

P.W. Grosser Consulting, Inc. Named Winner in HIA's Gala Business Achievement Awards 2008

Hauppauge, NY, August, 2008 - P.W. Grosser Consulting, Inc. (PWGC) today announced that it has been named a winner in the Business Achievement Awards presented by the Hauppauge Industrial Association (HIA).

"HIA's Annual Business Achievement Award competition focuses attention on the accomplishments of the local business community," states Terri Alessi - Miceli, President of the HIA. "It is a great opportunity to gain the recognition they deserve for their growth, leadership and overall commitment to our region."

Judging was based on the company's commitment to the growth or betterment of the Long Island community, positive employer/employee relations, revenue and profitability trends, and future company vision. Companies were also able to point out any recent outstanding accomplishments, technical innovations, market expansion, industry leadership or triumph over adversity in their bid for the award.

Winners & finalists this year include Clear Vision Optical, P.W. Grosser Consulting, Inc., Community Development Corp of Long Island, Intrigma, Allstate - Dubin/Wood Agency, Atlantis Marine World, Teresa's Family Cleaning, Holzmacher, McLendon & Murrell, P.C. (H2M), mindSHIFT Technologies, Education & Assistance Corporation (EAC), Middle Country Public Library, Hangover Buster and The OfficeWorx.

Winners and finalists of these firms in each of four divisions will be the honorees at the HIA's September 9th Gala Luncheon where 350-400 business professionals and political dignitaries will also hear a keynote presentation officiated by Steve Levy, Suffolk County Executive. Winning companies will also have an opportunity to display their products and/or services and to speak about their company in the presence of government dignitaries and Long Island business leaders.

"Long Island firms face many obstacles," said Ann Marie Scheidt, Co Chair of HIA's Business Development Committee. "But they've proven over and over that they have the talent and resourcefulness to overcome those obstacles and forge ahead. This is the HIA's way of saying 'thank you' to companies that have successfully met competitive challenges, have had a significant community impact, and have made commitments to growth on Long Island."

Sponsors of this event to date include Capital One Bank, Clear Vision Optical, Stony Brook University, Newsday, Event Pros Group, People's Alliance Federal Credit Union, Girl Scouts of Suffolk County, Vormittag Associates, Inc. (VAI).

“Competition today is intense, especially for companies on Long Island,” said Terri Alessi - Miceli, President of the HIA. “The HIA is helping to shine a light on Long Island companies that have had tremendous business success while contributing to the betterment of the Long Island Community while overcoming any diversity that has come their way.”

Past winners have included Vormittag Associates, Inc. (VAI), FedEx Corp. (Large Business Achievement Award), Clear Vision Optical, Fuoco Group (Small Business Achievement Award), UCP of Greater Suffolk, Girl Scouts of Suffolk County (Not-for-Profit) and Dr. Sheri Glazer, DDS, Applied DNA Sciences (Rookie of the Year).

About the HIA

The Hauppauge Industrial Association, which has a membership of approximately 1,000 companies throughout LI, is a proactive 30-year-young business organization that focuses on the economic health and well-being of its member companies and that of the entire Long Island business community. HIA provides services and programs focusing on international trade, human resources, business development, government affairs, manufacturing, technology, environment, education, engineering, transportation, energy and much more.