

# Bank names new president

Robert K. Kettenmann has been named the new president and chief operating officer of Darien Rowayton Bank.

Kettenmann is a senior banking executive with an extensive commercial and retail banking background. He spent over 20 years at the Chase Manhattan Bank in a variety of executive positions, including president of Chase's banking subsidiary in Spain. Kettenmann later was employed by the Dime Savings Bank of New York, where he held a series of senior management positions, including executive vice president and general manager of the consumer lending division. Under Kettenmann's leadership, Dime built a national consumer lending business while introducing a number of technology solutions designed to enhance the customer experience.

"Bob brings to our bank a wealth of experience in retail and business banking", said John M. Bowes, chairman and chief executive and principle founder of the organization. "He has a clear vision of how our bank can and will prosper in this ever changing and increasingly competitive marketplace. He has a tremendous track record of success and we are fortunate to have someone of Bob's experience to help lead our bank."

"Darien Rowayton Bank has built a solid base in the communities it serves by delivering a full range of financial products combined with outstanding personal service," said Kettenmann. "It is well positioned to play a key role in the continued growth of these communities. I am delighted to have the opportunity to work with such a talented, dedicated group of professionals."

Darien Rowayton Bank is the first Connecticut chartered community bank structured to offer a full complement of consumer and business banking products, as well as trust and financial services capabilities, including financial and retirement



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