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American Banking Association President and CEO, Rob Nichols, Keynote Speaker at the North Kingstown Chamber of Commerce's Annual Meeting on April 5th

North Kingstown, RI- The American Banking Association President and CEO, Rob Nichols, is the keynote speaker at the North Kingstown Chamber of Commerce's Annual Meeting and Dinner on April 5th at 5:30 pm at the Quiddnessett Country Club in North Kingstown, RI.

“I’m honored to join the North Kingstown Chamber of Commerce for its annual meeting,” said ABA President and CEO Rob Nichols. “Our industry has played a pivotal role in helping businesses and our economy recover from the COVID-19 pandemic, and banks of all sizes will continue to meet the needs of their customers, clients and communities in Rhode Island and across the country going forward.”

Rob Nichols oversees the American Banking Association that represents banks of all sizes and charters and is the voice for the nation's \$17 trillion banking industry. In 2020, he was elected Chairman of the International Banking Federation, an international organization whose members include the national banking trade associations representing every major financial center. Rob Nichols is the recipient of the Alexander Hamilton Award, the highest honor of the U.S. Department of Treasury. He is ranked as one of Washington's Top Lobbyists by *The Hill* and was recently described as one of the "new generation of trade group CEOs" by *The Washington Post*.

“We look forward to hearing Rob Nichols remarks as his strategic leadership and vision for redesigning banks as an impactful financial partner for all communities. In 2020, Rhode Island banks stepped up to help the business community and their employees weather the pandemic by processing Paycheck Protection Program loans to support them in succeeding and growing. Throughout the United States, banks helped the small business community by processing 4.6 million Paycheck Protection loans worth \$498 billion that directly supports millions of jobs.”- Kristin Urbach, Executive Director of the North Kingstown Chamber of Commerce

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The North Kingstown Chamber of Commerce is one of Rhode Island’s leading business membership and trade organizations located in North Kingstown, RI that includes the Quonset Business Park that employs more than 10,000 people within over 200 businesses.

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