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Village Super Market, Inc. Announces Passing of Co-Founder

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Springfield, New Jersey - August 11, 2009 - Village Super Market, Inc. (NSD-VLGEA) announced today that its Co-founder, President and Director, Perry Sumas, passed away on August 7, 2009 at the age of 94. James Sumas, Chairman of the Board, stated: "Village will grieve the loss of Perry as both a strategic and emotional leader. Perry Sumas has embodied the essence of Village Super Market since the Company's inception in 1937. His energy, business sense, and fearless personality have driven a local grocery store into a \$1.2 billion supermarket company. He will be greatly missed."

Village Super Market, Inc. operates a chain of 26 supermarkets under the Shop Rite name in New Jersey and Eastern Pennsylvania. Village is the 2nd largest member of Wakefern Food Corporation, the nation's largest retailer-owned food cooperative.