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First National Bank of Hutchinson Employee Promotions

HUTCHINSON, KANSAS – *January 17, 2018* – Keith Hughes, CEO, announces seven employee promotions.

Amanda Smith was promoted to Senior Vice President and Manager, Human Resources. Amanda joined First National Bank as Vice President and Manager, Human Resources in 2016. Her duties include oversight of all Human Resources functions for all locations of The First. Prior to joining The First, Smith worked for nine years at Data Center, Inc. in the Human Resources Department where she was promoted several times. Smith earned an Associate of Science in Business from Hutchinson Community College and a Bachelor of Science in Human Resource Management with minors in Sociology and Management from Wichita State University. She is currently on the Kansas Bankers Association Benefits Committee, is a Central Kansas SHRM Chapter member, and a Wichita State University Alumni member. She serves as a Hutchinson Community College Alumni board member, Cause for Paws, Inc. board member and a Delos V. Smith board member.

Cheri Fahrbach was promoted to Senior Vice President and Manager, Retail Banking. Fahrbach joined First National Bank in 2010 as Vice President and Manager, Haven location. In 2013 she was assigned the responsibility of managing all locations of The First outside of Hutchinson. She accepted additional retail management responsibilities and moved to the main bank in January 2016. Prior to joining The First, Fahrbach had over 20 years of experience with other financial institutions. She was Executive Vice President and a board member of BankHaven prior to a merger with The First in 2010. Fahrbach earned banking certifications from the Kansas Bankers Association and Community Bankers Association in the areas of Consumer Lending, Retail Banking and Management. She is a graduate of Leadership Reno County. Fahrbach currently serves on the boards of the Haven Chamber of Commerce and New Beginnings, where she also serves as treasurer. She is also a member of Hutchinson Rotary Club and is involved with the Hutchinson Chamber of Commerce.

Jill Snyder was promoted to Vice President and Manager, Retail Banking. Snyder started working at First National Bank in 2013. She has 20 years of retail banking experience. Snyder earned a B.S. in Psychology from the University of Missouri – Kansas City. Snyder also earned an associate of arts degree from Cowley County Community College. She has attended numerous banking industry association trainings including the Kansas Bankers Association schools for Retail and Commercial Departments. Snyder is a 2005 graduate of the Southern Leavenworth County Leadership Class and a 2014 graduate of Leadership Reno County. She serves on the Haven Economic Development Committee and is treasurer of the Haven Chamber of Commerce.



Shannon Holmberg was promoted to Vice President and Trust Counsel, Personal Trust Services. Holmberg joined First National Bank in 2015. She earned a B.A. in History with a Minor in Political Science, Magna Cum Laude from Fort Hays State University and a Juris Doctor from the University of Kansas School of Law. Prior to joining The First, Shannon was an attorney with Gilliland & Hayes, LLC. Shannon currently serves on the Wesley Towers, Inc. Board of Directors and is a member of Young Professionals of Reno County. She is a member of the American Bar Association, the Kansas Bar Association and the Reno County Bar Association where she previously served as Treasurer. Shannon also served on the Wesley Towers Foundation Board and was the President and Secretary of the Reno County Historical Society.

Marc Ronan was promoted to Vice President and Portfolio Manager. Ronan joined First National Bank of Hutchinson in 2013 and is responsible for the day-to-day management of investment portfolios and market research. Marc earned a B.A. in Organization Behavior and Management from Brown University, Providence, RI. He holds securities licenses for series 7, 63, and 65 and is also Life/Health licensed. Prior to joining The First, Marc was an investment advisor and director of Portfolio Management with Pinnacle Wealth Management in Scottsdale, AZ, and a Financial Advisor with USAA Investment Management Co. and previously held senior portfolio management positions with companies in both the Phoenix and Los Angeles areas. He enjoys coaching soccer for his two boys and participating with his daughter in the Down Syndrome Society of Wichita.

Myrna Baird was promoted to Vice President and Manager, Electronic Banking Products. Baird joined First National Bank in 1985. She has held various positions and has received significant promotions with The First. Baird serves on The First's social media team and held the title most recently of e-Branch Manager. She attended Hutchinson Community College and has taken multiple bank-specific AIB classes and social media marketing courses. She has previously been a volunteer team host for KSHSAA 3A State Basketball, a volunteer team host for NJCAA Division 1 Volleyball Championship, and a Visit Hutchinson volunteer at the Kansas State Fair.

Kathy Wagoner was promoted to Officer and Branch Manager. Wagoner joined First National Bank in 1992. She has held various positions with The First, including working at our North Main, Main Street, and Avenue A locations. Wagoner graduated from Hutchinson Community College with her Associates Degree and earned her Certificate in Supervision from the Center for Management Development at Wichita State University. She currently volunteers with the Muscular Dystrophy Association and the Cancer Council of Reno County.