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**Univest Corporation Of Pennsylvania**

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14 North Main Street  
P. O. Box 64197  
Souderton, Pennsylvania 18964

**NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS**

April 21, 2009

**TO THE HOLDERS OF COMMON STOCK:**

The Annual Meeting of Shareholders of Univest Corporation of Pennsylvania will be held on Tuesday, April 21, 2009, at 10:45 a.m., in the Univest Building, 14 North Main Street, Souderton, Pennsylvania.

Univest's Board of Directors recommends a vote:

1. FOR the election of four Class I Directors each for a three-year term expiring in 2012 and until their successors are elected and qualified.
2. FOR the election of three Alternate Directors each for a one-year term expiring in 2010 and until their successors are elected and qualified.

Other business, of which none is anticipated, as may properly come before the meeting or any postponements or adjournments thereof will be transacted.

The close of business on February 26, 2009, has been fixed by the Board of Directors as the record date for the determination of shareholders entitled to notice of and to vote at the annual meeting.

The accompanying proxy statement forms a part of this notice.

**SEPARATE PROXY CARDS ARE ENCLOSED TO SHAREHOLDERS FOR THE PURPOSE OF VOTING ALL THEIR SHARES OF THE CORPORATION'S COMMON STOCK.**

**IT IS IMPORTANT THAT EACH SHAREHOLDER EXERCISE HIS/HER RIGHT TO VOTE.** Whether or not you plan to attend the meeting, please take a moment now to cast your vote over the Internet or by telephone in accordance with the instructions set forth on the enclosed proxy card, or alternatively, to complete, sign, and date the enclosed proxy card and return it in the postage-paid envelope we have provided in order that your shares will be represented at the meeting. If you attend the meeting, you may vote in person. If you need directions to attend the annual meeting, you may contact the Secretary of Univest by telephone at 215-721-8397 or by e-mail at [TejklK@univest.net](mailto:TejklK@univest.net).

By Order of the Board of Directors

WILLIAM S. AICHELE  
*Chairman*

KAREN E. TEJKL  
*Secretary*

March 20, 2009

**IMPORTANT NOTICE REGARDING THE AVAILABILITY OF  
PROXY MATERIALS FOR THE SHAREHOLDER MEETING TO BE HELD ON APRIL 21, 2009.**

**This Proxy Statement, the Notice of Annual Meeting of Shareholders, a form of the Proxy Card and the 2008 Annual Report to Shareholders (which is not a part of the proxy soliciting material) are available at <http://stocktrans.com/eproxy/univest2009>.**

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## PROXY STATEMENT

Univest Corporation of Pennsylvania (Univest or Corporation) is a one-bank holding company organized by Union National Bank and Trust Company of Souderton under the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956, as amended. Univest elected to become a Financial Holding Company in 2000 as provided under Title I of the Gramm-Leach-Bliley Act, and is subject to supervision by the Federal Reserve System. The Principal subsidiary of the Corporation is Univest National Bank and Trust Co. (Bank). Union National Bank and Trust Company of Souderton and Pennview Savings Bank (which was a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Corporation) were merged together on January 18, 2003 with Union National Bank and Trust Company of Souderton being the surviving entity. Upon the completion of the merger, Union National Bank and Trust Company of Souderton's name was changed to Univest National Bank and Trust Co.

The accompanying proxy is solicited by the Board of Directors (Board) of Univest Corporation of Pennsylvania, 14 North Main Street, P.O. Box 64197, Souderton, Pennsylvania 18964, for use at the Annual Meeting of Shareholders to be held April 21, 2009, and at any adjournment thereof. Copies of this proxy statement and proxies to vote the Common Stock are being sent to the shareholders on or about March 20, 2009. Any shareholder executing a proxy may revoke it at any time by giving written notice to the Secretary of the Corporation before it is voted. Some of the officers of the Corporation or employees of the Bank and other subsidiary companies or employees of StockTrans, Inc., the Corporation's transfer agent, may solicit proxies personally and by telephone, if deemed necessary. The Corporation will bear the cost of solicitation and will reimburse brokers or other persons holding shares of the Corporation's voting stock in their names, or in the names of their nominees, for reasonable expense in forwarding proxy cards and proxy statements to beneficial owners of such stock.

The person named in the proxy will vote in accordance with the instructions of the shareholder executing the proxy, or in the absence of any such instruction, for or against on each matter in accordance with the recommendations of the Board set forth in the proxy.

Univest's Board of Directors recommends a vote:

1. FOR the election of four Class I Directors each for a three-year term expiring in 2012 and until their successors are elected and qualified.
2. FOR the election of three alternate Directors each for a one-year term expiring in 2010 and until their successors are elected and qualified.

The Board has fixed the close of business on February 26, 2009, as the record date for the determination of shareholders entitled to notice and to vote at the Annual Meeting. As of February 26, 2009, there were 14,873,904 issued and 12,996,262 outstanding shares of Common Stock (exclusive of 1,877,613 shares held as treasury stock which will not be voted).

Holders of record of the Corporation's Common Stock on February 26, 2009 will be entitled to one vote per share on all business of the meeting. The matters of business listed in this proxy will be decided by majority vote of the shares represented at the meeting. Certain other matters, of which none are anticipated to be voted upon at the meeting, may require super majority approval as specified by the amended Articles of Incorporation. The presence in person or by proxy of the holders of the majority of the outstanding shares of Common Stock will constitute a quorum for the transaction of business at the meeting.

As of February 26, 2009, Univest National Bank and Trust Co. held 1,256,946 shares or 9.7% of the Corporation's outstanding Common Stock in various trust accounts in a fiduciary capacity in its Trust Department. No one trust

account has 5% or more of the Corporation's Common Stock.

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A copy of the Annual Report to Shareholders, including financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2008, was mailed on March 20, 2009 to each shareholder of record as of February 26, 2009. The Annual Report is not a part of the proxy soliciting material.

**SPECIAL CAUTIONARY NOTICE REGARDING  
FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS**

The information contained in this Proxy Statement and the documents that have been incorporated herein by reference may contain forward-looking statements. When used or incorporated by reference in disclosure documents, the words believe, anticipate, estimate, expect, project, target, goal and similar expressions are intended to identify forward-looking statements within the meaning of section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933. Such forward-looking statements are subject to certain risks, uncertainties and assumptions, including those set forth below:

Operating, legal and regulatory risks

Economic, political and competitive forces impacting various lines of business

The risk that our analysis of these risks and forces could be incorrect and/or that the strategies developed to address them could be unsuccessful

Volatility in interest rates

Other risks and uncertainties

Should one or more of these risks or uncertainties materialize, or should underlying assumptions prove incorrect, actual results may vary materially from those anticipated, estimated, expected or projected. These forward-looking statements speak only as of the date of the report. Uninvest expressly disclaims any obligation to publicly release any updates or revisions to reflect any change in Uninvest's expectations with regard to any change in events, conditions or circumstances on which any such statement is based.

**ELECTION OF DIRECTORS AND ALTERNATE DIRECTORS**

The person named in the accompanying proxy intends to vote to elect as Directors the nominees listed below in each case, unless authority to vote for Directors is withheld in the proxy. The Bylaws authorize the Board to fix the number of Directors to be elected from time-to-time. By proper motion, it has established the number at four Class I Directors each to be elected for a three-year term expiring in 2012 and a pool of three Alternate Directors each to be elected for a one-year term expiring in 2010.

The Nominating Committee has recommended the slate of nominees listed below for election as Class I Directors and Alternate Directors. Management is informed that all the nominees are willing to serve as directors, but if any of them should decline or be unable to serve, the persons named in the proxy will vote for the election of such other person or persons as may be designated by the Board, unless the Board reduces the number of directors in accordance with the Corporation's Bylaws.

The following information, as of February 26, 2009, is provided with respect to the nominees for election to the Board.

Name	Age	Business Experience	Director Since**
<b>Class I (each continuing for a three-year term expiring 2012):*</b>			
William S. Aichele	58	Chairman, President, and CEO of the Corporation and Chairman of the Bank	1990
Norman L. Keller	71	Retired Executive Vice President of the Corporation	1990
Thomas K. Leidy	70	Retired President and CEO, Leidy's, Inc. (Pork Processing); Vice President ALL Holdings	1984
Mark A. Schlosser	44	President, Schlosser Steel, Inc. (Steel Manufacturing)	2005
<b>Alternate Directors (each to be elected for a one-year term expiring 2010):*</b>			
H. Paul Lewis	65	Retired Executive Vice President of the Bank; Vice President/Sales Agent, Bucks County Commercial Realty, Inc.	2008
K. Leon Moyer	59	Vice Chairman of the Corporation and President and Chief Executive Officer of the Bank	2005
Margaret K. Zook	63	Retired Executive Director, Souderton Mennonite Homes (Retirement Community)	1999



The following Directors are not subject to election now as they were elected in prior years for terms expiring in future years.

Name	Age	Business Experience	Director Since**
<b>Class II (each continuing for a three-year term expiring 2010):</b>			
Charles H. Hoefflich	94	Chairman Emeritus of the Corporation	1962
William G. Morral, CPA	62	Financial Consultant; Former CFO, Moyer Packing Company	2002
John U. Young	70	Retired President and CEO, Alderfer Bologna Co., Inc.	1990
<b>Class III (each to be elected for a three-year term expiring 2011):</b>			
Marvin A. Anders	69	Retired Chairman of the Corporation and the Bank	1996
R. Lee Delp	62	Principal, R. L. Delp & Company (Business Consulting)	1994
H. Ray Mininger	68	President, H. Mininger & Son, Inc. (General Contractor)	1995
P. Gregory Shelly	63	President, Shelly Enterprises, Inc. (Building Materials)	1985

\* All nominees are now directors or alternate directors respectively.

