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Chatham-Kent Chamber of Commerce receives Accreditation with Distinction

Chatham-Kent – July 22, 2014 – The Chatham-Kent Chamber of Commerce is pleased to announce their achievement of *Accreditation with Distinction* from the Chamber Accreditation Council of Canada.

“We have demonstrated our principles and contributions to our members, fellow organization and our community and are very pleased with the success of our accomplishments”, stated Chamber President & CEO, Gail Bishop. “The Board of Directors and Staff have worked diligently to attain the values of *Accreditation with Distinction* and accept this honour with much appreciation.”

Accreditation with Distinction recognizes Chambers that have proven standards through meeting the provisions of 5 category pillars. Accreditation is a formal acknowledgement the Chamber of Commerce has been successfully evaluated against rigorous national standards of policy, service, and performance. In achieving *Accreditation with Distinction* the Chatham-Kent Chamber of Commerce joins 59 leading Chambers of Commerce and Boards of Trade from across Canada. The Chamber maintains accredited status for 2014 – 2016 and will reapply following such term.

As the local Voice of Business, the Chatham-Kent Chamber of Commerce represents their members, advocating economic prosperity and welfare to benefit business in the Municipality. The Chatham-Kent Chamber of Commerce actively provides provincial and federal representation through membership in the Ontario Chamber of Commerce and the Canadian Chamber of Commerce.

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