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Jamestown Container, Custom Box Manufacturer, is May Employer of the Month

*Rochester, NY—April 29, 2008—*RochesterWorks! has selected the custom box manufacturer, Jamestown Container (www.jamestowncontainer.com), as Employer of the Month for May. To be named an Employer of the Month a company must be growing, increasing the skills of the local workforce, and offering opportunities to area job seekers.

Since it was founded in 1956 by Glenn Janowsky, Jamestown Container Companies has grown into a multi-plant, full-packaging supplier. Now under the leadership of Joseph R Palmeri, it supplies custom shipping cartons, POP displays, litho laminated containers, wholesale shipping supplies, contract packaging services and product package design.

Jamestown Container's Rochester plant recently worked with RochesterWorks! to increase its applicant pool and as a result hired four new employees. The average length of employment for the firm's employees is about 10 years. Jamie Newell, HR Representative/Project Coordinator, says the company's benefits and incentives, such as staff training, the Eat Well Live Well Challenge, 401K, and pension plan, contribute to that longevity.

RochesterWorks! is dedicated to helping Monroe County develop a strong workforce. *RochesterWorks!* helps job seekers find jobs, move to higher paying jobs or get training to improve skills. *RochesterWorks!* assists businesses with recruitment, assessment, placement and training, and connects them to all federally funded employment and training programs in Monroe County. *RochesterWorks!* has helped attract millions of dollars in funding to support Monroe County companies and organizations.

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