



FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

CONTACT:

Tamara Ledwith
203.462.4866
tledwith@firstcountybank.com

First County Bank Selected as a 2014 Top Workplace

Stamford, Conn., Sept. 15, 2014 – First County Bank is pleased to announce that it has been selected as one of The Hearst Media Services Connecticut Top Workplaces for 2014.

The Top Workplaces are determined based solely on employee feedback. The employee survey is conducted by WorkplaceDynamics, LLP, a leading research firm on organizational health and employee engagement. The evaluation for the Top Workplaces program is based upon feedback from an employee engagement survey that employees completed in January of this year. The Hearst papers published the complete list of Top Workplaces on September 14th. For more information about the Top Workplaces lists and WorkplaceDynamics, please visit www.topworkplaces.com and www.workplacedynamics.com.

“First County Bank is proud to be listed as one of ‘The Hearst Connecticut Top Workplaces’ which is a list of the best places to work in Fairfield, New Haven and Litchfield counties,” said Rey Giallongo, chairman and CEO of First County Bank. “I am excited that First County Bank has once again been named to the list. We are honored to have been selected for the award, particularly as the judges were our own employees.”

About WorkplaceDynamics

WorkplaceDynamics conducts regional Top Workplaces programs with 40 major publishing partners across the United States. Over the past year, more than 5,000 organizations and 1 in every 88 employees in the U.S. have turned to WorkplaceDynamics to better understand what’s on

the minds of their employees. Through its workplace improvement offerings, WorkplaceDynamics provides solutions, training and tools to help clients improve their workplace.

About First County Bank

First County Bank, headquartered in Stamford, Conn. for more than 160 years, is an independent mutual community bank with 15 branches in Stamford, Greenwich, Darien, New Canaan, Norwalk and Westport offering deposit products, mortgages, trust and investment services, business banking services, mobile and online banking. First County Bank has more than 220 employees and assets in excess of \$1.3 billion. For additional information, please visit www.firstcountybank.com. Become a fan by clicking "Like" on the bank's Facebook page at <http://www.facebook.com/firstcountybank>. Follow it on Twitter at <http://www.twitter.com/firstcountybank> or look for First County Bank on LinkedIn at <http://www.linkedin.com/company/920207>.

####