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LCC EMPLOYEE TO RECEIVE “IMPACT PERSON” AWARD AT MICHIGAN WORKS! CONFERENCE

LANSING – Cathy Wilhm, Lansing Community College Career Advisor for Capital Area Michigan Works! (CAMW!) Service Centers, will be awarded the “Impact Person” Award at the Michigan Works! Association Conference on September 13-15, 2009. The award is presented to a person who has proven to be a strong advocate for and made a significant impact on Capital Area Michigan Works!

“Cathy Wilhm is a true advocate for LCC and Michigan Works!” said Kate Tykocki, APR, CAMW! Chief Communications Officer. “She provides excellent one-on-one attention to clients and sets the bar for dedication and hard work in our office. She presents job-seeker workshops, volunteers for the staff Training, Hospitality and Entertainment Committee, and boosts morale through her positive and spirited attitude.”

Wilhm and her team are available to serve more than 1,000 job seekers daily in recommending appropriate education choices.

Wilhm, who previously owned a Grand Ledge business, assumed her position at CAMW! in 2001. She is a Certified Global Career Development Facilitator, providing assistance in identifying career and educational opportunities. She is currently active with the Grand Ledge Rotary and The Net, an independent group providing support for children. She also serves as treasurer of the Clinton Area Transportation Millage Committee.

LCC is a strong partner with Capital Area Michigan Works! In addition to their partnership with the CAMW! Lansing Service Center, the college also partners in the CAMW! Work First program, as well as the English-as-a-Second Language program, located on the LCC campus. Capital Area Michigan Works! partnered with Lansing Community College to build the Michigan Technical Educational Center (M-TEC) located at LCC’s West Campus. The investment was made possible by a \$4 million grant provided by the Michigan Department of Career Development.