to vote for the best of the best. More than 6,500 voters participated this year in the selection process.

In addition to its more than 32,000 square feet of recently transformed meeting space, stunning gulf views and beautiful beachfront location, Hilton Sandestin Beach offers an array of amenities to create the ideal meeting experience, including award-winning restaurants, luxurious spa and fitness center, recreational activities such as golf and tennis, and miles of sugar white sandy beaches. Meeting planners also enjoy the convenience of new technological capabilities and meeting space that has been dramatically redesigned with new lighting, carpet, furniture, wall treatments, and numerous other accents in a fresh, modern beach motif.

Hilton Sandestin Beach Golf Resort & Spa was featured as an award recipient in the December 2013 Awards Issue of *ConventionSouth* magazine. The resort has also been recognized within the last year by awards including the Pinnacle Award from *Successful Meetings*, the Greens of Distinction and Award of Excellence from *Corporate & Incentive Travel*, and the Best of the South award from *Meetings South* magazine.

For more information on Hilton Sandestin Beach or to make a reservation at Destin's premier hotel, visit HiltonSandestinBeach.com or call 850-267-9500.

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About Hilton Sandestin Beach Golf Resort & Spa

Hilton Sandestin Beach Golf Resort & Spa is located on the sugar-white sands and emerald-green waters of Northwest Florida's Gulf Coast in Destin, Fla. Aside from its stunning location, Northwest Florida's largest full-service beachfront resort hotel boasts 598 spacious accommodations, more than 32,000 square feet of award-winning meeting space, a world-class spa and fitness center, six on-site dining venues – including a AAA Four-Diamond restaurant – abundant resort recreation options, access to championship golf courses, and close proximity to the area's best attractions. For more information on Destin's premier hotel, visit HiltonSandestinBeach.com, or stay up-to-date with its Facebook, Twitter or YouTube.