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KIRK KORDELESKI NAMED TO 2009 "LI POWER LIST" AS AMONG THE MOST INFLUENTIAL LEADERS IN REGION

Ranked 9th by Long Island Press in Annual Rating

(Bethpage, NY...April 23, 2009) Bethpage Federal Credit Union President and CEO Kirk Kordeleski was named to the 2009 "LI Power List," the annual ranking of Long Island's most powerful and influential figures published by the Long Island Press.

Kordeleski was ranked No. 9 out of the 50 individuals and organizations who were included on the 7th annual list. It is the second straight year Kordeleski has been named to the Power List, with his ranking rising from 14th to 9th.

The "LI Power List" ranks leaders from the fields of business, government, academia, healthcare, not-for-profit, and the public sector. In naming Kordeleski, the Long Island Press wrote in part: Kordeleski has not only continued to guide BFCU with an iron will and steady hand, he has kept in touch with the community and risen to prominence in several respected leadership positions across the Island. But Kordeleski eschews the limelight, unlike many of the glory seekers in his profession, opting instead to put the identity of his credit union first and letting its success speak for itself. In many ways, he is a throwback to a time when companies were built for generations not yet born.

In the years since he took the helm of Bethpage Federal Credit Union in 2000, Kordeleski has overseen the credit union's growth to become the largest on Long Island with \$3.5 billion in assets and 152,000 members.

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