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## **Connecticut Food Bank Appoints New Board Members**

**East Haven, CT** – Connecticut Food Bank announces six new members have joined its Board of Directors and are elected to two-year terms on the 12-member board:

- **April Capone of East Haven, former East Haven Mayor;**
- **Alex Hutchinson of Bethany, Managing Partner, RPM Health;**
- **William C. Lesko of Huntington, Business Consultants Principal, Dworken, Hillman, Lamorte & Sterczala;**
- **Joe Pucci of Westport, Vice President, Bernstein Global Wealth Management;**
- **Dr. Bollepalli Subbarao of Middletown, Department of Psychiatry, Middlesex Hospital; and,**
- **Dianne Witte of New Haven, Assistant Director, Principal Gifts, Yale University**

“We are very fortunate to have new board members with varied backgrounds and a wide range of experience,” said Nancy L. Carrington, Connecticut Food Bank’s President & CEO. “Their leadership and knowledge will go a long way to help Connecticut Food Bank succeed in its mission to alleviate hunger in Connecticut.”

**Connecticut Food Bank also announced a new slate of board officers including:**

- **James Augur of Northford, Vice President, Anthem Blue Cross and Blue Shield, Chair;**
- **Mark S. Kaduboski, Esq. of Wilton, Wiggin & Dana, Vice Chair;**
- **Rosemary O’Connell Sulzbach of Guilford, Operations Officer, New Haven Museum, Treasurer; and,**
- **Anne Demchak of New Haven, Store Manager of Stop &Shop Supermarket, New Haven, Secretary.**

**Additional Board members are:**

- **Harry J. Garafalo of Milford, Owner and Operator of ShopRite stores in Hamden, Milford, Stratford and West Haven; and,**
- **Marlene Beth Schwartz, Ph.D. of Guilford, Rudd Center for Food Policy & Obesity at Yale University.**

Carrington serves as an ex-officio member of the board, and Edward Wood Dunham, Esq., Wiggin and Dana; and William Dyson, former Connecticut State Representative are honorary board members.

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**Connecticut Food Bank** serves approximately 600 community-based feeding programs in six of Connecticut's eight counties: Fairfield, Litchfield, Middlesex, New Haven, New London and Windham. Connecticut Food Bank distributes more than 31 tons of food every business day.