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Small Business Spotlight Awarded to Hospice of the Sacred Heart

SCRANTON, PA, February 2008- MetroAction, Inc., The Greater Scranton Chamber of Commerce, and *the Northeast Pennsylvania Business Journal* are pleased to announce Hospice of the Sacred Heart has received the February 2008 Small Business Spotlight Award for their hard work and dedication to the local community.

Hospice of the Sacred Heart is the vision of Frank A. Bucci, Jr. MD who had a desire to offer unconditional hospice care to the community that has been so kind to him.

Hospice of the Sacred Heart is a vital partner within the business community of Northeastern Pennsylvania through its multiple contracts with skilled nursing facilities, assisted living facilities, therapists, pharmacies and durable medical equipment companies.

In 2008, Hospice of the Sacred Heart plans multiple new planned projects to continue to give back to the local community such as opening a center offering health related topics to educate health care professionals along with the general public.

Contact Hospice of the Sacred Heart at (570) 706-5400 for more information.

MetroAction, the community development arm of the Greater Scranton Chamber of Commerce, provides financing, training and development services to support start-up and expanding small businesses in Carbon, Lackawanna, Luzerne, Monroe, Pike, Susquehanna, Wayne and Wyoming counties. Over the past ten years, MetroAction has provided more than \$2.5 million in financing to over 175 small businesses throughout the region, including childcare providers.

If your business is interested in being featured in the Small Business Spotlight, or for more information on MetroAction, log onto www.metroaction.org or contact Desiree Ranella, Business Development Specialist at (570) 342-7711 or dranella@metroaction.org.

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