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## **GSVCC Named Among Top 10 Chambers of Commerce in Nation**

### **Chamber Ranked Seventh in Nation for New Member Recruitment**

SHAMOKIN DAM – The Greater Susquehanna Valley Chamber of Commerce recently placed seventh in the nation within its size category according to the National Alliance for Membership Development. NAMD placed the Chamber in its “Circle of Champions,” after GSVCC signed on 43 new members during the first three quarters of 2009-2010 (June 1, 2009 – Feb. 28, 2010).

The Chamber placed in the category of total dues income under \$199,999, going up against chambers of commerce in Florida, Texas, North Carolina, Connecticut, Delaware, New York and Michigan.

“This award is a testament to the hard work and dedication of the Chamber staff and volunteers,” Jennifer Daddario, director of operations and membership development, said Tuesday. “Chamber Ambassadors and Membership Committee members provide a valuable service in the active recruitment of new members.”

The Chamber anticipates a solid finish for the final quarter of 2009-2010, and hopes to place in the top 10 in its category for the entire year, where the Chamber has historically placed during the past five years.

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*“Connecting Business & Community” in Snyder, Union, Northumberland, Montour counties and beyond, the Greater Susquehanna Valley Chamber of Commerce and its*

*700 members represent more than 25,000 employees. The Chamber actively works to preserve and strengthen the Valley's business environment and quality of life by providing programs and services that promote civic, social, business and economic growth and development.*

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