\*\* Dates indicate initial year as a director or alternate director of Uninvest or the Bank.

The following information, as of February 26, 2009, is provided with respect to the Named Executive Officers of the Corporation not serving as a Director or Alternate Director of the Board.

Name	Age	Current Primary Positions	Current Position Since
Duane J. Brobst	56	Executive Vice President and Chief Risk Officer of the Corporation and the Bank; (Has been employed by the Corporation for past sixteen years, most recently as Chief Credit Officer prior to this position)	2008
Kenneth D. Hochstetler	47	Senior Executive Vice President of the Corporation; President of Uninvest Investments; and President of Uninvest Insurance	2004
Jeffrey M. Schweitzer	35	Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer of the Corporation and the Bank (Prior to joining the Corporation in 2007, was employed for twelve years at Ernst & Young, LLP, most recently as senior	2007

manager)

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**Beneficial Ownership of Directors and Officers**

Name	Shares of Common Stock Beneficially Owned at 2/26/09*	Percent of Outstanding Shares
William S. Aichele(1)	134,764	1.04%
Marvin A. Anders(2)	112,703	**
R. Lee Delp	10,107	**
Charles H. Hoefflich	217,377	1.67%
Norman L. Keller(3)	81,076	**
Thomas K. Leidy(4)	103,353	**
H. Paul Lewis	3,237	**
H. Ray Mininger(5)	28,426	**
William G. Morral(6)	30,634	**
K. Leon Moyer(7)	55,716	**
Merrill S. Moyer(8)***	133,845	1.03%
Mark A. Schlosser(9)	14,276	**
P. Gregory Shelly(10)	112,589	**
John U. Young(11)	17,607	**
Margaret K. Zook	1,105	**
Jeffrey M. Schweitzer	4,235	**
Kenneth D. Hochstetler(12)	18,684	**
Duane J. Brobst(13)	19,761	**
All Directors and Executive Officers as a Group (18 persons)	1,099,495	8.46%

\* The shares Beneficially owned may include shares owned by or for, among others, the spouse and/or minor children of the individuals and any other relative who has the same home as such individual, as well as other shares as to which the individual has or shares voting or investment power. Beneficial ownership may be disclaimed as to certain of the securities. No securities are pledged as collateral or security.

\*\* Beneficially owns less than 1% of the outstanding shares of the Common Stock of the Corporation.

\*\*\* Merrill S. Moyer will retire as of the 2009 Annual Meeting of Shareholders.

- (1) Includes 9,370 shares in the Uninvest Deferred Salary Savings Plan in which Mr. Aichele has a pecuniary interest. He disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares. Also included are 30,248 shares which may be acquired by the exercise of vested stock options.
- (2) Includes 36,297 shares owned by a member of Mr. Anders family. He disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares.
- (3) Includes 45,574 shares owned by members of Mr. Keller s family. He disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares.
- (4)

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Includes 9,857 shares owned by a member of Mr. Leidy's family and 3,725 shares over which he shares voting and/or investment power. He disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares.

- (5) Includes 9,665 shares over which Mr. Mininger shares voting and/or investment power and 985 shares owned by a member of his family. He disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares.
- (6) Includes 3,119 shares owned by members of Mr. Morral's family and 2,268 shares over which he shares voting and/or investment power. He disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares.

- (7) Includes 6,813 shares owned by members of Mr. Moyer's family. He disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares. Also included are 11,000 shares which may be acquired by the exercise of vested stock options.
- (8) Includes 62,492 shares owned by a member of Mr. Moyer's family. He disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares.
- (9) Includes 13,433 shares over which Mr. Schlosser shares voting and/or investment power and 843 shares owned by a member of his family. He disclaims beneficial interest of these shares.
- (10) Includes 39,993 shares owned by members of Mr. Shelly's family. He disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares.
- (11) Includes 7,114 shares owned by a member of Mr. Young's family. He disclaims beneficial ownership of these shares.
- (12) Includes 4,100 shares which may be acquired by the exercise of vested stock options.
- (13) Includes 4,250 shares which may be acquired by the exercise of vested stock options.

#### **Compliance with Section 16 (a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934**

Section 16 (a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 requires the Corporation's Directors and Executive Officers, and persons who own more than ten percent of a registered class of the Corporation's equity securities, to file with the SEC initial reports of ownership and reports of changes in ownership of Common Shares and other equity securities of the Corporation. Officers, Directors and greater than ten percent shareholders are required by SEC regulations to furnish the Corporation with copies of all Section 16 (a) forms they file.

To the Corporation's knowledge, based solely on a review of the copies of such reports furnished to the Corporation and written representations that no other reports were required during the fiscal year ended December 31, 2008, all Section 16 (a) reports by its Officers, Directors and greater than ten percent beneficial owners were timely filed except reports filed by: H. Ray Mininger for the sale of 1,500 shares of Common Stock of the Corporation from the H. Ray Mininger Irrevocable Family Trust on April 7, 2008, which was inadvertently filed late.

#### **The Board, the Board's Committees and Their Functions**

The Corporation's Board met eleven (11) times during 2008. All of the Directors attended at least 75% of the meetings of the Board and of the committees of which they were members. All Directors are encouraged to attend the annual meeting of Shareholders. In 2008, all but one Director were present at the annual shareholder's meeting. The Board has established a number of committees, including the Audit Committee, the Compensation Committee and the Nominating and Governance Committee, each of which is described below.

All shareholder correspondence to the Board may be sent to the Corporation and will be forwarded to the appropriate Board member or committee chair. To contact any Board members or committee chairs, please mail your correspondence to:

Univest Corporation  
Attention (Board Member's name)  
Office of the Corporate Secretary

14 N. Main Street  
P.O. Box 64197  
Souderton, PA 18964

**Board of Director Committees for the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2008**

<b>Board Member</b>	<b>Corporate Board</b>	<b>Audit</b>	<b>Compensation</b>	<b>Nominating and Governance</b>	<b>Independent*</b>
William S. Aichele	Chairman				
Marvin A. Anders	X		X	X	X
R. Lee Delp	X		X	X	X
Charles H. Hoefflich	X		Chairman	X	X
Norman L. Keller	X	X			X
Thomas K. Leidy	X		X	X	X
H. Ray Mininger	X				
William G. Morral	X	X			X
Merrill S. Moyer**	X	Chairman	X	Chairman	X
P. Gregory Shelly	X	X			X
John U. Young	X	X			X

\* Director meets the independence requirements as defined in the listing standards of the NASDAQ Stock Market and SEC regulations.

\*\* Merrill S. Moyer will retire as of the 2009 Annual Meeting of Shareholders.

**Audit Committee**

The Audit Committee's responsibilities include: annual review of and recommendation to the Board for the selection of the Corporation's independent registered public accounting firm, review with the internal auditors and independent registered public accounting firm the overall scope and plans for the respective audits as well as the results of such audits, and review with management and the internal auditors and independent registered public accounting firm the effectiveness of accounting and financial controls, and interim and annual financial reports. All of the members of the Audit Committee are independent as defined in the listing standards of the NASDAQ Stock Market and SEC regulations.

As of January 1, 2009, Marvin A. Anders was named Chairman of the Audit Committee. The Board has determined that Mr. Anders meets the requirements adopted by the Securities and Exchange Commission and the NASDAQ Stock Market for qualification as an audit committee financial expert. Mr. Anders has past employment experience with the Corporation, from which he retired as Chairman in 2004. Mr. Anders has served as member of the Board since 1996. Mr. Anders, extensive career experience with the Corporation exceeded forty year and included active supervision of audit, operations and trust, providing him with a high level of financial sophistication, as well as a comprehensive knowledge of internal controls and audit committee functions. An audit committee financial expert is defined as a person who has the following attributes: (i) an understanding of generally accepted accounting principles and financial statements; (ii) the ability to assess the general application of such principles in connection with the accounting for estimates, accruals and reserves; (iii) experience preparing, auditing, analyzing or evaluating financial statements that present a breadth and level of complexity of accounting issues that are generally comparable to the breadth and complexity of issues that can reasonably be expected to be raised by the registrant's financial statements, or experience actively supervising one or more persons engaged in such activities; (iv) an understanding of internal controls and procedures for financial reporting; and (v) an understanding of audit committee functions.





The identification of a person as an audit committee financial expert does not impose on such person any duties, obligations or liability that are greater than those that are imposed on such person as a member of the Audit Committee and the Board in the absence of such identification. Moreover, the identification of a person as an audit committee financial expert for purposes of the regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission does not affect the duties, obligations or liability of any other member of the Audit Committee or the Board. Additionally, a person who is determined to be an audit committee financial expert will not be deemed an expert for purposes of Section 11 of the Securities Act of 1933.

The Board approved an updated Audit Committee Charter in January 2008. At the February 2007 meeting of the Audit Committee, the Committee re-approved the Audit and Non-Audit Services Pre-Approval Policy. Copies of these documents may be found on the Corporation's Web Site: [www.univest.net](http://www.univest.net) in the INVESTORS section under Governance Documents.

#### **REPORT OF THE AUDIT COMMITTEE**

The Audit Committee (Committee) met five (5) times in 2008. The Committee has reviewed and discussed the audited consolidated financial statements of the Corporation for the year ended December 31, 2008, with the Corporation's management. The Committee has discussed with KPMG LLP (KPMG), the Corporation's independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2008, the matters required to be discussed by Statement on Auditing Standards (SAS) No. 114 (The Auditors Communication with Those Charged with Governance.) SAS No. 114 supersedes SAS No. 61 (Communication with Audit Committees).

