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**Title** President/ CEO of Gloucester County Federal Savings Bank:  
ROBERT C. AHRENS ELECTED PRESIDENT OF  
GLOUCESTER COUNTY COLLEGE FOUNDATION

Deptford Twp. –Robert C. Ahrens, President /CEO of the Gloucester County Federal Savings Bank, has recently been elected President of the Gloucester County College Foundation.

Ahrens, a volunteer GCC Foundation member of more than five years, has previously served as the organization’s secretary and treasurer and now will fulfill a three-year term as President, succeeding Barbara Goldberg-Chamberlain.

A banker for 32 years, Ahrens took over as President of the GCC Foundation on July 1 bringing financial experience to the non-profit, philanthropic organization that over the past 30 years has raised millions of dollars for student scholarships. The Foundation scholarships, many donated in honor of GCC alumni, faculty and in memory of loved ones, are awarded to students based on academic achievements and/or financial need. Made up of county business, professional, educational and civic leaders, the Foundation serves as a link between the community and the College, and the more than 6,100 men and women enrolled in GCC’s academic programs.

“As a local banker, I feel it is important to be active in our communities and what better way than to support our students financially, giving someone the opportunity to further their education,” said Ahrens, who also serves as co-chairman of the Foundation’s Annual Roadrunner Classic Golf Outing held each June.

Ahrens earned a bachelor's of science degree in business administration from Union College and has lived in Washington Township for 29 years with his wife, Linda. He is the past president of the Washington Township Rotary Club and currently sits on the Board of Governors of the New Jersey League of Community Bankers. Ahrens has also been recognized for his service to senior citizens by the State of New Jersey Joint Legislature through a resolution by the Senate and General Assembly.

Gloucester County College's 270-acre campus is located on Tanyard Road in Deptford, just off Exit 56 of Route 55. Information on the Foundation, its fund-raising events and the avenues open for individual, group and corporate support can be obtained by calling (856) 468-5000, ext. 6202.

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