

SilverSource, Inc.
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Ribbon Cutting Ceremony Held to Celebrate Opening of New SilverSource Offices

STAMFORD, CT (September 26, 2016) Approximately 75 community leaders gathered last week at SilverSource, Inc. for a ribbon cutting ceremony to celebrate the organization's new, expanded office. SilverSource, a leader in supporting older adults and their families and advocating on their behalf, is located at 2009 Summer Street, 3rd Floor in Stamford, CT.

"This is a major milestone in our 108 year history of service in the community," said Kathleen Bordelon, Executive Director of SilverSource. "We started this initiative three years ago and we followed through with a strategic plan that we developed with Harvard Business School of Community Partners. In addition to changing our name in 2015, we conducted assessments to understand the needs of our constituents, we streamlined our programming, and our move to larger offices was simply the next step in our evolution."

The new offices position SilverSource to manage the unprecedented growth of the older adult population. The CT Data Collaborative and CT Legislative Commission on Aging projects that between 2010 and 2040 the over 65 population will grow by 57% in Connecticut.

"Today's event is part of a longer view," said SilverSource Board Chair Karen Kelly. "SilverSource understands that an aging population will dramatically shift how we all live. We've prepared ourselves to better serve greater numbers of older adults and their families, we're leading professional networking forums and we're reaching out to the larger community with educational events so we can all lead independent, healthy and fulfilled lives as we age."

SilverSource is hosting a community-wide event next month at their 2nd Annual Autumn Breakfast, entitled ***Live-Love-Laugh: Creating Livable Communities***. Attendees will hear experts detail the challenges facing our communities as we prepare for the rise of the over 60 population, and will share innovative solutions some farsighted communities are already implementing. The event takes place Thursday, October 27th at the Italian Center of Stamford and tickets are now on sale. For details visit www.SilverSource.org or call [203-324-6584](tel:203-324-6584).

"It's a great community because of people who make this a livable city. One of the things that I am truly blessed with as a mayor is a number of really strong nonprofit organizations, and certainly SilverSource is one of those," said Stamford Mayor Martin. "SilverSource is a very important asset to the community, and as we all age the services they provide are more important than ever. SilverSource is positioned to be a leader in the community," added Senator Carlo Leone (D).

About SilverSource, Inc.

SilverSource, formerly known as Senior Services of Stamford, was founded in 1908. It is an independent, nonprofit organization that provides information, financial support, and other services that positively improve the quality of life for people over age 60 while serving as an aging resource center and referral

source for older adults and their families. SilverSource, Inc., is a 501(c) 3, is located at 2009 Summer Street in Stamford, CT 06905. For more information visit www.silversource.org or call [203.324.6584](tel:203.324.6584).

Images to accompany this release:

Ribbon Cutting.jpg

Caption: SilverSource held a ribbon cutting celebration for the organization's new, expanded offices to better serve the region's older adults and their families. SilverSource is located at 2009 Summer Street, 3rd Floor in Stamford, CT. Left to right: Senator Carlo Leone (D); Kathleen Bordeon, SilverSource Executive Director; Stamford Mayor David Martin; Karen Kelly, Senior Vice President and Chief Marketing Officer First County Bank, Vice President of the First County Bank Foundation and SilverSource Board Chair; Donald J. Case, D.M.D., former SilverSource Board Chair.

Ribbon First County Bank.jpg

Caption: Left to right: Robert Granata, President & COO First County Bank; Kathleen Bordelon, Executive Director, SilverSource and Karen Kelly, Senior Vice President and Chief Marketing Officer First County Bank and Vice President of the First County Bank Foundation. Karen Kelly also serves as Board Chair for SilverSource.

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Caption: Left to right: Paola Mallozzi, Senator Carlo Leone (D), Ellen Bromley and Dr. Sharon White.

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