The Committee has also received the written disclosures and the letter from KPMG required by Independence Standards Board Standard No. 1 (Independence Discussion with Audit Committees), as adopted by the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board, and the Committee has discussed the independence of KPMG with that firm.

Based on the Committee's review and discussions noted above, the Committee recommended to the Board that the Corporation's audited consolidated financial statements be included in the Corporation's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2008, for filing with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

#### **UNIVEST AUDIT COMMITTEE:**

Marvin A. Anders, Chairman  
Norman L. Keller  
William G. Morral  
Merrill S. Moyer  
P. Gregory Shelly  
John U. Young

### Appointment of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm for 2008

On July 22, 2008, the Corporation retained KPMG LLP (KPMG) as its independent registered public accounting firm for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2008. The selection of the independent registered public accounting firm was recommended and approved by the Audit Committee.

Prior to 2004, shareholder ratification of the selection of the independent registered public accounting firm for the Corporation was requested at the annual shareholder meeting. In the spirit of the corporate governance requirements of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, and Section 10A (m)(2) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, which states "The audit committee of each issuer, in its capacity as a committee of the board of directors, shall be directly responsible for the appointment, compensation, and oversight of the work of any registered public accounting firm employed by the issuer (including resolution of disagreements between management and the auditor regarding financial reporting) for the purpose of preparing or issuing an audit report or related work, and each such registered public accounting firm shall report directly to the audit committee" the Audit Committee, with the approval of the Board, has determined that a ratification vote would inhibit the committee's ability to make timely decisions with respect to the appointment and/or dismissal of the independent registered public accounting firm and has therefore recommended removal of the ratification vote from the proxy process.

A representative from KPMG, as independent registered public accounting firm for the current fiscal year, is expected to be present at the Annual Meeting and will have an opportunity to make a statement if they so desire and will be available to respond to appropriate questions.

### Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm Fees

The following table presents fees for professional services rendered by KPMG for the integrated audit, including an audit of the Corporation's annual financial statements and internal controls over financial reporting, and fees billed for other services rendered by KPMG:

	2008	2007
Audit Fees	\$ 433,749	\$ 401,797
Audit Related Fees <sup>(1)</sup>	71,100	52,000
Tax Fees <sup>(2)</sup>	64,914	66,341
Other Fees	-0-	-0-

(1) Includes audit of benefit plans, FOCUS report audit and student loan agreed upon procedures; 100% of these fees were approved pursuant to the Audit Committee's pre-approval policy and procedures.

(2) Includes preparation of federal and state tax returns and tax compliance issues; 100% of these fees were approved pursuant to the Audit Committee's pre-approval policy and procedures.

## **EXECUTIVE AND DIRECTOR COMPENSATION**

### **COMPENSATION DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS**

The principal objective of the Corporation is to maximize shareholder value through the development and enhancement of the Corporation's business operations. To further that objective, the Corporation's executive compensation program is designed to:

Attract and retain employees in leadership positions in the Corporation by recognizing the importance of these individuals in carrying out the Corporation's Mission Statement and Core Values and new Vision Statement: To be the best integrated financial solutions provider in the market. These key statements are critical in keeping us focused on our short-term and long-term goals for the success of the Corporation.

Support strategic performance objectives through the use of compensation programs. The goal of the executive compensation program is to provide the executive with a total compensation package competitive with the market and industry in which the Corporation operates, and to promote the long-term goals, stability and performance of the Corporation. By doing this, we will align the interests of management with those of our shareholders.

Support the Corporation's management development and succession plans.

Create a mutuality of interest between executive officers and shareholders through compensation structures that share the rewards and risks of strategic decision-making.

Require executives to acquire substantial levels of ownership of Corporation stock in order to better align the executives' interests with those of the shareholders' interests through a variety of plans.

Ensure, to the extent possible, that compensation has been and will continue to be tax deductible.

An executive's total compensation is composed of three primary components: base salary compensation, annual incentive compensation, and long-term incentive compensation. Each component is based on individual and group performance factors, which are measured objectively and subjectively by the Compensation Committee.

## **EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION**

### **BASE SALARY COMPENSATION**

The Compensation Committee's approach is to offer competitive salaries in comparison with market practices. The Committee annually examines market compensation levels and trends observed in the labor market. For its purposes, the Compensation Committee has defined the labor markets as the pool of executives who are currently employed in similar positions in companies with similar asset size, with special emphasis placed on salaries paid by companies that constitute the banking industry. Market information is used as a frame of reference for annual salary adjustments and starting salaries.

The Compensation Committee makes salary decisions in a structured annual review. The Compensation Committee considers decision-making responsibilities, experience, work performance and achievement of key goals, and team-building skills of each position as the most important measurement factors in its annual reviews. To help quantify these measures, the committee has, from time to time, enlisted the assistance of independent compensation

consultants. Base salaries are determined by considering the experience and responsibilities of the individual executive officer with a target of paying at the median (50%) level of our peer group adjusted for overall performance of

the individual executive. Base salaries are adjusted annually and are in effect for the period January 1 through December 31.

During 2008, the Corporation engaged Mosteller & Associates to accumulate comparative data on the Corporation's peer group which the Compensation Committee utilized in adjusting the base salary of its executive group. The Corporation's peer group, twenty-one (21) institutions of similar asset size and regional location, consists of: National Penn Bancshares, Inc.; S&T Bancorp, Inc.; Harleysville National Corporation; WSFS Financial Corporation; Sandy Spring Bancorp, Inc.; Independent Bank Corp.; Washington Trust Bancorp, Inc.; Lakeland Bancorp, Inc.; Tompkins Financial Corporation; Hudson Valley Holding Corp.; Sterling Bancorp; OceanFirst Financial Corp.; Peoples Bancorp Inc.; Parkvale Financial Corporation; First Defiance Financial Corp.; Arrow Financial Corporation; First United Corporation; Peapack-Gladstone Financial Corporation; First National Community Bancorp, VIST Financial Corp; and Bryn Mawr Bank Corporation.

Increases in base salary compensation during 2008 were based on individual performance and a selected peer group compensation review along with market analysis, which provides a generally broader view of compensation practices than the more limited peer group represented by the proxy study performed by the Corporation's independent compensation consultants.

Compensation for Group Life Insurance premiums, hospitalization and medical plans, and other personal benefits are provided to all full-time employees and part-time employees averaging a certain number of hours and do not discriminate in favor of officers of the Corporation or its subsidiaries.

## **ANNUAL INCENTIVES**

Univest established a non-equity annual incentive plan to reward executive officers for accomplishing annual financial objectives. The weighted financial measures and related targets for the plan are set forth in the preceding fiscal year by the Compensation Committee. The annual incentive program consists primarily of cash bonuses paid for: 1) individual performance to reinforce the critical focus of our executive officers on certain annual objectives that have significant impact on our long-term performance strategy; and 2) meeting annual Corporation performance goals (annual net income, efficiency ratio, return on average assets, return on average equity or other annual performance targets as set by the Compensation Committee). An executive may receive up to 50% of their annual incentive bonus in shares of the Corporation's stock which the Corporation will match with a restricted stock grant. The restricted stock grant will vest ratably over a five-year period. The purpose of this deferral option is to further align the executive's interests with those of the shareholders, promote retention and keep the executive focused on the long-term viability, performance and stability of the Corporation.

For the year-ended December 31, 2008, based on the projected performance goals, the threshold was set at a 40% payout, the target was established at a 100% payout and a maximum was established at a 150% payout; if the projected performance goals are less than the established threshold amounts, there is no payout. Understanding that actual results will not equal the Target, Threshold or Optimum goals exactly, the payout under the Annual Incentive Compensation plan will be interpolated based on actual results compared to Threshold, Target and Optimum. Performance above Optimum will be interpolated using one-half the rate of increase used for Target to Optimum. The Annual Incentive Compensation plan provides for laddered payouts based on actual results compared to Target and by Officer Category as detailed in the table below. Category 1 is the CEO of the Corporation, Category 2 is the CEO of the Bank, Category 3 is any Senior Executive Vice President of the Corporation or Bank and Category 4 is an Executive Vice President of the Corporation or Bank.



	<b>Threshold 80 pts.</b>	<b>Target 100 pts.</b>	<b>Optimum 120 pts.</b>
Category 1	20.0%	50.0%	75.0%
Category 2	16.0%	40.0%	60.0%
Category 3	14.0%	35.0%	52.5%
Category 4	10.0%	25.0%	37.5%

Note: Above percentages are a percent of year-to-date base salary.

The payout under the Annual Incentive Compensation plan will occur on January 31st, or the next business day if the 31st falls on a weekend, of each year. The payout will be based 25% on the performance of the individual and their contribution to the corporation in the particular year and 75% on the achievement of Corporation performance targets for the year. Each individual performance metric will have a Threshold, Target and Optimum component. The Corporate performance metrics which will be measured each will have a 25% weighting and will be:

Net Income

Return on average assets

Return on average equity

Efficiency ratio

Recognizing that unforeseen events in the economy could have an impact on yearly performance of the Corporation, but still result in the Corporation, through focused and disciplined management, exceeding the performance of its Select Peer Group, as determined by the Board of Directors, which consists of ten high-performing financial institutions located within or close to the Corporation's market area, the Annual Incentive Compensation Plan also has a Peer Performance Lever. The Compensation Committee has the discretion to pay out at the Threshold level, even if the Corporation's performance does not meet Threshold levels, if the Corporation's performance exceeds 50% of the Select Peer Group performance with respect to Return on Average Assets and Return on Average Equity, blended. Additionally, the Compensation Committee has the discretion to pay out at the Target level, even if the Corporation's performance does not meet Target levels, if the Corporation's performance exceeds 80% of the Select Peer Group performance with respect to Return on Average Assets and Return on Average Equity, blended. Finally, the Compensation Committee has the discretion to not pay out the Annual Incentive Compensation if the Corporation's performance does not exceed 40% of the Select Peer Group performance with respect to Return on Average Assets and Return on Average Equity, blended.

