

Bill Cassity, Vice President and Branch Manager—Exchange Bank Rushville Branch

“During my more than 33 years as a banker in Rushville, I have seen many changes, one of the most significant being the acquisition of the Rushville State Bank by Exchange National Bank and Trust on August 1, 2012. Immediately upon the completion of this transaction, it became obvious that Exchange Bank is 100 percent in support of Rushville customers as demonstrated by the Bank’s energetic initiatives to reach out and not only sustain, but broaden relationships with the area’s customer base. From a personal standpoint, this deepened my gratitude and further bolstered my already strong sense of belonging to a team of dedicated banking professionals who put people first. To say that I, our staff and local and area customers were made to feel welcome at the outset would be an understatement. We are all excited about the future of Exchange National Bank in Rushville and the enhanced products and services the Bank is able to provide.”

As a lifelong resident of Rushville, Bill views those who conduct business at Exchange Bank’s Rushville branch as more than customers. They are his neighbors and friends, people whose families he has known for years and who all share a strong sense of community. Bill started in banking in a part-time capacity at the Rushville State Bank at the age of 16. He worked summers and holidays until graduating from the University of Missouri with a Bachelor degree in Finance in 1979. After graduation, he began his full-time career at the Rushville bank, initially applying skills in data processing and banking automation on the operations side and focusing on agricultural loans on the lending side. He also served as a Cashier, and later was promoted to Vice President and was named Board Chairman of Rushville State Bank. With the purchase by and merger of that bank into Exchange National Bank & Trust in August 2012, Bill retained his position as Vice President and assumed the additional title of Rushville Branch Manager. Well-known in Midwestern banking circles, Bill recently completed a three-year term as a Regional Director of the Missouri Bankers Association. Outside of banking, he has served for many years on the Board of the Rushville Christian Church, where he is also an Elder. He additionally serves as Treasurer and is a Board member of the DeKalb Westlawn Cemetery Association in DeKalb, Missouri, is a former member and officer of the Rushville Lions Club and a past Treasurer of Public Water Supply District No. 1 in Buchanan County, Missouri. As a vocal musician, he is a song leader at his church and has performed with the St. Joseph Missouri Community Chorus and Chamber Choir.