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**CLINTON FINANCIAL SERVICES ELECTS NEW TRUSTEE  
Charles P. Conroy, Ed.D, Joins the Board of Directors of Clinton Savings Bank**

(CLINTON, Mass., May 21, 2018) – Clinton Financial Services, MHC – the parent company of Wachusett Financial Services and its wholly-owned subsidiary, Clinton Savings Bank – today announced that Charles P. Conroy was appointed as a Trustee of the company and elected to the Bank’s Board of Directors at its Annual Meeting held in April. Conroy has served as a Corporator of Clinton Financial Services, MHC for the past 23 years. In his Board role to govern the organization he will aid with his strengths, talents, and abilities to support the Bank.

Conroy was the Executive Director (CEO) of the Doctor Franklin Perkins School (Perkins) in Lancaster, Massachusetts from 1987 until his retirement in 2015. He is now Executive Director Emeritus at Perkins, Manager of Charles P. Conroy Consulting, LLC in Sterling, MA and a member of the Board of Directors of the Seven Hills Foundation in Worcester. Conroy was co-Chairman of Uptown, the revitalization effort in the Town of Clinton, MA. He was formerly: a member of the Board of Directors of UMass-Memorial/Clinton Hospital and the Clinton Hospital Foundation; a board member of ARC Massachusetts; a Trustee of WHEAT, the social service agency in Clinton; and a trustee of the Bulfinch Fund, Julie Country Day School in Leominster and St. Mary’s School in Clinton. He served as Adjunct Professor of Education in the graduate program in Educational Leadership and Management at Fitchburg State University (1988-2014) and was formerly Adjunct Instructor in the Master of Public Administration (MPA) program at Clark University in Worcester, MA.

“We are grateful to have an individual with such solid character traits and personal integrity as Charlie serving on our Board. His many years of being a valued Corporator of the Bank and profound involvement in our community will be a tremendous asset and undoubtedly open up new doors and opportunities with the business network of our community.” said Robert J. Paulhus, Jr., President & CEO of Clinton Savings Bank.

Born and raised in New York City, Conroy attended school, college, and graduate school in or around the city. He earned a bachelor’s degree from Fordham University, masters’ degrees from Iona

College and Manhattan College, and a doctorate in educational administration from Columbia University. He was the recipient of an honorary doctoral degree from Anna Maria College in Paxton, MA where he delivered the commencement address in 2002. Conroy lives in Sterling, Massachusetts and is the father of Melissa, an attorney, and Janet, a social work supervisor. He is a grandfather and was an intensive foster parent for over ten years.

### **About Clinton Savings Bank**

Established in 1851, Clinton Savings Bank is among the oldest mutual community banks in Massachusetts with \$557 million in assets and a broad range of financial products for consumers and businesses. Clinton Savings Bank has built a strong reputation in the communities it serves from six full-service branches in Berlin, Bolton, Boylston, Clinton, Sterling and West Boylston. For more information, please visit [clintonsavings.com](http://clintonsavings.com), Facebook, Twitter or Instagram.



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