## **LONG-TERM INCENTIVES**

### **Stock-Based Compensation**

The long-term incentive program consists primarily of stock options and restricted stock grants, which are granted based on the Corporation's performance compared to its selected peers with respect to certain financial measures. The purpose of the program is to align management's interests with those of our shareholders, promote employee retention and also to ensure management's focus on the long-term stability and performance of the Corporation. The Corporation's target is to pay out incentive compensation, both short-term and long-term, at the median (50%) level of

our peer group.

At the Annual Meeting in 2003, the shareholders approved the Uninvest 2003 Long-Term Incentive Plan; at the Annual Meeting in 2008, the shareholders approved the Amended and Restated Uninvest 2003 Long-term Incentive



Plan. The purpose of the plan is to enable employees of the Corporation to: (i) own shares of stock in the Corporation, (ii) participate in the shareholder value which has been created, (iii) have a mutuality of interest with other shareholders and (iv) enable the Corporation to attract, retain and motivate key employees of particular merit. Participation in the 2003 Long-Term Incentive Plan is determined by the Compensation Committee. The plan authorizes the Committee to grant both stock and/or cash-based awards through incentive and non-qualified stock options, stock appreciation rights, restricted stock, and/or long-term performance awards to participants. With respect to these grants, 1,500,000 shares were set aside for these long-term incentives. At the time of an award grant, the Committee will determine the type of award to be made and the specific conditions upon which an award will be granted (i.e. term, vesting, performance criteria, etc.).

Upon a change in control: any stock appreciation rights outstanding for at least six months and any stock options awarded which have been held for at least six months shall become fully vested and exercisable; restrictions applicable to any restricted stock award shall lapse and such shares shall be deemed fully vested; the value of all outstanding stock options, stock appreciation rights and restricted stock awards shall be cashed out on the basis of the fair market value; and any outstanding long-term performance awards shall be vested and paid out based on the prorated target results for the performance periods in question.

Long-term incentive compensation consists of a combination of stock options and performance-based restricted stock. The granting of options is anticipated to occur annually, at the discretion of the Compensation Committee, on January 31st and is not contingent on the achievement of annual targets described under *Annual Incentive Compensation*. The number of options to be granted each year will be determined by the Compensation Committee.

Performance-based restricted stock grants are anticipated to be granted each year on January 31st based on the Top Quintile performance as detailed in the chart below. The performance-based restricted stock will vest on February 15th after three years of performance (i.e. restricted stock granted on January 31, 2009 will vest on February 15, 2012) based on the Corporation's performance compared to its Select Peer Group with respect to three-year average Return on Average Assets and Return on Average Equity, blended.

	<b>Top Quintile 80% - 100%</b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Quintile 60% - 80%</b>	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Quintile 40% - 60%</b>
Category 1	7,500	5,000	2,500
Category 2	5,625	3,750	1,875
Category 3	3,750	2,500	1,250
Category 4	2,250	1,500	750

### **Post-Retirement Plans**

Univest provides a qualified pension plan to all employees and non-qualified pension plans for certain executive officers. The Defined Benefit Pension Plan (DBPP) is a nondiscriminatory retirement plan which qualifies under the Internal Revenue Code. The DBPP is a noncontributory defined benefit retirement plan covering substantially all employees of the Corporation and its wholly owned subsidiaries. In order to be eligible for the DBPP, employees must complete one year of service (defined as working more than 1,000 hours) and attain age 21. The DBPP is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA.) The DBPP is administered by a Pension Committee appointed by the Board of Directors of the Corporation. The Pension Committee has appointed Univest National Bank and Trust Co., a wholly owned subsidiary of the Corporation, as trustee of the DBPP.

Employer contributions are based on amounts required to be funded under the provisions of ERISA. No contributions are required or permitted by the participants.

The normal retirement date is the first day of the month in which the participant's 65th birthday occurs and he/she has completed five years of credited service. The normal annual retirement benefit amount is 1.5% of average earnings for each year of credited service up to 20 years plus 0.5% of average earnings for each year of credited service in excess of 20, plus 0.25% of average earnings in excess of the average Social Security wage base for each year of credited service up to 35 years.

Each participant who has at least 10 years of service and who has attained age 55 may elect to retire early within the 10-year period immediately prior to his normal retirement age. These participants who elect and qualify for early retirement are considered fully vested by the DBPP. The early retirement benefit is based on credited service and average earnings at early retirement date without reduction on the date when the participant's age plus years of service equal 85, but not before age 62 or after age 65. Benefits are reduced from that retirement date by 6% per year for the first five years and 4% per year thereafter to age 55.

Participants are not vested until they have completed five years of service, at which time they become fully vested in the DBPP. Participants may elect to receive pension benefits in the form of a joint and survivor annuity, a life annuity, or a lump-sum payment.

A vested participant who dies before the annuity starting date and who has a surviving spouse shall have his death benefit paid to his surviving spouse in the form of a pre-retirement survivor annuity and may have his death benefit distributed to his beneficiaries within five years after his death.

While the Corporation has not expressed any intent to do so, the DBPP may be discontinued at any time, subject to the provisions of ERISA. In the event such discontinuance results in termination of the DBPP, the DBPP provides that the net assets of the plan shall be allocated among the participants in the order provided for in ERISA. To the extent there are unfunded vested benefits other than benefits becoming vested by virtue of termination of the DBPP, ERISA provides that such benefits are payable to participants by the Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation (PBGC) up to specified limitations.

Should the DBPP terminate at some future time, its assets generally will not be available on a pro rata basis to provide participants' benefits. Whether a particular participant's accumulated plan benefits will be paid depends on both the priority of those benefits and the level of benefits guaranteed by the PBGC at that time. Some benefits may be fully or partially provided for by the then-existing assets and the PBGC guaranty while other benefits may not be provided for at all.

The non-qualified plans include a Supplemental Retirement Plan and a Supplemental Non-Qualified Pension Plan inclusive of a Medical Reimbursement Plan and Split-Dollar Life Insurance. These non-qualified plans generally provide an additional retirement benefit paid to the employee beginning at age 65 for a term between 10 and 15 years, plus death benefits. An employee, upon attaining the age of 60, may elect early retirement and be entitled to receive this benefit based upon the employee's accrual balance as of the early retirement date.

The Supplemental Retirement Plan (SERP) was established in 1994 for employees whose date of hire was prior to January 1, 1994, were a current participant in the qualified pension plan for at least five years and whose benefit under the qualified pension plan was affected by the changes made to the Internal Revenue Code Section 401(a)(17) as enacted in the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1993. The SERP establishes a payment to the participant that equates to the difference between: the payment amount of the qualified plan retirement benefit to which the participant would have been entitled under the qualified plan if such benefit were computed subject to Code Section 401(a)(17) as in effect prior to the effective date of the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1993; and the amount of the qualified plan retirement benefit actually payable to the participant. Under a change in control, no termination of the



SERP shall directly or indirectly deprive any current or former participant or surviving spouse of all or any portion of the SERP benefit of which has commenced prior to the effective date of such change in control.

The Supplemental Non-Qualified Pension Plan (SNQPP) was established in 1981 for employees who have served for several years, with ability and distinction, in one of the primary policy-making senior level positions at Univest, with the understanding that the future growth and continued success of Univest's business may well reflect the continued services to be rendered by these employees and Univest's desire to be reasonably assured that these employees will continue to serve and realizing that if these employees would enter into competition with Univest, it would suffer severe financial loss. The SNQPP was established prior to the existence of a 401K Deferred Savings Plan, the Employee Stock Purchase Plan and the Long-Term Incentive Plans and therefore is not actively offered to new participants. At the age of 65 years, covered employees will receive annual payments equivalent to fifty percent of their annual salary at their retirement date, adjusted annually thereafter by a percentage of the change in the Consumer Price Index (CPI). Between the ages of 60 and 65, covered employees may choose early retirement and receive payments under the SNQPP based on the employee's accrual balance, adjusted annually thereafter by a percentage of the change in the CPI. The benefit period is a maximum of fifteen years. Benefits will continue to be paid to the employee's beneficiary upon the employee's death for the remainder of the benefit period. Payments under the SNQPP are capped each year and adjusted annually by a percentage of the change in the CPI. In 2008 the maximum benefit payable was \$110 thousand. Upon a change in control, the covered employee is entitled to a lump sum benefit equal to the present value of his accrued balance using the ten-year Treasury yield. Upon a change in control where Univest is not the surviving company, the SNQPP is not automatically terminated and the obligations under the SNQPP become the obligations of the surviving company. The SNQPP contains a non-compete clause under which payments will be forfeited by those covered retirees and employees who compete with Univest.

The SNQPP also includes a Medical Reimbursement Plan providing covered employees, who maintain a medical insurance policy during retirement, reimbursements for uncovered medical expenses up to \$5,000 per annum during the benefit period.

During 2000, Univest purchased Bank Owned Life Insurance (BOLI) to offset the funding needs of future obligations under these non-qualified pension plans. The SNQPP includes a Split-Dollar Agreement which provides the covered employee's beneficiary a fixed dollar amount of the death proceeds under the BOLI. The fixed dollar amounts payable range between \$100,000 and \$250,000.

