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David Warning Promoted to Executive Vice President-Chief Credit Officer at Midwest BankCentre

ST. LOUIS (May 16, 2019) – **David B. Warning**, formerly regional president of **Midwest BankCentre** based at its Chesterfield branch, has been promoted to executive vice president-chief credit officer for the locally owned community bank. Warning leads the bank’s credit culture for all significant lending units, including commercial, consumer, mortgage and wealth management. His oversight ensures the bank’s asset quality objectives are met while supporting growth and diversification of the bank’s loan portfolio. Warning joined Midwest BankCentre bank in 2014. He has more than 30 years of commercial lending experience.



“Dave’s breadth and depth of commercial and industrial lending experience is particularly valuable in his role as our chief credit officer,” said Midwest BankCentre CEO **Orvin Kimbrough**. “Dave’s insights and contributions will help expand our business and deepen our customer relationships.”

Warning has a bachelor’s degree in business administration from Southern Illinois University-Edwardsville. He served on the St. Louis Regional Chamber board of directors and the West County YMCA board. He was formerly president of the Chesterfield Chamber of Commerce. Warning is a longtime volunteer with Habitat for Humanity.

Midwest BankCentre, a mainstay of St. Louis community banking since 1906, employs a staff of about 280 working at 19 bank locations in the City of St. Louis and St. Louis, Jefferson and St. Charles counties. The bank works to empower people, enable business and energize neighborhoods through the strength of its financial services,

including personalized consumer and business banking, business cash management, mortgage lending, home equity loans, financial planning and investments, insurance and digital banking. It ranks among St. Louis' largest locally owned banks with assets exceeding \$1.9 billion and deposits of \$1.4 billion.

The bank is a local leader in the St. Louis Regional Unbanked Task Force and its Bank-On Save-Up St. Louis initiative. Since 2001, Midwest BankCentre has consecutively achieved the Bauer Financial 5-Star Superior financial rating each quarter. It was the national winner of the 2018 National Community Bank Service Awards by the Independent Community Bankers of America® (ICBA) for its success in bringing mainstream financial services to unbanked and underbanked citizens in the region.