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Bank First National announces personnel advancements

Michael B. Molepske, CEO and David J. Diedrich, President of Bank First National, recently announced the following promotions at the Bank:

Shelly Braun has been promoted to Assistant Vice President at Bank First National's Sheboygan location. She works with real estate, home equity and refinancing loans. Braun has been with Bank First National for the past 12 years and has held positions of Underwriting Assistant and Loan Processor. Braun is a Valders High School graduate. She is a board member of the Sheboygan Noon Optimist group and a member of the Valders Area School District Wellness Committee. Braun is also the founder/event coordinator of the annual Heart&Sole 5k which benefits Children's Hospital of Wisconsin. She resides in Whitelaw with her husband, Steven, and children Evan and Ashley.



Michael E. Strege has been promoted to Assistant Vice President/Business Banking at Bank First National's Sheboygan location. He works with commercial loans and Treasury Management services. Strege has been with Bank First National since June 2007. He has over 12 years of commercial, consumer and agricultural lending experience. Strege received his bachelor's degree in Accounting and Finance from the University of Wisconsin-Green Bay. Strege is a member of the Sheboygan Rotary West, a Junior Achievement Volunteer and a coach of local youth sports teams. He resides in Howards Grove with his sons, Alexander and Samuel.



John Mueller has been promoted to Loan Officer at Bank First National's Plymouth office. Mueller works with individual loans and deposits as well as small business relationships. With over 6 years of financial experience, Mueller has been with Bank First National since April of 2007. Mueller is a graduate of the University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh where he received a bachelor's degree in history. He is currently involved with Big Brothers/Big Sisters lunch buddy program, serves on the Board of Directors for the Plymouth Education Foundation and is also a member of the Plymouth Lion's Club. He resides in Plymouth with his wife, Mary.



First Manitowoc Bancorp, Inc. (OTCBB: FMWC.OB) provides financial services through its sole subsidiary, Bank First National, a national banking association incorporated in

1894. The Bank is an independent community bank with 15 banking locations in Manitowoc, Brown, Calumet and Sheboygan counties. The Bank has grown through both acquisitions and de novo branch expansion. The Bank offers loan, deposit, investment advisory and trust products at each of its banking offices. Insurance products are available through its wholly owned subsidiary, the Vincent Group and asset management services are available through its wholly owned subsidiary, The George V. Reis Investment Group, Inc. The Bank employs approximately 215 full time equivalent staff and has assets of \$784 million as of January 31, 2009.

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