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Michael Lightle Joins The Community Bank

Zanesville, Ohio – "We are very pleased to announce that Michael Lightle has joined The Community Bank as Vice President/Business Banker, working at the Heath Lending Center located at 1102 Hebron Road. Michael has been a business lender for many years and adds significant strength to our team in Licking County. His strong local roots will help The Community Bank attract and serve new clients throughout Licking County. It is great to have Michael on board as we position The Community Bank to be the locally owned bank of choice for businesses," said Michael R. Steen, President and CEO.

Michael began his banking career in 2006 after graduating from Mount Vernon Nazarene University with his Bachelor's Degree in Psychology and Management. Michael is a lifelong resident of the Licking County area.

Michael's passion in giving back to the community is an ideal fit with The Community Bank's mission to help build prosperous communities. Michael is actively involved in our community through Licking County United Way and volunteering for events held at The Works. Michael also served as a Lions Club Member and has helped coach youth soccer and basketball.

For more information concerning The Community Bank's products, services and locations, we welcome you to our website at www.thecombank.com or you may contact Michael Lightle at The Community Bank's Heath Lending Center at 740-522-8900 or via email mlightle@thecombank.com. The Community Bank can also be followed on Facebook, Twitter and LinkedIn.

About The Community Bank

With headquarters in Zanesville, Ohio, The Community Bank's commitment to exceptional customer service and emphasis on the growth of small business has driven the Company's assets in excess of \$407,000,000.

A full range of financial products and services are available at 10 Banking Offices in Downtown, South, West, East and North Zanesville, New Concord, Frazeysburg, Crooksville, and Downtown and Southgate Parkway Cambridge along with a dedicated Lending Center in Heath. Additionally, The Community Loan Company is located in South Zanesville, North Zanesville and Heath. Wealth Management services are also available through Community Financial Advisors located in the Downtown Zanesville Banking Office.