

# 2014

HANOVER AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE



## BUSINESS · COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP AWARDS

### *The Philosophy of Celebrating Leadership*

Leadership takes many forms, exemplifying performance, achievement, and innovation. This year, we have identified one individual and two organizations who deserve recognition in one or more of these dimensions. These recipients have demonstrated leadership excellence through remarkable business, civic, and charitable activities, emphasizing the importance of community, family, and commitment!



### 2014 BUSINESS LEADERSHIP AWARD

*A business, agency, organization, community, or non-profit corporation which has helped invigorate the economic health of the area we serve, while contributing to the well-being of the Upper Valley.*

## NORWICH PARTNERS

Norwich Partners has committed to the success of the business and all of its investors by exercising extreme selectivity in choosing its development projects. By rejecting 99 percent of its business opportunities, Norwich Partners is able to excel in the projects that it does pursue. This dedication to making the right decisions for everyone involved in the enterprise also has led to a commitment to community philanthropy, with an understanding that giving back also enhances a business' reputation. Norwich Partners created The Children's Fund and committed a percentage of revenue to sponsor various events and projects, with an emphasis on underprivileged children. Norwich Partners demonstrates how a business philosophy can combine profit and philanthropy, enhancing the community as well as the impact of a brand.