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VINEYARD HOUSE RECEIVES CHARITABLE GRANT



(Left) Chris Wells, President of the Martha's Vineyard Savings Bank, presents a charitable grant for \$1,500 to Past President of Vineyard House, John Early, on the front porch of Vineyard House I.

Edgartown, MA -- Martha's Vineyard Savings Bank, through the Massachusetts Bankers Association (MBA), has awarded \$1,500.00 to Vineyard House in recognition of the outstanding programs it provides to the people of Martha's Vineyard.

Chris Wells, President of Martha's Vineyard Savings Bank said, "We are proud to recognize the good work that has been accomplished by the many dedicated people who believe in the unique programs provided by the Vineyard House." Upon receiving the grant, Kathleen Ferland, Administrative Director of Vineyard House remarked, "We are very grateful for the generous support from Martha's Vineyard Savings Bank and the Mass. Bankers Association. Miracles continue to happen to the residents participating in our programs as they work hard towards rebuilding their lives."

Martha's Vineyard Savings Bank is a member of the MBA which represents commercial, savings and co-operative banks and savings and loan institutions located in Massachusetts and New England.

The MBA was founded in 1905 "To promote the general welfare and usefulness of banks and banking institutions; to secure uniformity of action, together with the practical benefit derived from personal acquaintance and from the discussion of subjects of importance to the banking, commercial and industrial interests of the State of Massachusetts, and especially in order to secure the proper consideration of questions regarding the financial and commercial usages, customs and laws which affect the banking interests of the State of Massachusetts, and for the protection against loss by crime."

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