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JOHN R. HARVEY, CONNECTICUT RIVER COMMUNITY BANK

BOARD CHAIRMAN, WINS CHAMBER OF COMMERCE AWARD

WETHERSFIELD, CT (April 10, 2008) — The Rocky Hill Chamber of Commerce has recognized John R. Harvey — and the firm he helped found 29 years ago — as “Best Accountant” for 2007. Mr. Harvey, now semi-retired and serving as associate “of council” to his former firm, is also Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Connecticut River Community Bank, based in Wethersfield.

Mr. Harvey is a CPA who established his accounting practice in Rocky Hill in 1979, and was one of the founders and organizers — and now Board Chairman — of Connecticut River Community Bank which began operations in 2002. Mr. Harvey was also a founder and Director of the former Equity Bank in Wethersfield, CT.

He graduated from The University of Connecticut, Magna Cum Laude, with a B. S. degree in accounting, and received his Masters from The University of Hartford. Mr. Harvey is presently attending The University of Connecticut School of Law.

The award will be presented at a banquet being held on April 24th at 6:00 PM at the Rocky Hill Marriott, featuring guest speaker Al Terzi, news anchorman from CBS affiliate WFSB TV.

Connecticut River Community Bank, founded in 2002 and with offices in Wethersfield and Glastonbury, is a full service community bank serving both businesses and consumers throughout central Connecticut. For more information visit www.ctriverbank.com

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