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**Robinson & Cole Announces Annual Mentor, Community Service,
and Pro Bono Award Recipients**

Hartford — July 19, 2007—Robinson & Cole is pleased to announce the recipients of the firm's 2007 Community Service, Pro Bono and Mentor of the Year Awards.

Robinson & Cole's Mentor of the Year honors those attorneys who have played an outstanding mentor role and has exceptional listening, coaching and advising skills. This year's winners include: Partners John Kane, Greg Varga, and Jackie Scheib; Counsel John Bauer and Associates Paula Bliss, Edward Heath and Regina Sweeney.

The firm's annual Community Service Awards are given to individuals who have given great amounts of their time to serving the community and have also encouraged others at the firm to become more involved. The 2007 winners included Partners Tim Bates and Bob Smith.

The inaugural Pro Bono Awards were presented to Melissa Mack and Kate Moran Carter for their outstanding contribution to Robinson & Cole's pro bono efforts.



Robinson & Cole Managing Partner Eric Daniels congratulates Mentor of the Year Award recipients. From left to right: Edward Heath, Greg Varga, Eric Daniels, Jackie Scheib, John Bauer and Paula Bliss.



Eric Daniels stands with Community Service Award recipient Bob Smith



Eric Daniels and Pro Bono Committee Chair Pam Elkow congratulate Pro Bono Award recipients (from left to right) Pam Elkow, Melissa Mack, Kate Moran Carter and Eric Daniels.

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