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Patty Chambers recognized as 2017 “Unsung Heroine”



Representative Kate Hogan (left) recognizes Patty Chambers (middle) as a 2017 Unsung Heroine during a ceremony at the State House. Patty was joined, from left to right, at the State House by Maureen Poly (cousin); Walter Chambers (brother); and Bernadette Chambers (sister-in-law).

State Representative Kate Hogan and the Massachusetts Commission on the Status of Women proudly recognized Patty Chambers, of Maynard, as a 2017 Unsung Heroine during a June 21st ceremony at the State House.

Patty is the Vice President and Regional Branch Manager of Middlesex Bank in Maynard and has worked for the bank in various roles since 1977. An active member of her community, Patty has been an integral member and participant of the Board of Trustees of Maynard Public Library, the Friends of the Maynard Public Library, the Town of Maynard Finance Committee, the Assabet Valley Chamber of Commerce, the Maynard Business Alliance, the Saving Makes Cents program, and the Community Partnership Board for the Hudson-Maynard Adult Learning Center, and she previously served as Corporator for Emerson Hospital.

Patty is dedicated to Open Table – a local organization that provides healthy food, friendship, and support to those in need – serving as Co-Chairperson and Treasurer of the organization, distributing meals, organizing events, and spearheading the organization’s search for its new location in Maynard. Moreover, in her free time, Patty has further served her community as an enthusiastic volunteer with the Salvation Army, the Maynard Food Pantry, the Maynard Police Department Toy Drive, the Maynard Christmas Parade, and the friends of the Natick Fourth of July Parade.

“Patty Chambers’ friendship is unique and steadfast and her desire to give is unwavering, embodying the community spirit of Maynard and serving as a true example of an Unsung Heroine,” said Representative Kate Hogan. “On behalf of

the Massachusetts House of Representatives, congratulations, Patty, on this much-deserved recognition.”

The Massachusetts Commission on the Status of Women was legislatively created in 1998 to advance women of the Commonwealth toward full equality in all areas of life and to promote rights and opportunities for all women. Their annual “Unsung Heroines” ceremony honors women who make outstanding contributions to their organizations and communities. The honorees are nominated by state legislators as a means of recognizing women for their previously unnoted, yet valuable, community contributions.

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