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The Community Bank's Annual Free Community Shred Day

Zanesville, Ohio – The Community Bank is hosting our annual **Free Community Shred Day** on Saturday, August 14th. Community members look forward to this event to help them aid in the fight against Identity Theft and fraud. Muskingum Iron and Metal is collaborating with The Community Bank again this year to offer free electronics (e-waste) recycling. "We take our role as a community bank seriously and are proud to host this free event for small business owners and community members to be proactive in keeping their own information secure. Our Community Bank team encourages you to clear out your storage space and head on over to see us. We will take care of the rest. Simply pull through the Bank's parking lot and our Community Bank team will unload your documents for proper disposing allowing you to be on your way within a matter of minutes. **We make it easy and this service is free of charge for the public**," said Eric S. Holsky, President and CEO.

The Community Bank's Free Community Shred Day will be Saturday, August 14th from 9am to 12noon at our Downtown Zanesville Banking Office located at 113 N. Fifth Street.

Muskingum Iron and Metal are able to accept e-waste only. There is no limit on how much ewaste recycling community members may bring. Muskingum Iron and Metal will accept personal computers, laptops, servers, routers, modems/switches, telephones, cellphones, stereos/VCRs/radios, remotes, all wires & cords, docking stations, LCD flat screens, cable/satellite boxes, and DVRs. Community members are responsible for the removal of sensitive data from hard drives and other storage media before recycling.

Identity Theft and fraud are a rational fear for individuals and businesses. By simply shredding old tax records, insurance records, bank statements, cancelled checks, health records, financial documents, legal documents, and all other sensitive documents you can help stop identity thieves in their tracks. We encourage community members to bring up to 5 boxes, 20" wide by 10" high, of your unwanted sensitive paperwork to be destroyed safely and securely free of charge. Staples, rubber bands, folders and paper clips do not need to be removed before shredding. Allshred Services will be onsite to provide secure document destruction.

For more information concerning The Community Bank's products, services and locations, we welcome you to our website at <u>TheComBank.com</u> or you may contact Jessica Bowers, Vice President/Marketing Officer, at The Community Bank's Downtown Zanesville Office at 740.454.1600 or via email <u>jBowers@TheComBank.com</u>. The Community Bank can also be followed on Facebook, Instagram, Twitter and LinkedIn.

About The Community Bank

The Community Bank is a wholly-owned subsidiary of CommunityBanc, Inc. Founded in 1902 in Crooksville, Ohio by a group of local businessmen to answer the need for a banking resource close to home.

A full range of financial products and services are available at 11 Banking Offices in Downtown, South, West, East and North Zanesville, New Concord, Frazeysburg, Crooksville, Downtown and Southgate Parkway Cambridge, and Newark, along with a dedicated Lending Center in Heath and Granville. Wealth Management services are available through Community Financial Advisors located in the Downtown Zanesville Banking Office.