Income tax regulations require the inclusion of nonqualified deferred compensation benefits as wages for Social Security and Medicare tax purposes. The non-qualified plan benefits and vesting provisions are reviewed annually, the covered employees' Social Security and Medicare wages reflect includable nonqualified deferred compensation, and appropriate taxes are withheld.

On an optional basis, all officers and employees who have attained the age of 21 and have completed one month of continuous service may participate in the Deferred Salary Savings Plan (DSSP). In the year 2008, participants could defer up to a maximum of \$15,500 if under age 50 and \$20,500 if at least age 50 by December 31. After employees complete 6 months of service, the Corporation or its subsidiaries will make a matching contribution of 50% of the first 6% of the participant's salary. All contributions are invested via a trust. The Corporation's matching contributions for 2008, 2007 and 2006, amounting to \$493,000, \$507,000 and \$440,000, respectively, are vested at 50% at the end of two years, 75% at the end of three years, and 100% at the end of four years. Benefit payments normally are made in connection with a participant's retirement. The DSSP permits early withdrawal of the money under certain circumstances. Under current Internal Revenue Service regulations, the amount contributed to the plan and the earnings on those contributions are not subject to Federal income tax until they are withdrawn from the plan.



## **OTHER PERQUISITES**

Certain named executive officers receive expense allowances, a car allowance and/or country club membership dues. These perquisites are determined by the Compensation Committee under the same methodologies for and in conjunction with base salary compensation. Univest also provides certain named executive officers with personal tax preparation services; these services are provided by a Certified Public Accounting firm other than Univest's Independent Auditors, KPMG LLP.

## **FUTURE COMPENSATION DETERMINATION**

The Committee will continue to reassess Univest's executive compensation program in order to ensure that it promotes the long-term objectives of Univest, encourages growth in shareholder value, provides the opportunity for management investment in the Corporation, and attracts and retains top-level executives who will manage strategically in 2009 and beyond.

## **TAX CONSIDERATIONS**

Internal Revenue Code Section 162(m) imposes a limitation on the deduction for certain executive officers compensation unless certain requirements are met. The Corporation and the Compensation Committee have carefully considered the impact of these tax laws and have taken certain actions intended to preserve the Corporation's tax deduction with respect to any affected compensation.

## **DIRECTOR COMPENSATION**

For the year ended December 31, 2008, each non-employee Director or Alternate Director was paid an annual retainer fee of \$12,000. Each non-employee Director receives a fee of \$900 for each Board Meeting of Univest Corporation of Pennsylvania or Univest National Bank and Trust Co. which he/she attends. Each Alternate Director receives a consultant fee of \$900 for each Board meeting of Univest Corporation of Pennsylvania or Univest National Bank and Trust Co. which he/she attends. Only one fee is paid to the Director or Alternate Director if these Boards meet on a concurrent basis. Non-employee Directors or Alternate Directors who attend committee meetings of the Board receive a fee ranging from \$450 to \$800 for each meeting attended.

The Corporation offers a Director Fee Deferral Plan under which the directors can voluntarily contribute all or a portion of their director fees. These deferred fees accumulate value either based on the Bank's average cost of total time deposits and purchased funds or the Corporation's stock index, as elected by the director. The deferred fees remain the property of the Corporation until it is contractually obligated to pay such fees to the director upon death or after the director's termination in accordance with the director's irrevocable election.

Certain directors who were formerly employed by Univest continue to receive retirement benefits under the qualified pension plan and nonqualified pension plans. Under the Univest 2003 Long-Term Incentive Plan, optionees may exercise their vested stock options up to two years after their retirement date. Benefits under these retirement and stock-based compensation plans were incentives for continued employment as executive officers for Univest and not compensation to such individuals to serve as directors for Univest. None of these directors served in the capacity of a principal or named executive officer during 2008. Therefore, these amounts are not reflected in the Director Compensation table.

**CONCLUSION**

Through the programs described above, a significant portion of the Corporation's executive compensation is linked directly to individual and corporate performance and growth in shareholder value. The Committee intends to continue the policy of linking executive compensation to individual and corporate performance and growth in shareholder value, recognizing that the business cycle from time to time may result in an imbalance for a particular period.

The following tables set forth for the fiscal years ending December 31, 2008, 2007 and 2006, the compensation which the Corporation and its subsidiaries paid to its principal executive officer, principal financial officer and three other named executive officers. These tables should be read in conjunction with the Compensation Discussion and Analysis section of this Proxy.

**SUMMARY COMPENSATION TABLE**

Name and Principal Position (a)	Year (b)	Salary (c)	Bonus (d)	Stock Awards (e)	Option Awards (f)	Non-Equity Plan Compensation (g)	Change in Pension Value and Non-qualified Deferred	All Other Compensation (i)	Total (j)
							Compensation Earnings (h)		
Thomas S. Aichele, Chairman, President, and CEO	2008	\$ 430,000	\$ -0-	\$ 52,078	\$ -0-	\$ 112,501	\$ 135,654	\$ 45,062	\$ 775,273
	2007	395,000	-0-	105,550	95,183	104,181	245,126	32,134	972,074
Chairman and Chairman of Bank	2006	382,000	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	212,424	32,163	626,587
John Moyer, Chairman of the Bank	2008	271,300	-0-	22,698	-0-	56,794	191,131	34,578	576,401
	2007	246,000	-0-	52,775	47,592	45,418	203,389	19,938	615,102
President and CEO of the Bank by M. Schweitzer, CPA,	2006	235,000	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	204,210	18,446	457,656
	2008	200,000	-0-	3,276	-0-	26,163	-0-	18,810	248,259
Executive Vice President and of Corporation and of the (k)	2007	46,154	-0-	21,110	27,242	6,594	-0-	800	101,900
	2006	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
John D. Hochstetler, Executive Vice President of the Bank; President of Bank Investments; and President of Bank Insurance	2008	166,250	-0-	9,880	-0-	30,465	12,707	23,345	242,647
	2007	150,000	-0-	21,110	27,242	19,782	21,381	12,268	251,763
John J. Brobst, Executive Vice President and	2006	124,800	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	17,351	9,748	151,909
	2008	164,166	-0-	9,230	-0-	21,484	20,183	27,428	242,487
2007	140,000	-0-	21,110	27,242	18,463	40,586	27,161	274,462	



Officer of the Corporation the Bank	2006	120,000	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	25,339	24,937	14
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- (f) Represents the fair value for all stock options granted during 2008, 2007 and 2006, respectively, in accordance with Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 123R (SFAS 123R.) Assumptions used in calculating the SFAS 123R fair value on these stock options are set forth in Note 10 to the Financial Statements included in Uninvest's Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2008.
- (i) Includes Deferred Salary Savings Plan (401(k)) company matching contributions, life insurance premiums, imputed income on split dollar life insurance plans, car allowance, expense allowance, personal tax preparation services, and country club membership dues.
- (k) Mr. Schweitzer joined Uninvest in October 2007; amounts in the table for 2007 are not reflective of an entire twelve-month period.

## GRANTS OF PLAN-BASED AWARDS

Name	Grant Date	Estimated Possible Future Payouts Under Non-equity Incentive Plan			Estimated Future Payouts Under Equity Incentive Plan			All Other Stock Awards: Number of Shares of	All Other Option Awards: Number of Securities	Exercise or Base Price of Option Awards (\$/Share)
		Threshold (\$)	Awards <sup>(a)</sup> Target (\$)	Maximum (\$)	Threshold (#)	Awards <sup>(a)</sup> Target (#)	Maximum (#)	Stock Units <sup>(b)</sup> (#)	Underlying Options (#)	
William S. Aichele	1/31/08	\$ 90,000	\$ 225,000	\$ 337,500	N/A	N/A	N/A	2,003	-0-	N/A
K. Leon Moyer	1/31/08	46,880	117,200	175,800	N/A	N/A	N/A	873	-0-	N/A
Jeffrey M. Schweitzer	1/31/08	22,000	55,000	82,500	N/A	N/A	N/A	126	-0-	N/A
Kenneth D. Hochstetler	1/31/08	25,900	64,750	97,125	N/A	N/A	N/A	380	-0-	N/A
Duane J. Brobst	1/31/08	17,600	44,000	66,000	N/A	N/A	N/A	355	-0-	N/A

(a) The named executive officers may elect to receive up to 50% of their annual incentive compensation (listed under Estimated Possible Future Payouts Under Non-equity Incentive Plan Awards ) in the form of the Corporation's stock which will be matched by the Corporation in the form of a restricted stock grant which will vest ratably over a five-year period. For presentation purposes, it is assumed that the named executive officers will not make the 50% election.

(b) The named executive officers elected to receive a portion (up to 50%) of their 2007 annual incentive compensation in the form of the Corporation's stock which was matched by the Corporation in the form of a restricted stock grant in 2008.

