

## **Joseph R. Catti**

In 2006, after gaining more than 20 years of experience in the banking industry, Joseph R. Catti founded FineMark National Bank & Trust. As director, president and CEO of FineMark Holdings Inc. and FineMark National Bank & Trust, Joe has propelled the start-up bank to \$8 billion in just eight years.

Joe, a Florida native and graduate of Florida International University, has used the same skills that helped him build a bank and investment company to help countless individuals and organizations in the community. He serves as a member of the Executive and Finance Committee of the Lee Memorial Health System Foundation and is a member and past chairman of the Florida Gulf Coast University Foundation. He is or has been a member of the board of directors of several other institutions and organizations including: the Southwest Florida Community Foundation; Canterbury School; the Foundation for Lee County Public Schools; Cypress Cove; United Way of Lee, Hendry, Glades and Okeechobee; the Edison-Ford Winter Estates Foundation; Lee Health Care Resources; Community Cooperative and the FGCU Board of Trustees. He is also the campaign chairperson for Golisano Children's Hospital of Southwest Florida.

In 2005, Joe received the Lee County Philanthropist of the Year award from Gulfshore Life magazine for his fundraising efforts. He was also recognized with the Boy Scouts of America Distinguished Citizen of the Year Award for Lee and Collier Counties in 2009. He also served as campaign chairperson for the United Way for 2009 and 2010, and he was selected as one of Gulfshore Life Magazine's Men of the Year in 2010.

Joe was appointed to the FGCU Board of Trustees by the Board of Governors in January 2011 and the Canterbury School Board of Trustees in January 2012. He was also selected as Voice of the Year by Voices for Kids of Southwest Florida, Guardian Ad Litem in November 2012.

Joe and his wife, JoAnn, have been married for more than 30 years, and they have four children: Christopher, Jennifer, Jessica and Nicholas.