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**North Shore Chamber joining Cummings Center campus
New Beverly headquarters positions The Chamber
to expand service to the region's business community**

BEVERLY — The North Shore Chamber of Commerce — the hub for business and enterprise on the North Shore — is joining the region's premier workforce campus in February with its relocation to Cummings Center in Beverly.

The Chamber's new corporate headquarters at 500 Cummings Center will allow the organization to build on its current momentum, expand its reach and better serve the entire business community across the North Shore.

The Chamber will be based in Suite 1700 — a high-visibility, first-floor location at the lobby entrance to 500 Cummings Center. The move will take place Feb. 8.

The new space — located just inside the six-story atrium — offers a larger footprint and upgraded office facilities, allowing The Chamber to provide an elevated experience for its member businesses and prospective members and clients.

The new headquarters will provide meeting space for Chamber members' use, increased capacity for business events and programs, and opportunities to host larger functions on Cummings Center's expansive campus. A covered garage adjacent to 500 Cummings Center will offer visitors ample free parking.

“Cummings Center is a thriving campus offering first-class office and retail space for hundreds of businesses across a variety of industries,” said Karen Andreas, president and CEO of the North Shore Chamber of Commerce.

“We are thrilled to be relocating our headquarters to Cummings Center, a longtime member of the North Shore Chamber. The campus will provide the foundation for our continued growth and new initiatives as we serve the needs of the region's business community.”

Overlooking Shoe Pond, 500 Cummings Center is a central piece of the 2-million-square-foot Cummings Center campus. The mixed-use development is home to a variety of professional offices, medical facilities, labs, warehouse, retail, and research and development enterprises. The property offers abundant amenities and numerous conveniences to enhance the operation of The Chamber and provide additional benefit for its members.

“The North Shore Chamber is a fantastic resource for the region’s professionals,” said Cummings Center general manager and Senior Vice President Steve Drohosky.

“Our common interest in supporting the local business community, as well as the clear advantages for Cummings Center’s 600-plus resident firms, makes this partnership particularly meaningful for us.”

While The Chamber’s address is changing, The Chamber will retain its current phone number: 978-774-8565.

The Chamber is planning a ribbon cutting and open house at its new location this spring.

The North Shore Chamber’s mission is three-fold – to advocate, educate and collaborate. The member-driven organization seeks to advocate on behalf of businesses and their interests; to educate and train through topical seminars and insightful programming; and to collaborate by connecting businesses, organizations and people. The Chamber is focused on the collective success of its member businesses and the advancement of the region’s overall economy.

To learn more about The Chamber and membership opportunities, visit northshorechamber.org.