## C. Michael Ferraro of TRAINING SOLUTIONS is the new Chair-Elect of the Reston Chamber of Commerce

August 2011, Chantilly, VA – C. Michael of TRAINING SOLUTIONS, INC. was elected as the new Chair-Elect of the Reston Chamber of Commerce on July 26, 2011 at the chamber's annual meeting.

Mark Ingrao, President & CEO of the Greater Reston chamber of Commerce says, "As Chair-Elect of the Greater Reston Chamber of Commerce (GRCC), Michael brings a wealth of knowledge about how chambers operate and the value they provide to business of all sizes. Michael is a small business owner and knows first-hand the benefits that come with chamber membership. Through his involvement with this Chamber, his company has continued to expand and thrive. Our Chamber experienced record membership growth during his time as Membership Committee Co-Chair, thanks to his organization and commitment and the Committee won that year's Award of Chamber Excellence as Committee of the Year. We have continued to build upon the processes he implemented over the past two years. As a professional coach and trainer, his perspective will be invaluable as we continue to provide quality programs and services to our members. Michael is a true asset to this organization and I look forward to working with him as the Chair-Elect."

TRAINING SOLUTIONS has been a member of the Reston Chamber of Commerce for many years; and over those years, Michael has had a great deal of success with the Reston Chamber that includes:

- Michael is currently on the Executive Committee and Board of Directors of Greater Reston Chamber of Commerce, and has served as a board member for the past three years.
- Michael was the recipient of an ACE (Achieving Chamber Excellence) Award in July 2010, given by the Greater Reston Chamber of Commerce for his work as Co-Chair of the Chamber's Membership Committee.
- Michael was the chair of the Chamber's Membership Committee for two years.
- Michael was awarded "Committee Co-Chair of the Year" for the Reston Chamber of Commerce, 2001

Michael is also a graduate of the Leadership Fairfax Class of 1998 and is a member of the American Society of Training and Development (ASTD) and the Society for Human Resource Management (SHRM). He has served on many boards to include the NVTC TechPAC, Northern Virginia Technology Council, the Fairfax Chamber of Commerce and the Marymount University Board of Visitors.

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