



Dutchess County Workforce Investment Board

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The Dutchess County Workforce Investment Board Announces Logo Contest Winner!

Poughkeepsie, New York, November 28, 2005 – The Dutchess County Workforce Investment Board (DCWIB) has found a new logo! The entry submitted by Amanda (Mandy) Facchin has been adopted by the full board as the official logo of the DCWIB. In addition to creating the logo that will be used on all official marketing materials Mandy has also won a \$250 prize which was donated by DCWIB board members.

Mandy is a Pawling resident and 2004 graduate of Pawling High School. She currently attends Dutchess Community College and intends to study elementary education at SUNY New Paltz.

The DCWIB is driven by the belief that any community needs all the skill sets of all the individuals to function and grow; so we are excited about our new logo because it prominently features Dutchess County and is symbolic of the strength of community. We hope it will serve as a reminder to all residents and businesses that we live in a community that has the resources which allow us to be leaders in the innovation economy and to have a world class workforce.

The DCWIB also acknowledges Thomas J. Koscal, the second place winner. Thomas grew up in Beacon and works at IBM Poughkeepsie. Thomas has won a \$25.00 gift certificate to the Poughkeepsie Galleria, donated by the Poughkeepsie Galleria.

To view all of the logo contest entries please visit www.dcwib.com

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