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**Deborah Mathis, CPA, CHBC, Principal with Cowan, Guteski & Co. P.A.
Named Recipient of the Warren G. Christensen Award
by The United Way of Ocean County**

Toms River, New Jersey, September 21, 2006 – The United Way of Ocean County named Deborah Mathis, CPA, CHBC, and Principal with Cowan, Guteski & Co., P.A. *recipient of the Warren G. Christensen Award* in recognition of her hard work and outstanding commitment to the United Way of Ocean County and its’ partner agencies on Wednesday, September 20 at their 2006/2005 Campaign Year Kickoff at the Atrium at 1144 Hooper Avenue, Toms River, New Jersey. Ms. Mathis serves on the Executive Board of the United Way of Ocean County, as well as the Campaign Cabinet and chairs their Special Events Committee. In addition, Ms. Mathis serves on the Board of Trustees of the Southern Ocean County Hospital (SOCH) Foundation.

“I am truly honored to receive this award from the United Way of Ocean County,” states Ms. Mathis. “This organization provides funding for **53 agencies** and **69 programs** in Ocean County. These agencies and programs provide invaluable services to the residents in our communities. I invite everyone to call United Way at 732-240-0311 to learn more about their programs and how you can become involved. Working with the United Way of Ocean County has provided me with an opportunity to give back to the County in which I work and live. I am very proud to work with the dedicated staff and volunteers of United Way of Ocean County.”

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