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### ***Trumbull Chamber of Commerce Presents Business in Bloom Awards to 10 Trumbull Businesses***

TRUMBULL – The Trumbull Chamber of Commerce, an affiliate of the Bridgeport Regional Business Council, presented its 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Business in Bloom Awards. The 10 award recipients were nominated for their commitment to “grow” their business in Trumbull by expanding, relocating, opening or beautifying their Trumbull business. The Trumbull Chamber of Commerce partnered with Trumbull Economic Development Department to seek nominations of companies that met these criteria. Trumbull Chamber of Commerce Chairman Alice Ferreira said “the Trumbull Chamber of Commerce wanted to recognize the businesses that have chosen Trumbull to locate their business or have expanded and improved their presence in town”.

The 2009 Business in Bloom Awards event was sponsored by the Trumbull Marriott and Newtown Savings Bank and held at the Trumbull Marriott on June 24, 2008 at 5:00 p.m Over 100 attendees came to recognize the award winners and to network. The Trumbull Marriott was honored with a Business In Bloom Award in recognition of their renovations of their guest rooms, ballroom, meeting spaces and grounds. “We are honored to have been recognized for the improvements that have been made to the Trumbull Marriott. There has been a considerable financial investment into the Hotel and the finished product reinforces that the Trumbull Marriott is truly the only Luxury Brand Hotel in our market” said Paul McNeil, General Manager, Trumbull Marriott.

In addition to the Trumbull Marriott, awards were also presented to Cooper Surgical, Mutual of Omaha, Newtown Savings Bank, O Grille & Bar, Positive Family Behavior, Stop and Shop, Sun Products, Supercoups and Target. “Trumbull Economic development was pleased to partner with the Trumbull Chamber of Commerce in recognizing businesses that are putting an investment into their businesses and the community. The existing core of businesses in Trumbull are very important to our economic vitality” said Robert Matthews, Chairman, Trumbull Economic Development Commission.

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The mission of the Trumbull Chamber is to enhance the growth of individual business by facilitating partnerships and providing support services to satisfy business needs.

The Bridgeport Regional Business Council is a 1,000-member voluntary organization of businesses within the Bridgeport region working together to create an environment for business expansion, retention and recruitment that will result in jobs and tax base growth. The BRBC includes five affiliates - the Bridgeport Chamber of Commerce, the Stratford

Chamber of Commerce, the Trumbull Chamber of Commerce, Leadership Greater Bridgeport and the Women's Leadership Council.