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Chesapeake Employers Wins Business Philanthropy Award

(TOWSON, Md.) — Chesapeake Employers' Insurance Company was honored with the Business Philanthropy Award for a mid-size company for outstanding commitment to community service. The award was presented by the Maryland Chamber of Commerce and the *Baltimore Business Journal*.

Tom Phelan, Chesapeake Employers' President and CEO, accepted the award at the National Philanthropy Day in Maryland event held at the Waterfront Marriott Hotel in Baltimore on November 6, 2013.

"I am honored to accept this award on behalf of the Board of Directors and employees of Chesapeake Employers," said Tom. "I thank the Board for making the dollars available in the budget for charitable donations and I thank our generous employees who do the giving day in and day out in the community."

Meg Ducey, Director of Development and Marketing for the Franciscan Center, nominated Chesapeake Employers for the prestigious award. "It is very fitting that Chesapeake Employers should be recognized for the time, care and love that their employees devote to serving those who are less fortunate in the community and for their extraordinary corporate citizenship," said Meg.

National Philanthropy Day in Maryland is a program of the Association of Fundraising Professionals-Maryland chapter that recognizes extraordinary commitment to philanthropy by individuals, companies and foundations and the impact their efforts have on the community.



President and CEO Tom Phelan, center, displays the Business Philanthropy Award with members of Chesapeake Employers' Charitable Contributions Committee, the group responsible for planning all community service activities and charitable donations for the company. Pictured are, front row: Carolyn Gutermonth, Tom Phelan, and Mary Smith. Back row: George Layfield, Bill Cress, and Paul Gwiazdowski.

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About Chesapeake Employers

Chesapeake Employers' Insurance Company is Maryland's largest writer of workers' compensation insurance. It is a nonprofit, non-stock, private corporation. Formerly known as IWIF, Chesapeake Employers has served as a continuous, guaranteed source for fairly priced workers' compensation insurance since 1914.

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