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## **Sullivan Tire Employees Graduate Leadership Development Program**

*35 participants were celebrated for their completion of the leadership course*

RANDOLPH, MA (November 18, 2019) – **Sullivan Tire and Auto Service** hosted a ceremony on October 16<sup>th</sup> at Lombardo's in Randolph, MA to celebrate the 35 graduates of their 2019 Leadership Development Program. The participants enjoyed a catered lunch while a number of speakers offered words of affirmation and encouragement. Sullivan Tire's Director of Human Resources Mike Reilly, COO Joe Zaccheo, President Bob Sullivan, and fellow graduates Manager of Payroll and HRIS Cortney Barkdoll, Customer Experience Manager Tiffany Sheehan, and Waltham Retail Location Manager Dan Henning congratulated the group.

The Sullivan Tire Leadership Development Program is a course that expands and enhances the skillsets of emerging leaders in the company. Selected participants attend classes over the span of several months and are tested on their new skills with projects and other assignments. "Our employees are our most valued asset," says Joe Zaccheo, Chief Operating Officer. "The LDP program helps them further the leadership skills they need in order to exceed in an extremely competitive industry."

Sullivan Tire is committed to the growth and development of their employees. The Leadership Development Program is just one of many educational initiatives, including online and classroom training through "Sullivan Tire University" and the company's promise to cover the cost of technical certification exams. It is thanks to this company culture that more than 25 percent of Sullivan Tire employees have been with the company for ten years or more.

### **About Sullivan Tire and Auto Service:**

Headquartered in Norwell, MA, Sullivan Tire and Auto Service is New England's home for automotive and commercial truck care with 73 retail locations; 15 commercial truck centers; 13 wholesale satellite locations, 3 tire retread plants; 2 LiftWorks facilities; and 2 distribution centers. The foundation on which Robert J. Sullivan started Sullivan Tire in 1955 was, "Treat everyone, customers and fellow employees, as you would a member of your family," and that tradition continues today. Today Sullivan Tire continues to grow with over 1,200 employees and locations in Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Connecticut and Maine. For more information on Sullivan Tire please visit [www.sullivantire.com](http://www.sullivantire.com).

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