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ANDERSEN CORPORATION RECEIVES CELEBRATE BUSINESS SUCCESS AWARD AT CHAMBER'S JUNE MEMBERSHIP MEETING

(SAINT PAUL, MINN., JUNE 11, 2014) - Jay Lund, Chairman, President and CEO, accepted the Celebrate Business Success Award today on behalf of Andersen Corporation at the Saint Paul Area Chamber of Commerce's June Membership Meeting.

Founded in 1903, Andersen Corporate is the largest window and door manufacturer in North America. Andersen employs more than 9,000 people and operates 15 manufacturing plants across the U.S. and Canada. The company is being recognized today for their recent expansion announcement at their headquarters in Bayport, Minnesota – just 20 miles east of downtown St. Paul. Andersen plans to invest more than \$20 million dollars in the project and expects to create more than 100 new jobs in Minnesota.

In 2005, the Saint Paul Area Chamber of Commerce created a recognition program called Celebrate Business Success to honor businesses and individuals in the community. The program has become a tradition at the Chamber and recognizes those who provide leading examples of how members of the business community contribute to a shared vision of economic success throughout the Saint Paul/East Metro area. The Chamber receives hundreds of nominations each year, from which about 15 winners are chosen. Winners are presented with the award at Chamber events throughout the year.

About the Saint Paul Area Chamber of Commerce

The Saint Paul Area Chamber of Commerce is a vital, dynamic force serving the business community through the collective strength of its members. For more than 140 years, the Chamber has provided vibrant programs, powerful advocacy and results that foster member growth. With nearly 1,200 members, the SPACC is the largest local chamber in Minnesota.

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