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MIAMI DEVELOPER HOLLO NAMED GLOBAL CITIZEN

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From the South Florida Web site: He helped shape modern Miami, and that makes developer Tibor Hollo a world figure of sorts. Last week, that was confirmed when Hollo, the president of Florida East Coast Realty, was named "Global Citizen of the Year" for 2009 by the City of Miami and the Greater Miami Host Committee. Eighty-two-year-old Hungarian-born Hollo, who has spent 55 years in the development game, was chosen for his ability to bring Miami to the world and the world to his adopted city. On Thursday, the Miami City Commission formally recognized his contributions when it bestowed the award. "Mr. Hollo has committed to concepts of sustainability which, of course, are global issues," said Corky Dozier, executive director of the Greater Miami Host Committee. "By focusing on sustainability, he is actually restoring what was traditionally part of the landscape of Downtown Miami.... He is the father of Downtown Miami real estate development."

