

GREAT AMERICAN INSURANCE GROUP PRESENTS THE “HEART OF PARTNERSHIP AWARD” TO THE CICCOTTI CENTER

Cincinnati, Ohio – April 16, 2009. Great American Insurance Company’s, Specialty Human Services Division and a local representative, The Ten Eyck Group Insurance Agents, are pleased to announce that the Colonie Youth Center’s Rudy A. Ciccotti Family Recreation Center has been awarded the coveted Heart of Partnership Award for 2009.

This award is presented by Great American and The Ten Eyck Group to businesses that exhibit outstanding cooperation and motivation in the pursuit of risk management innovation in their business practices.

The Ciccotti Center is a state-of-the-art family recreation center in the Capital Region, offering an aquatics complex, workout and recreation facilities for all ages and fitness levels along with a wide array of educational and training opportunities for members and non-members.

The Ten Eyck Group is a leader in insuring not-for-profit businesses in New York and several other surrounding states.

About the Specialty Human Services Division

The Specialty Human Services Division, with offices in Chicago and Cincinnati, serves over 5,000 social service organizations, non-profit agencies and for-profit businesses in most states, and has been an industry leader in the social and human services market since 1980.

About Great American Insurance Group

Great American Insurance Group’s roots go back to 1872 with the founding of its flagship company, Great American Insurance Company. Based in Cincinnati, Ohio, the operations of Great American Insurance Group are engaged primarily in property and casualty insurance, focusing on specialty commercial products for businesses, and in the sale of traditional fixed, indexed and variable annuities and a variety of supplemental insurance products. Great American Insurance Company has received an “A” (Excellent) or higher rating from the A.M. Best Company for over 100 years (most recent rating evaluation effective on March 27, 2009.) The members of the Great American Insurance Group are subsidiaries of American Financial Group, Inc. (AFG), also based in Cincinnati, Ohio. AFG’s common stock is listed and traded on the New York Stock Exchange and the Nasdaq Global Select Market under the symbol (“AFG”).

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