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Community Autism Resources, Inc. receives \$1,000 from BayCoast Bank Winner of Bank-sponsored "Just Right" contest selects Swansea organization as recipient

SWANSEA, MA – As the winner of the recent "Just Right™" contest sponsored by BayCoast Bank, Nina Mach of Lakeville secured the opportunity to select five of her favorite charities – including Community Autism Resources, Inc. – to receive \$1,000 each courtesy of BayCoast Bank.

On May 16th, Mach and representatives of BayCoast Bank traveled to Swansea to deliver a \$1,000 check to Community Autism Resources, Inc.

"We are extremely grateful for this donation from BayCoast Bank and Nina," said Jan Randall, Resource Specialist at Community Autism Resources, Inc. "The generous contribution will be used to provide support and services for children and adults on the autism spectrum; we can't say thank you enough."

Funded by a grant from the Massachusetts Department of Developmental Services (DDS) and through private donations, Community Autism Resources, Inc. is a family created and organized community services organization dedicated to supporting individuals with Autism, Pervasive Developmental Disorders and related disorders and their families. Community Autism Resources is located at 33 James Reynolds Road, Unit C, Swansea, MA 02333 (508) 379-0371; toll-free (800) 588-9239. www.community-autism-resources.org.

Thousands of area residents had a chance to weigh in on what the term "Just Right™" means to them, as part of a contest sponsored by BayCoast Bank. And, after an intense competition that culminated in competitive Facebook, branch and newspaper voting, Nina Mach was the big winner for defining the term "Just Right™" as "treating people well and being thankful every day. Simple as that."

About BayCoast Bank

BayCoast Bank, formerly Citizens~Union Savings Bank, is a mutually-owned savings bank which was chartered in 1851.Currently, the Bank serves southeastern Massachusetts and Rhode Island, with locations in Fall River, New Bedford, Seekonk, Somerset, Swansea, North Dighton, Fairhaven, and Tiverton, RI. BayCoast Bank offers a wide range of financial services including investment management, trust services, and insurance and brokerage services to consumers and businesses. Its affiliates include

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