**OUTSTANDING EQUITY AWARDS AT FISCAL YEAR-END**

Name	Option Awards						Stock Awards				
	Option Award Grant Date	Underlying Securities Exercisable	Underlying Securities Unexercisable	Underlying Securities Unearned Options	Option Exercise Price (\$)	Option Expiration Date	Stock Award Grant Date	Number of Shares or Units of Stock that have not Vested	Market Value of Shares or Units of Stock that have not Vested (\$)	Unearned Shares, Units or Other Rights that have not Vested (#)	Share Units or Other Rights that have not Vested (#)
William S. Schele <sup>(a)</sup>	12/31/03	20,249	-0-	-0-	\$ 28.27	12/31/13	12/31/07	3,333	\$ 107,123	-0-	\$ -0-
	12/31/05	9,999	-0-	5,001	24.27	12/30/15	1/31/08	2,003	64,376	-0-	-0-
	12/31/07	-0-	-0-	27,000	21.11	12/31/17		-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
Leon Boyer <sup>(a)</sup>	12/31/03	6,000	-0-	-0-	28.27	12/31/13	12/31/07	1,666	53,545	-0-	-0-
	12/31/05	5,000	-0-	2,500	24.27	12/30/15	1/31/08	873	28,058	-0-	-0-
	12/31/07	-0-	-0-	13,500	21.11	12/31/17		-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
Jeffrey M. Schweitzer	12/31/07	-0-	-0-	6,000	21.11	12/31/17	12/31/07	666	21,405		
							1/31/08	126	4,050	-0-	-0-

Kenneth D. Schstetler	12/31/03	2,100	-0-	-0-	28.27	12/31/13	12/31/07	666	21,405	-0-	-0-
	12/31/05	2,000	-0-	1,000	24.27	12/30/15	1/31/08	380	12,213	-0-	-0-
	12/31/07	-0-	-0-	6,000	21.11	12/31/17		-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
Jane J. Hobst	12/31/03	2,250	-0-	-0-	28.27	12/31/13	12/31/07	666	21,405	-0-	-0-
	12/30/05	2,000	-0-	1,000	24.27	12/30/15	1/31/08	355	11,410	-0-	-0-
	12/31/07	-0-	-0-	6,000	21.11	12/31/17		-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-

(a) Includes both non-qualified and incentive stock options.

### OPTIONS AWARDS VESTING SCHEDULE

#### Grant Date

#### Vesting Schedule

12/31/2003	33.3334% Vested in 2005; 33.3333% Vested in 2006; and 33.3333% Vested in 2007
12/30/2005	33.3334% Vested in 2007; 33.3333% Vested in 2008; and 33.3333% Vests in 2009
12/31/2007	33.3334% Vests in 2009; 33.3333% Vests in 2010; and 33.3333% Vests in 2011

### STOCK AWARDS VESTING SCHEDULE

#### Grant Date

#### Vesting Schedule

12/31/2007	33.3334% Vested in 2008; 33.3333% Vests in 2009; and 33.3333% Vests in 2010
1/31/2008	20% Vests in 2009; 20% Vests in 2010; 20% Vests in 2011; 20% Vests in 2012; and 20% Vests in 2013

**OPTIONS EXERCISED AND STOCK VESTING TABLE**

Name	Options Awards <sup>(a)</sup>		Stock Awards	
	Number of Shares Acquired on Exercise (#)	Value Realized <sup>(b)</sup> on Exercise (\$)	Number of Shares Acquired on Vesting (#)	Value Realized on Vesting (\$)
William S. Aichele	26,249	\$ 310,631	1,667	\$ 53,577
K. Leon Moyer	7,687	79,553	834	26,805
Jeffrey M. Schweitzer	-0-	-0-	334	10,735
Kenneth D. Hochstetler	3,000	30,042	334	10,735
Duane J. Brobst	3,187	28,632	334	10,735

(a) The Corporation has a stock-for-stock-option exchange (or cashless exercise) program in place, whereby optionees can exchange the value of the spread of in-the-money options for Corporation stock having an equivalent value. This exchange allows the executives to exercise their options on a net basis without having to pay the exercise price in cash. However, it will result in the executives acquiring fewer shares than the number of options exercised. Mr. Aichele, Mr. Moyer and Mr. Hochstetler utilized this program in 2008.

(b) Value Realized is calculated by subtracting the exercise price from the Fair Market Value as of the exercise date. Fair Market Value is calculated as the mean of the closing bid and asked prices of the Corporation's common stock as reported by the NASDAQ Stock Market.

**PENSION BENEFITS**

Name	Plan Name	Number of Years Credited Service (#)	Present Value of Accumulated Benefit (\$) <sup>(a)</sup>	Payments During Last Fiscal Year (\$)
William S. Aichele	Defined Benefit Pension Plan	37.05	\$ 667,470	\$ -0-
	Supplemental Retirement Plan	37.05	588,706	-0-
	Supplemental Non-Qualified Pension Plan		750,726	-0-
K. Leon Moyer	Defined Benefit Pension Plan	37.95	712,172	-0-
	Supplemental Retirement Plan	37.95	90,153	-0-
	Supplemental Non-Qualified Pension Plan		758,383	-0-
Jeffrey M. Schweitzer	Defined Benefit Pension Plan	1.25	N/A	N/A
	Supplemental Retirement Plan	N/A	N/A	N/A
		N/A	N/A	N/A

Supplemental Non-Qualified Pension Plan				
Kenneth D. Hochstetler	Defined Benefit Pension Plan	17.00	120,977	-0-
	Supplemental Retirement Plan	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Supplemental Non-Qualified Pension Plan	N/A	N/A	N/A
Duane J. Brobst	Defined Benefit Pension Plan	15.00	204,770	-0-
	Supplemental Retirement Plan	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Supplemental Non-Qualified Pension Plan	N/A	N/A	N/A

(a) Univest's pension plans are described in the Compensation Discussion and Analysis under the heading Post-Retirement Plans. Assumptions used in calculating the present value of the accumulated benefit are set forth in Note 9 to the Financial Statements included in Univest's Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2008.

**NONQUALIFIED DEFERRED COMPENSATION**

Name	Executive	Registrant	Aggregate	Aggregate	Aggregate
	Contributions in 2008	Contributions in 2008	Earnings in 2008	Withdrawals/ Distributions	Balance at December 31, 2008
	(\$)	(\$)	(\$)	(\$)	(\$)
William S. Aichele	\$ -0-	\$ -0-	\$ -0-	\$ -0-	\$ -0-
K. Leon Moyer	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
Jeffrey M. Schweitzer	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
Kenneth D. Hochstetler	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
Duane J. Brobst	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-

Univest does not currently have any non-qualified contributory deferred compensation plans available to the named executive officers.

**OTHER POTENTIAL POST-EMPLOYMENT PAYMENTS**

Certain triggering events could potentially affect the amounts of compensation reported in the above tables. Triggering events would include retirement, early-retirement, termination by reason of disability, death or cause, or a change in control of the Corporation. None of the named executive officers in the tables above has an individual change in control or employment agreement, but provisions for these triggering events are addressed within the 2003 Long-term Incentive Plan, the Defined Benefit Pension Plan (DBPP), the Supplemental Retirement Plan (SERP) and the Supplemental Non-Qualified Pension Plan (SNQPP).

**2003 Long-term Incentive Plan**

Upon a change in control, stock options and restricted stock awards which have been held for at least six months shall become fully vested. Upon retirement, early-retirement or termination by reason of disability, the Compensation Committee may elect to accelerate the vesting period to allow all stock options to become fully vested and exercisable up to a period of two years after the date of such retirement, early-retirement or disability date and may elect to accelerate the vesting period of all restricted stock awards. Upon termination by death, the Compensation Committee may elect to accelerate the vesting period to allow all stock option awards to become fully vested, and exercisable by the legal representative of such employee's estate or legatee of such employees will for a period of one year from the date of death and may elect to accelerate the vesting period of all restricted stock awards. There are no acceleration provisions for the willful termination of employment or termination of employment for cause. Upon the willful termination of employment, the optionee would have the lesser of three-months or the remaining term to exercise any vested stock options. Upon termination of employment for cause, all vested and unvested stock options will immediately terminate.

The following table demonstrates the impact under different triggering events if such event occurred on December 31, 2008:

Name	Triggering Event	Option Awards			Restricted Stock Awards		
		Number of Options that could be Accelerated and Become Exercisable (#)	Average Option Price of Accelerated Options (\$)	Aggregate Intrinsic Value of Accelerated Options (\$)	Number of Awards that could be Accelerated and Become Vested (#)	Aggregate Intrinsic Value of Accelerated Awards (\$)	
William S. Aichele	Retirement, Early-retirement or Termination due to Disability	32,001	\$21.60	\$ 337,168	12/31/10	5,336	\$171,499
	Termination by Death	32,001	21.60	337,168	12/31/09	5,336	171,499
	Change in Control	32,001	21.60	337,168	3/31/09	5,336	171,499
K. Leon Moyer.	Retirement, Early-retirement or Termination due to Disability	16,000	21.60	168,580	12/31/10	2,539	81,603
	Termination by Death	16,000	21.60	168,580	12/31/09	2,539	81,603
	Change in Control	16,000	21.60	168,580	3/31/09	2,539	81,603
Jeffrey M. Schweitzer	Retirement, Early-retirement or Termination due to Disability	6,000	21.11	66,180	12/31/10	792	25,455
	Termination by Death	6,000	21.11	66,180	12/31/09	792	25,455
	Change in Control	6,000	21.11	66,180	3/31/09	792	25,455
Kenneth D. Hochstetler	Retirement, Early-retirement or Termination due to Disability	7,000	21.56	74,050	12/31/10	1,046	33,618
	Termination by Death	7,000	21.56	74,050	12/31/09	1,046	33,618
	Change in Control	7,000	21.56	74,050	3/31/09	1,046	33,618
Duane J. Brobst	Retirement, Early-retirement or Termination due to	7,000	21.56	74,050	12/31/10	1,021	32,815



Disability						
Termination by						
Death	7,000	21.56	74,050	12/31/09	1,021	32,815
Change in Control	7,000	21.56	74,050	3/31/09	1,021	32,815

**Defined Benefit Pension Plan (DBPP)**

Each participant who has at least 10 years of service and who has attained age 55 may elect to retire early within the 10-year period immediately prior to his normal retirement age. These participants who elect and qualify for early retirement are considered fully vested by the DBPP. The early retirement benefit is based on credited service and average earnings at early retirement date without reduction on the date when the participant's age plus years of service equal 85, but not before age 62 or after age 65. Benefits are reduced from that retirement date by 6% per year for the first five years and 4% per year thereafter to age 55. A vested participant who dies before the annuity starting date and who has a surviving spouse shall have his death benefit paid to his surviving spouse in the form of a pre-retirement survivor annuity and may have his death benefit distributed to his beneficiaries within five years after his death. None of the triggering events would impact the vested balance of a named executive officer's benefit under the DBPP.

