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Diana Joseph/Barrington Strategic Wealth Management Group LLC Earns FIVE STAR Wealth Manager Award for Client Satisfaction

CHICAGO, Nov. 1, 2010 -- Barrington Strategic Wealth Management Group LLC is pleased to announce that Diana Joseph, Chief Investment Officer, and the BSWMG team have earned the 2010 FIVE STAR Wealth Manager Award for overall client satisfaction, as published in the November issue of *Chicago* magazine. The recipients of the Award are an elite group, representing less than 2% of Chicagoland wealth managers.

To identify the wealth managers with the highest overall satisfaction, approximately 1 in 4 high-net-worth households within the Chicagoland area were surveyed (over 250,000 households). Recipients were asked to evaluate wealth managers whom they know through personal experience and to evaluate them based upon nine criteria: customer service, integrity, knowledge/expertise, communication, value for fee charged, meeting of financial objectives, post-sale service, quality of recommendations and overall satisfaction. Each wealth manager was reviewed for regulatory actions, civil judicial actions and customer complaints, as reported by regulatory bodies. Before finalizing the list, wealth managers were reviewed by a blue ribbon panel comprised of individuals from within the financial services industry.

Diana Joseph has been successfully helping families, foundations and institutions to preserve and manage their wealth for almost 25 years. Her approach is disciplined and strategic, competently assessing the macroeconomic environment and planning an investment road map to make it safely down that winding road to accomplishment of her clients' goals.

According to Diana, "Barrington Strategic Wealth Management Group has a talented, first-rate team of knowledgeable people focused on optimizing the client experience and investment results."

The firm's tiered analytical process includes incisive written analysis of macroeconomic and financial issues and provides the framework for asset allocation, sector emphasis and specific investment selections.

Ms. Joseph also believes strongly in giving back to the community. She is a Member, Investment Subcommittee, Member, Core Investment Working Group and Member, Finance Committee, Jewish Federation of Metropolitan Chicago; Member, Circle of Friends, YWCA of Metropolitan Chicago; Member, Women's Bar Association of Illinois; Founding Trustee and Steering Committee Member, Jewish Women's Foundation, Chicago. Ms. Joseph is also an ardent supporter of many animal rescue and preservation organizations, including Young at Heart, Defenders of Wildlife and Best Friends Animal Society.

Barrington Strategic Wealth Management Group LLC is a boutique investment management firm located in Chicago, Illinois. For more information, call 312-870-1900 or visit www.bswmg.com. For more information on the FIVE STAR Award and the research/selection methodology, go to: fivestarprofessional.com/wmresearch.

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