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Business Leaders with Heart



A heart for service, knowledge, integrity, professionalism. Sheryl Chinowth instinctively knows what qualities make an excellent Realtor and help them connect with clients.

Her intuition for excellence has led Chinowth & Cohen to become a powerhouse within the community's real estate sector. Since cofounding Chinowth & Cohen Realtors in 2004, she has grown the company from a couple dozen associates to more than 800 agents statewide and 14 offices.

"Real estate is a service industry. We are literally putting families on foundations they will raise their families and make their memories," Chinowth says.

Chinowth grew up in a real estate family. She became a licensed realtor in 1978 and has been developing friendships and business relationships throughout the real estate industry ever since. As CEO of Chinowth & Cohen, she is passionate about her work and giving back to the community. Among many professional and personal awards, Chinowth has been recognized by Who's Who of Luxury Real Estate with the prestigious "Extraordinary Philanthropy" Award.

The list of organizations she supports is wide-ranging, encompassing health,

children in need, food banks, and more (i.e., American Red Cross, Habitat for Humanity, Big Brothers Big Sisters, Susan G. Komen Foundation, among many others).

"You either believe there is a life after this, or you don't. I believe there is, and we are here for a God-given reason. Chinowth & Cohen allows me to give back to the community. We are a kind of ministry if you will, a ministry posing as a real estate company."

"Sheryl has a heart for others that is easy to see," says Tom Bennett III, president of First Oklahoma Bank. "The home is not simply the single biggest investment families and individuals make; it is the heart of all homeowners. It is more than just a place to live, but a haven where people

feel comfortable and families grow. Sheryl knows this from experience. By grit and determination, this self-made entrepreneur has built her life on a foundation of common ideals and values, shared by hundreds of her talented colleagues."

Chinowth says she appreciates the constant communication from First Oklahoma Bank, where everyone is quick to answer clearly and transparently. "Banking relationships are very important to our company. We chose FOB because the owners have a heart of service and like beliefs!"



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