

***Minneapolis St. Paul Business Journal* Names Michael Ovshak as One of the Area's  
a Top Independent Wealth Advisors**

New Brighton, MN—July 2008—Mike Ovshak, President of FPS Financial, Inc., has again been ranked as one of Minnesota's "Top 15 List" by Winner's Circle<sup>®</sup>. Results were announced in a special report published in the Minneapolis St. Paul Business Journal on July 11, 2008.

"FPS Financial is extremely proud we have again been designated the honor of being in the top 15 independent/RIA wealth advisers", says Ovshak. "We believe this recognition is a testament to the outstanding service we have been providing to each of our clients since we were founded almost three decades ago."

The Winner's Circle<sup>®</sup> is an independent and objective research organization that recognizes financial advisors who represent the highest levels of ethical standards, professionalism, and success. To identify candidates, the organization's research team surveyed securities firms, banks, and other financial firms across the country searching for advisors that met a minimum set of criterion. Initial surveys yielded thousands of nominations.

Candidates were then narrowed through a series of rigorous quantitative and qualitative screens. This included minimum assets under management and experience requirements, a review of compliance records, in-depth interviews with the advisors, and rankings based on client satisfaction and retention records.

**About Winner's Circle**

The Winner's Circle<sup>®</sup> recognizes the most outstanding financial advisors in the business—each of whom represents the highest levels of ethical standards, professionalism and success in the business. Results of the organization's rankings are published in books, *Barron's* magazine, *Research* magazine, and city newspapers around the country.

**About FPS Financial, Inc.**

FPS Financial, Inc. ([www.fpsfinancial.net](http://www.fpsfinancial.net)) understands the importance of building individual client relationships based on trust, communication, and experience. The company was founded in 1980 and fosters a client-centric environment where everyone works as a team to help each client pursue their unique goals and objectives.