



## **COMCAST BUSINESS CLASS CONNECTS WITH SMALL AND MEDIUM-SIZED BUSINESSES AT VERMONT BUSINESS & INDUSTRY EXPO, MAY 20 & 21**

*Comcast Supports Vermont Chamber, Showcases Services and Sponsors "Comcast Business Class Young Entrepreneur Award" and 25th Anniversary Luncheon*

**BURLINGTON, VT** – (April xx, 2009) – Comcast Business Class, which provides advanced communication solutions to small and mid-sized organizations to help them meet their business objectives, will participate in the Vermont Business & Industry EXPO, taking place May 20 and 21 at the Sheraton Hotel in Burlington. The region's largest business-to-business trade show, which is celebrating its 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary, is organized by the Vermont Chamber of Commerce and is the premier business networking event, showcasing over 200 exhibitors to 3,000 visiting business people.

Comcast Business Class will be onsite and feature the following events at the two-day event:

- Comcast representatives will be on hand at the Comcast Booth (#32B), demonstrating Comcast's Business Class products and services.
- "Comcast Business Class Wheel of Fortune" will take place and allow visitors to spin the wheel for their chance to win great prizes from participating vendors during the two-day event.
- Comcast will join Vermont Governor Jim Douglas at the kickoff breakfast on Wednesday, May 20, to present three students from the Vermont REAL Youth Entrepreneurship Program with "Comcast Business Class Young Entrepreneurs Awards." The Comcast Business Class-sponsored contest honors students who have learned business skills, critical thinking, leadership, and other 21<sup>st</sup> century skills and have developed the most compelling business plans on enterprises of their choosing.
- Comcast Business Class will sponsor the EXPO's 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Luncheon entitled "Building Tomorrow's Economy" on Thursday, May 21, featuring President Obama-appointee Van Jones as keynote speaker. Jones, who was recently appointed as the Special Advisor of Green Jobs, Enterprise and Innovation for the White House Council on Environmental Quality, will talk about how building a green economy now can help Vermont's business community be strong enough to withstand any economic downturn.

"Comcast is proud to play a key role in the 25th anniversary of the Vermont Business and Industry EXPO," said Jeff Freyer, Vice President of Comcast Business Services for the Western New England Region, which includes Vermont. "From being a dedicated member of the community to offering our Business Class suite of products to small and medium-sized businesses, Comcast is committed to playing a vibrant role in Vermont's economic growth. In addition, sponsoring the Comcast Business Class Young Entrepreneurs Awards is just one way in which Comcast powers dreams in our communities."

Comcast's Business Class line of services offers small and medium-sized business customers dedicated support and individual attention, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, plus the convenience of one bill. Business Class customers can access a variety of packages and offerings that can be tailored to meet the demands of their business:

- **Comcast Business Class Voice** includes unlimited local and long-distance calling for one low price and the voice features companies need to be successful as they grow their businesses. Features include Do Not Disturb, Simultaneous Ring, Sequential Ring, Audible Message Indicator, Cancel

Call Waiting, Call Forwarding Selective, Call Forwarding Variable, Caller ID Block, Caller ID Name and Number, Caller ID on Call Waiting, Call Screening, Call Trace, Call Waiting, Speed Dial 8, Speed Dial 30, Three-Way Calling, Visual Message Indicator and Voicemail. Plus, businesses can switch to Comcast without changing their current phone numbers. Earlier this month, Comcast also launched Toll Free service for Business Class Voice customers that are interested in receiving the service.

- **Comcast Business Class Internet** offers businesses a feature-rich, reliable and secure Internet solution powered by blazing fast download speeds of up to 16 Mbps. Every Business Class Internet customer receives complimentary software packages, including powerful web-based business applications from Microsoft, such as corporate class e-mail, calendaring and document sharing through Sharepoint, security and data-protection software from McAfee and free web hosting and free IT support for the web-based software solutions provided.
- **Comcast Business Class TV** provides businesses with a variety of television programming to meet their workplace needs, from conference rooms and break rooms to waiting rooms and lobbies.

For more information about Comcast Business Class products and services, please visit [www.comcast.com/business](http://www.comcast.com/business) or call 1-888-737-8361.

### **About Comcast Corporation**

Comcast Corporation (Nasdaq: CMCSA, CMCSK) ([www.comcast.com](http://www.comcast.com)) is the nation's leading provider of entertainment, information and communication products and services. With 24.1 million cable customers, 15.3 million high-speed Internet customers, and 6.8 million Comcast Digital Voice customers, Comcast is principally involved in the development, management and operation of cable systems and in the delivery of programming content.

Comcast's content networks and investments include E! Entertainment Television, Style Network, Golf Channel, VERSUS, G4, PBS KIDS Sprout, TV One, ten sports networks operated by Comcast Sports Group and Comcast Interactive Media, which develops and operates Comcast's Internet businesses, including Comcast.net ([www.comcast.net](http://www.comcast.net)). Comcast also has a majority ownership in Comcast-Spectacor, whose major holdings include the Philadelphia Flyers NHL hockey team, the Philadelphia 76ers NBA basketball team and two large multipurpose arenas in Philadelphia.

Comcast's New England regions serve 2.6 million customers in Connecticut, Massachusetts, New York, New Hampshire, Vermont, and Maine and employ nearly 7,000 individuals.

###

### **Media Contact:**

Laura Brubaker  
(860) 505-3445

[Laura\\_Brubaker@cable.comcast.com](mailto:Laura_Brubaker@cable.comcast.com)