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GPSEG Member Named Small Business Person of the Year

The Greater Philadelphia Chamber of Commerce recognizes Chuck Polin for 2009

PHILADELPHIA—The Greater Philadelphia Senior Executive Group (GPSEG) announced today that member Chuck Polin, of Gloucester County, was named Small Business Person of the Year by The Greater Philadelphia Chamber Of Commerce (GPCC). Polin was chosen for his commitment to the advancement of the business community, strong community involvement and positive and diverse social impact on the region. Lynn Ozer, Executive Vice President of Small Business and SBA Lending at Susquehanna Patriot Bank Susquehanna Bank nominated Polin. The Excellence Award Committee, which consists of past award winners and members of the Small Business Board of Directors, chose Polin as this year's recipient.

With over 800 members, GPSEG is the region's premier networking group for senior level executives. Members come from all sectors of the business world and bring with them an infinite wealth of knowledge and experience. "GPSEG is proud to have Chuck as a member and fortunate to have him as Chair of our Leadership Advancement Forum," said Chris Pavlides, GPSEG Founder and Chairman. "Chuck is a recognized leader in the Philadelphia business community and we congratulate him on receiving this prestigious award."

Polin is Chair of GPSEG's Leadership Advancement Forum. In addition to GPSEG, Polin is President of The Training Resource Group in Philadelphia, which provides consulting, seminar, and corporate in-house programs that deliver on-going reinforcement training and coaching to growing firms who are seeking an increase in new files, and looking for more professionals to participate in rainmaking roles. Polin has over 35 years of sales, sales management and corporate executive experience to the firm. He has managed sales forces, directed marketing campaigns, and was President of a Fortune 500 company division.

About GPSEG

GPSEG is a non-profit professional association of senior-level executives committed to the exchange of business contacts and ideas in a spirit of generous giving, and to the fostering of career fulfillment, business development, and professional and personal growth. Its purpose is to provide meaningful senior-level networking contacts to its members; support its members who are in career transition; share knowledge, best practices, and resources; educate members on topics of interest to their professional and career development; and develop cooperative programs with other professional organizations in the region.

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