

Anderson, IN – U.S. Congressman Mike Pence congratulated Unified Group Services, Inc., an Anderson-based, third party administrator for self-funded group health plans, for winning the U.S. Chamber of Commerce's annual Blue Ribbon Award. The company employs almost 100 people, provides services for customers in 30 states, and processes more than \$420 million in health care claims. Unified has also been supportive of Anderson-area non-profit organizations such as the St. John's Children's Clinic and the Second Harvest Food Bank.

"I am pleased to congratulate Unified Group Services, Inc. on winning the Blue Ribbon Award," said Pence. "United Group Services' success is further proof that Indiana is a great place to do business. We are fortunate to have such an innovative and generous company here in Anderson."

Background on Blue Ribbon Award:

The U.S. Chamber of Commerce awards 75 small businesses from across the United States a "Blue Ribbon Award." The businesses were selected from a nationwide pool of applicants for their innovative business practices, strong support to their communities, dedication to the principles of free enterprise, and their contributions to restoring jobs and prosperity.

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