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**WESTPORT'S JOHN ADAMS VACCARO OF WESTPORT RESOURCES MANAGEMENT
NAMED AS ONE OF THE COUNTRY'S TOP 100 INDEPENDENT FINANCIAL ADVISERS BY
BARRON'S MAGAZINE FOR 2009**

WESTPORT, CT – September 1, 2009 -- John Adams Vaccaro, CFP®, CLU®, Founder and Chief Executive Officer of Westport Resources Management Inc., a leading financial advisor serving individuals, families, municipalities and institutions around the world, has been named as one of the country's top 100 independent financial advisers by *Barron's* magazine for 2009 in its annual rankings just out in its August 31, 2009 issue.

Commenting on being selected as a top adviser, Mr. Vaccaro said, "We are proud to have made the list of the top 100 independent financial advisers in the country, and particularly pleased with our ranking as only one of three from Connecticut. It's an honor to be chosen among the thousands of financial advisers in the country by such a prestigious financial magazine as *Barron's*. This has truly been a team effort and I want to acknowledge the efforts of our investment and client service professionals."

Headquartered in Westport, CT, Westport Resources Management, Inc. was founded in 1986 by Chief Executive Officer John Adams Vaccaro. Maintaining stable growth over its 23-year history, Westport Resources provides wealth management services to individuals, families, institutions and municipalities empowering them to realize their visions, optimize their resources and proactively manage risk through its customized innovative solutions, independent research, dynamic planning, meaningful reporting and passionate client service. More information is available at www.westportresources.com.

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