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Adams County Bicentennial announces HOMEBANK as a major sponsor

Quincy, IL — The Adams County Bicentennial Commission is pleased to announce HOMEBANK as a major sponsor to the Bicentennial celebration. A check presentation took place on Tuesday, September 24, 2024 at their 12th & Broadway location in Quincy.

Mark Hayes, Community Bank President of HOMEBANK, alongside many other company representatives, presented a check for \$10,000 to the Adams County Bicentennial Commission and discussed the company's role in supporting this historic milestone. "HOMEBANK is celebrating their 25th Anniversary here in Adams County and has been a part of the Tri-State Area for 90 years now", said Mark Hayes, Community Bank President. "We are proud to serve customers on both sides of the Mississippi and look forward to a wonderful celebration of Adams County's 200th anniversary".

As a cornerstone of our local financial community, HOMEBANK's support highlights its commitment to celebrating and preserving the rich history of Adams County. This financial contribution will help fund a range of Bicentennial events and initiatives planned for 2025, including educational programs, community celebrations, and historical commemorations.

"HOMEBANK joins an incredible list of community-minded businesses that are helping make the Bicentennial celebration even more special," said Chuck Scholz, former Quincy Mayor and Chairperson of the Bicentennial Commission. "We thank them for their commitment towards our promotion and fundraising efforts".

About HOMEBANK: HOMEBANK, Member FDIC, was founded on June 25, 1934, as Palmyra State Bank. In 1959, controlling interest in the bank was sold to Byron B. Webb of St. Louis, a retired car dealership owner. The third generation of the Webb Family now owns the bank, and Joe Thomas of Palmyra serves as the organization's Chairman of the Board and CEO. The organization boasts 130 employees and nine branches; two in Quincy, Illinois and others in Palmyra, Canton, Hannibal, Bowling Green, Centralia, Mexico, and Lake Saint Louis in Missouri. Assets total more than \$600 million.

About Adams County Bicentennial: The Adams County Bicentennial celebrates 200 years of history, resilience, and community spirit in Adams County, IL. Through a diverse range of events and initiatives, the Bicentennial aims to honor the county's heritage and engage residents and visitors alike in celebrating its contributions to the region.

For more information about the Adams County Bicentennial and to stay updated on upcoming events, please visit Adams County Bicentennial Website at www.adamsco200.org.

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