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MIDWEST REGIONAL BANK CELEBRATES GROUNDBREAKING IN FESTUS

Festus, MO – April 28, 2011 Midwest Regional Bank held a groundbreaking celebration in Festus last week. The site at 363 Festus Centre Drive will be home to a 19,000 square foot branch and multi-operational facility for the bank.

The bank has been operating since 2009 out of a modular center at the location. “Working from our modest branch on the site, we’ve outperformed our projections,” said Mike Bender, President and CEO. “In our new building, we’ll have state-of-the art amenities to serve our customers even better and grow our business at a whole new pace.”

The new building will be a full-service financial center including consumer banking branch with a Wi-Fi Café, Personal Teller Services, Drive-Through Services, Commercial and SBA Banking, and Mortgage Banking. It is scheduled to be open for business by December 2011.

Midwest Regional Bank is a Missouri state-chartered full-service bank providing products and services to the retail, commercial and agricultural markets. Operating since 1894 as the Bank of Otterville, Midwest Regional Bancorp has assets of over \$105 million and has offices in Festus, Arnold, and Otterville, MO.

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