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CENTRIC BANK ANNOUNCES THREE NEW HIRES

Sheri Brown, Peggy Elder, and Robert McDonald Join the Centric Team

Harrisburg, PA (May 14, 2010) – Centric Bank, headquartered in Harrisburg, has selected Sheri Brown as Senior Vice President – Credit Officer; Peggy Elder as Vice President – Loan Operations and Compliance Manager; and Robert McDonald as Vice President – Commercial Loan Officer. The new team members bring more than 70 years of banking experience to serve Centric customers in Cumberland and Dauphin counties and to meet increased loan demand. Centric Bank has increased consumer loans by 30% as noted in *The Wall Street Journal*, March 13, 2010.

Sheri L. Brown: Chief Credit Officer

Sheri L. Brown has joined Centric Bank as Senior Vice President – Credit Officer. With over 20 years of financial services experience, she served most recently as vice president - senior credit officer at Mid Penn Bank, Harrisburg. Ms. Brown received her Bachelor of Science degree in Accounting from Indiana University, South Bend.

She is a Certified Public Accountant, a board member of the Risk Management Association for South Central Pennsylvania, and has taught for the American Institute of Banking. Her community involvement includes her position as treasurer of the Carlisle Elk Lodge #578.

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Robert McDonald: Vice President – Commercial Loan Officer

Robert McDonald has been named Centric Bank’s Vice President – Commercial Loan Officer. He brings over 27 years of financial services experience to his position. Most recently, Robert was commercial lending team leader at Mid Penn Bank, Harrisburg. He holds a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration from Juniata College.

He is currently president of the Red Land All Sports Booster Association, a member of CREDC Loan Review Committee, and a member of the Big 33 Scholarship Committee.

Peggy Elder: Vice President – Loan Operations and Compliance Manager

Centric Bank has appointed Peggy Elder to the post of Vice President Loan Operations and Compliance Manager. Ms. Elder has more than 24 years of experience in the financial services industry. Previously, Ms. Elder was with Farmers and Merchant Trust Company as documentation review officer/SBA administrator. Prior, she served Pennsylvania State Bank for nine years as vice president – commercial lending.

She is a graduate of the Pennsylvania Bankers Association (PBA) School of Banking, PBA School of Commercial Lending, and PBA School of Compliance, as well as the AIB program. Ms. Elder has completed various courses for real estate and commercial law.

About Centric Bank

Headquartered in south central Pennsylvania and with assets of \$176 million, Centric Bank offers unparalleled personal and business banking services supported by high-touch expertise, mobile banking, and advanced Internet banking, in addition to standard banking services. Centric Bank continues to invest in meeting the needs of the community through its sponsorships and is committed to delivering the highest quality financial products with a premium service that revolves around its customers. Founded in February 2007, Centric Bank has financial centers located in Harrisburg and Mechanicsburg.

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