**Supplemental Retirement Plan (SERP)**

Under a change in control, no termination of the SERP shall directly or indirectly deprive any current or former participant or surviving spouse of all or any portion of the SERP benefit which has commenced prior to the effective date of such change in control. None of the triggering events would impact the vested balance of a named executive officer's benefit under the SERP.

### **Supplemental Non-Qualified Pension Plan (SNQPP)**

Upon a change in control where Univest is not the surviving company, the SNQPP is not automatically terminated and the obligations under the SNQPP become the obligations of the surviving company. Upon a change in control or death of the covered employee prior to their retirement date, the covered employee, or employee's designated beneficiary is entitled to a lump sum benefit equal to the present value of his accrued balance using the ten-year Treasury yield. The accrued balance is the projected lump sum of the employee's retirement benefit payable upon the employee's attainment of age 65. Upon early-retirement, which is obtainable at the age of sixty, the employee is entitled to the accrual balance payable over fifteen years, adjusted annually thereafter by a percentage of the change in the Consumer Price Index (CPI). Upon termination of employment due to disability, the employee is entitled to the accrual balance payable, commencing at age 65, provided that the amount of the retirement benefit shall be based on the accrual balance on the date of termination due to disability, increased by an interest factor equal to the interest factor used in determining the accrual balance. If an employee terminated due to disability, and a change of control occurs prior to this employee reaching the age of 65, the employee is entitled to a lump sum benefit equal to the present value of his accrued balance using the ten-year Treasury yield. The SNQPP contains a non-compete clause under which payments will be forfeited by those covered retirees and employees who compete with Univest. If the employee is terminated for a reason other than death, retirement, early-retirement, disability, or a change in control, the benefits under the SNQPP are forfeited by the employee. The only named executive officers who are participants in the SNQPP are William S. Aichele and K. Leon Moyer. If at December 31, 2008, either of these participants' employment was terminated for a reason other than death, retirement, early-retirement, disability, or a change in control, the benefits shown in the Pension Benefits table would be forfeited. If a change in control had occurred at December 31, 2008, these participants would benefit from a lump sum payment equal to their present value of accumulated benefit, in the Pension Benefits table above, plus the following amounts: for William S. Aichele, \$605,033; and for K. Leon Moyer, \$559,526.

**DIRECTOR COMPENSATION**

The following table illustrates compensation received by non-employee directors and alternate directors not covered in the Summary Compensation Table for the year ended December 31, 2008:

Name	Fees Earned or		Option Awards	Non-equity Incentive Plan Compensation		Change in Pension Value and Nonqualified Deferred Compensation		All Other Compensation	Total
	Paid in Cash	Stock Awards		Plan Compensation	Earnings	Earnings	Compensation		
	(\$) <sup>(a)</sup>	(\$)	(\$)	(\$)	(\$)	(\$) <sup>(b)</sup>	(\$)	(\$)	
Marvin A. Anders	\$ 48,150	\$ -0-	\$ -0-	\$ -0-	\$ -0-	\$ -0-	\$ -0-	\$ 48,150	
R. Lee Delp	32,475	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	32,475	
Charles H. Hoeflich	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	
Norman L. Keller	25,900	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	25,900	
Thomas K. Leidy	44,300	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	44,300	
H. Ray Mininger	23,400	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	23,400	
William G. Morral	25,900	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	25,900	
Merrill S. Moyer	49,900	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	49,900	
Mark A. Schlosser	21,000	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	21,000	
P. Gregory Shelly	26,950	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	26,950	
John U. Young	26,650	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	26,650	
H. Paul Lewis	8,700	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	8,700	
Margaret K. Zook	23,000	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	23,000	

- (a) Includes annual retainer fees, Board meeting fees and other committee fees as described in the Compensation Discussion and Analysis under the heading Director Compensation.
- (b) The accumulated values under the Corporation's Director Fee Deferral Plan, as described in the Compensation Discussion and Analysis under the heading Director Compensation, at December 31, 2008 were as follows: for P. Gregory Shelly, \$243,193; for John U. Young, \$171,433; for William G. Morral, \$241,795; and for Margaret K. Zook, \$104,293. There are no pension benefits listed in this table.

**RELATED-PARTY TRANSACTIONS**

During 2008, some of the directors and executive officers, including their immediate family members and affiliated organizations, had lending relationships and other banking transactions with us as customers of Univest's banking subsidiary, Univest National Bank and Trust Co. In management's opinion, these transactions were made in the ordinary course of business and on substantially the same terms, including interest rates, collateral and repayment terms, as those prevailing at the time for other comparable transactions with other nonaffiliated persons; they did not involve more than normal collection risk and do not present other unfavorable features. It is anticipated that similar

transactions will occur in the future.

These transactions were made in compliance with applicable law, including Section 13(k) of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934 and Federal Reserve Board Regulation O. As of December 31, 2008, loans to executive officers, directors, and their affiliates represented 23.1% of total shareholders' equity in Univest Corporation.

In addition to these banking transactions and lending relationships, some directors and their affiliated entities provide services or otherwise do business with Univest and its affiliated entities; all such transactions are handled in the ordinary course of business and are reviewed by the Audit Committee on a quarterly basis, at which time transactions with directors are monitored to verify their independent status as a director. During 2008, the Corporation and its subsidiaries paid \$3.6 million to H. Mininger & Son, Inc. for building expansion projects which were in the normal course of business on substantially the same terms as available from others. H. Ray Mininger, a non-independent Director of the Corporation, is President of H. Mininger & Son, Inc.

### **BOARD COMPENSATION COMMITTEE**

The Compensation Committee of the Board (Committee) for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2008 was comprised of five independent members appointed by the Board: Marvin A. Anders, R. Lee Delp, Charles H. Hoeflich, Thomas K. Leidy, and Merrill S. Moyer.

The Committee's responsibilities include reviewing and approving corporate goals and objectives, including financial performance and shareholder return, relevant to approving the annual compensation of the Corporation's CEO, executive officers, and other key management personnel through consultation with management and the Corporation's independent professional compensation consultants. Recommendations are made to the Board with respect to overall incentive-based compensation plans, including equity based plans, which includes a review of the Corporation's management development and succession plans. In addition, the Committee will review and recommend changes to the annual retainer and committee fee structure for non-employee directors on the Board. The Committee's charter is available at the Corporation's website on the internet: [www.univest.net](http://www.univest.net) in the INVESTORS section under Governance Documents.

Management's role in the compensation process includes: evaluating employee performance; establishing corporate goals and objectives; and recommending the salary levels and option awards for all employees other than the top three named-executive officers. The Committee may retain an outside consultant to assist in the evaluation of any individual executive compensation, incentive programs, or any other matter deemed appropriate by the Committee and to provide for the appropriate funding of such consulting or advisory firm. During 2008, the Committee retained Mosteller & Associates to provide comparative data concerning the Corporation's peer group listed in the Compensation Discussion and Analysis.

## COMPENSATION COMMITTEE REPORT

The Compensation Committee (Committee) met seven (7) times in 2008. The Committee has reviewed and discussed the Compensation Discussion and Analysis for the year-ended December 31, 2008 with the Corporation's management.

Based on the Committee's review and discussions noted above, the Committee recommended to the Board that the Corporation's Compensation Discussion and Analysis be incorporated into the Corporation's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2008, for filing with the Securities and Exchange Commission, and be included in this proxy statement on Schedule 14A, for filing with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

### UNIVEST COMPENSATION COMMITTEE:

Charles H. Hoefflich, Chairman  
Marvin A. Anders  
R. Lee Delp  
Thomas K. Leidy  
Merrill S. Moyer

## CORPORATE GOVERNANCE DISCLOSURE

### CODE OF CONDUCT

The Corporation has adopted a Code of Conduct for all directors and a Code of Conduct for all officers and employees including the CEO and senior financial officers. It is the responsibility of every Uninvest director, officer and employee to maintain a commitment to high standards of ethical conduct and to avoid any potential conflicts of interest. The Codes are designed not only to promote clear and objective standards for compliance with laws and accurate financial reporting they also contain an accountability mechanism that ensures consistent enforcement of the codes and protection for persons reporting questionable behavior, including a fair process for determining possible violations. The Codes of Conduct are available on our website at [www.uninvest.net](http://www.uninvest.net) in the INVESTORS section under Governance Documents.

Any waiver of the Codes of Conduct for directors or executive officers must be approved by the Board or a committee of the Board and disclosed on Form 8-K within two days. Any waivers would also be posted on our website within two business days. The waiver reporting requirement process was established in 2003, and there have been no waivers.

