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## Theta Announces Blue Ribbon Managers for the Year 2007

2007 has come to a close. For some it was none too soon and for others it should have gone on forever. If managing money were like the Miss America pageant, then looking at portfolio performance alone, would be like picking a winner strictly from the swimsuit competition. And yet, for some reason, that is the part of the show that gets the most attention. We cannot speak to the "swimsuitability" of any of the managers below, and certainly each investor needs to determine "suitability" of a manager considering more than just 1 year of performance alone, but for viewing pleasure we are pleased to present the following 2007 Blue Ribbon winners listed by performance.

Firm Name	Model	2007 Perf	2007 MaxDD
Scotia Partners, Ltd.	Growth S&P Plus	52.35%	-8.93%
Inv. Adv. Asset Mgmt.	Absolute Return	48.75%	-11.43%
Howard Capital Mgmt	ETF-2	35.51%	-2.37%
Scarecrow Trading, Inc.	Provident Index	35.49%	-21.91%
Summit Capital Holdings	SectorVue	33.70%	-14.47%
Turov Investment Group	Turov Program D	33.67%	-10.20%
Howard Capital Mgmt	ETF-3	32.19%	-3.89%
Enhanced Asset Performance	EAP-30	32.17%	-4.85%
Heritage Capital Management	Managed Gold	30.51%	-6.37%
The Investment Center	SP500-MAST	29.96%	-22.89%



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