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The Greater Southern Dutchess Chamber of Commerce is accepting Applications for 2008 Forty Under 40 “Shaker Awards”

Wappingers Falls, NY...The Greater Southern Dutchess Chamber of Commerce is accepting nominations for the 3rd Annual *Forty Under 40* “Shaker Awards” to be held February 25. *Forty Under 40* recognizes 40 people under the age of 40 who have made remarkable strides in the community, have a vision for the region’s business future, are business savvy beyond their years and have the passion to take the risks to make their dreams happen.

“The public needs to know about those young movers and shakers of the business community who are making successful strides in their businesses while significantly helping to shape our community,” said Ann Meagher, president and CEO of the Greater Southern Dutchess Chamber of Commerce.

Last year more than 100 nominations were received from across the Hudson Valley and at least as many are expected this year. To nominate yourself or someone you know, log onto www.gsdcc.org and click on Forty Under 40 for a nomination form. Winners will be selected based on such values as achievement, experience and innovation, vision, leadership, and community involvement by a diverse committee which will include past *Forty Under 40* winners.

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