### NOMINATING AND GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE

The Nominating and Governance Committee met four (4) times during the fiscal year ending December 31, 2008. All members of the Committee are independent as defined by the listing standard rules of the NASDAQ Stock Market and the SEC Regulations. The primary purpose of the Committee is to identify individuals for nomination as members of the Board and Board committees as appropriate for the Corporation to discharge its duties and operate in an effective manner to further enhance shareholder value. The Nominating Committee charter is available for shareholder review on the internet at [www.uninvest.net](http://www.uninvest.net) in the INVESTORS section under Governance Documents, or by requesting a copy in writing from the Secretary of the Corporation. Members of the Committee at December 31, 2008 were: Marvin A. Anders, R. Lee Delp, Charles H. Hoefflich, Thomas K. Leidy, and Merrill S. Moyer.



The Nominating and Governance Committee recommended to the Board the slate of nominees included in this proxy statement for election to the Board of Directors at the annual meeting of shareholders.

Univest has three Alternate Directors who are elected annually by the Corporation's shareholders and serve for one-year terms. The Alternate Director position provides an avenue for the Corporation to nurture future directors that the Board of Directors has determined would qualify as a nominee for the Board of Directors. These alternate directors, by attending board meetings on a regular basis without a vote, stay informed of the activities and condition of the Corporation and stay abreast of general industry trends and any statutory or regulatory developments. The pace of change in today's financial industry makes it imperative that the Corporation maintain a fully informed Board.

The Nominating and Governance Committee is responsible for identifying and evaluating individuals qualified to become Board members and to recommend such individuals to the Board for nomination. In fulfilling its responsibilities to select qualified and appropriate director candidates, the Committee will seek to balance the existing skill sets of current board members with the need for other diverse skills and qualities that will complement the Corporation's strategic vision. All candidates must possess an unquestionable commitment to high ethical standards and have a demonstrated reputation for integrity. Other facts to be considered include an individual's business experience, education, civic and community activities, knowledge and experience with respect to the issues impacting the financial services industry and public companies, as well as the ability of the individual to devote the necessary time to service as a Director. A majority of the Directors on the Board must meet the criteria for independence established by the NASDAQ Stock Market, and the Committee will consider any conflicts of interest that might impair that independence.

All nominees will be evaluated in the same manner, regardless of whether they are recommended by the Nominating and Governance Committee or recommended by a shareholder.

### **Shareholder Nominations**

Article II, Section 17 of the Corporation's Bylaws governs the process of nominations for election to the Board of Directors. Nominations made by Shareholders entitled to vote for the election of Directors shall be made by notice, in writing, delivered or mailed by registered return receipt mail, postage prepaid, to the Secretary of the Corporation, not less than fifty (50) days prior to any meeting of the Shareholders called for the election of Directors provided, however, that if less than twenty-one (21) days notice of the meeting is given Shareholders, such a nomination shall be delivered or mailed to the Secretary of the Corporation not later than the close of business on the seventh (7th) day following the date on which the notice of the meeting was mailed to the Shareholders.

Such notification shall contain the following information to the extent known to the shareholder intending to nominate any candidate for election to the Board of Directors:

- a. The name, ages and resident addresses of each of the proposed nominees;
- b. The principal occupation or employment and business address of each proposed nominee;
- c. The total number of shares of the Corporation that, to the knowledge of the notifying Shareholders, will be voted for each of the proposed nominees;
- d. The name and resident address of the notifying Shareholder; and
- e. The number of shares owned by the notifying Shareholder.



The nomination for a Director who has not previously served as a Director shall be made from among the then serving Alternate Directors. Nomination for Alternate Directors shall be made in the same manner as Directors and in

accordance with the then applicable provisions of the bylaws for such nominations. Any nomination for Director or Alternate Director made by a Shareholder that is not made in accordance herewith may be disregarded by the Nominating Committee of the Board, if there be one, or, if not, by the Secretary of the meeting, and the votes cast for such nominee may be disregarded by the judges of election.

## **PROPOSALS**

### **Proposal 1 Election of Directors**

The election of four Class I directors each for a three-year term expiring in 2012 and until their successor is elected and qualified.

The nominees for Class I Director are:

**William S. Aichele**  
**Norman L. Keller**  
**Thomas K. Leidy**  
**Mark A. Schlosser**

**The Board of Directors recommends a vote for Proposal 1.**

### **Proposal 2 Election of Alternate Directors**

The election of three alternate directors each for a one-year term expiring in 2010 and until their successor is elected and qualified.

The nominees for Alternate Directors are:

**H. Paul Lewis**  
**K. Leon Moyer**  
**Margaret K. Zook**

**The Board of Directors recommends a vote for Proposal 2.**

## **SHAREHOLDER PROPOSALS**

Proposals by shareholders which are intended to be presented at the Corporation's 2010 Annual Meeting must be received by the Corporation no later than December 30, 2009, to be eligible for inclusion in the Proxy Statement and proxy relating to that meeting.

According to the bylaws of the Corporation, a proposal for action to be presented by any shareholder at an annual or special meeting of shareholders shall be out of order unless specifically described in the Corporation's notice to all shareholders of the meeting and the matters to be acted upon thereat or unless the proposal shall have been submitted in writing to the Chairman and received at the principal executive offices of the Corporation at least 120 days prior to the date of such meeting, and such proposal is, under law, an appropriate subject for shareholder action.

## **OTHER BUSINESS**

The Board and Management do not intend to present to the meeting any business other than as stated above. They know of no other business which may be presented to the meeting. If any matter other than those included in this

proxy statement is presented to the meeting, the person named in the accompanying proxy will have discretionary authority to vote all proxies in accordance with their best judgment.

SHAREHOLDERS ARE URGED TO VOTE. Please take a moment now to cast your vote over the Internet or by telephone in accordance with the instructions set forth on the enclosed proxy card, or alternatively, to complete, sign, and date the enclosed proxy, solicited on behalf of the Board of Directors, and return it at once in the postage-paid envelope we have provided. The proxy does not affect the right to vote in person at the meeting and may be revoked prior to the call for a vote.

Souderton, Pennsylvania

March 20, 2009

By Order of the Board of Directors

WILLIAM S. AICHELE  
*Chairman*

KAREN E. TEJKL  
*Secretary*

**UNIVEST  
CORPORATION OF PENNSYLVANIA  
14 North Main Street, P.O. Box 64197, Souderton, Pennsylvania, 18964  
REVOCABLE PROXY  
ANNUAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS APRIL 21, 2009**

The Annual Meeting of Shareholders of Univest Corporation of Pennsylvania will be held on Tuesday, April 21, 2009, at the Univest Building, 14 North Main Street, Souderton, Pennsylvania, at 10:45 a.m.  
IF YOU ARE CHOOSING TO VOTE BY MAIL, PLEASE COMPLETE, SIGN AND DATE YOUR PROXY AND VOTING INSTRUCTION CARD AND RETURN IT PROMPTLY IN THE ENCLOSED REPLY ENVELOPE.  
UNIVEST S DIRECTORS RECOMMEND A VOTE FOR ITEMS 1 and 2.

- 1. Election of Four Class I Directors**  For  Withheld  
01 William S. Aichele      02 Norman L. Keller      03 Thomas K. Leidy      04 Mark A. Schlosser

FOR, EXCEPT VOTE WITHHELD FROM THE FOLLOWING NOMINEE(S):

- 2. Election of Three Alternate Directors**  For  Withheld  
05 H. Paul Lewis      06 K. Leon Moyer      07 Margaret K. Zook

FOR, EXCEPT VOTE WITHHELD FROM THE FOLLOWING NOMINEE(S):

**THIS PROXY IS SOLICITED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS  
OF UNIVEST CORPORATION OF PENNSYLVANIA  
FOR THE ANNUAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS ON APRIL 21, 2009.**

The undersigned, having received the Notice of Annual Meeting of Shareholders and Proxy Statement, each dated March 20, 2009, hereby appoints Karen E. Tejkl, Secretary, proxy, with full power of substitution, to represent the undersigned and to vote all of the shares of the Common Stock of Univest Corporation of Pennsylvania, (the Corporation ) that the undersigned would be entitled to vote if personally present at the 2009 Annual Meeting of Shareholders of the Corporation, or any adjournment thereof, as directed on the reverse side and in their discretion on such other matters as may properly come before the meeting or any adjournment thereof.

This proxy is solicited on behalf of the Board of Directors for the Annual Meeting on April 21, 2009.

**The shares represented by this proxy will be voted as directed on the reverse side hereof. If no direction is given, however, the shares represented by this proxy will be voted FOR the election of the nominees for Director (those nominees are William S. Aichele, Norman L. Keller, Thomas K. Leidy and Mark A. Schlosser); and FOR the election of the nominees for Alternate Director (those nominees H. Paul Lewis, K. Leon Moyer and Margaret K. Zook).**

Signature:

Signature:

Date:

**YOUR VOTE IS IMPORTANT  
VOTE TODAY IN ONE OF THREE WAYS:  
YOUR PROXY CONTROL NUMBER**

**1. VOTE BY INTERNET:**

Log-on to [www.votestock.com](http://www.votestock.com)

Enter your control number printed to the left

Vote your proxy by checking the appropriate boxes

Click on Accept Vote

**2. VOTE BY TELEPHONE:** After you call the phone number below, you will be asked to enter the control number at the left of the page. You will need to respond to only a few simple prompts. Your vote will be confirmed and cast as directed.

Call toll-free in the U.S. or Canada at

**1-866-626-4508** on a touch-tone telephone

**3. VOTE BY MAIL:** If you do not wish to vote by telephone or over the Internet, please complete, sign, date and return the above proxy card in the pre-paid envelope provided.

You may vote by Internet or telephone 24 hours a day,  
7 days a week. Internet and telephone voting is  
available through 11:59 p.m., prevailing time, on  
April 20, 2009.

Your Internet or telephone vote authorizes the named  
proxy to vote in the same manner as if you marked,  
signed and returned your proxy card.