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Bank First representatives Jody Jansen, Mary Ann Syvertsen, and Jim Lotter dig into the new ground at the bank's future new lola office located at the corners of E. State Street and N. Jackson Street. Leaders in the lola community, as well as general contractor RJM Construction and architect Rich Hepner from Kubala Washatko Architects, joined in for the special occasion.

Bank First holds groundbreaking ceremony in lola

Waupaca, Wis, August 22, 2019 – Bank First, the subsidiary of Bank First Corporation, recently held a groundbreaking ceremony at the future site of its new lola office, located at the corner of E. State Street and N. Jackson Street.

The full service 3,300 square foot office will emulate the contemporary design and efficient use of space similar to other recently-constructed Bank First offices in Sheboygan, Two Rivers, Plymouth, and Appleton. “Our entire team is looking forward to moving to our new

location,” stated Mary Ann Syvertsen, Retail Banker in Iola. “The new office will allow our team to continue providing exceptional customer service in a more efficient, customer friendly environment.”

“This project illustrates the commitment we have to the Iola community,” stated Jim Lotter, Senior Vice President-Western Region. “We are grateful for the support we have received from the community and look forward to continuing to develop meaningful relationships with local families and businesses. That’s what community banking is all about.”

Construction is expected to be complete by January 2020.

In addition, Bank First plans to completely renovate its existing location in Waupaca. The building, located at 111 Jefferson Street, was constructed in 1973. “We are looking forward to updating the interior and exterior space of our Waupaca office by offering employees a more comfortable workspace and providing customers a modern and efficient place to do business,” stated Lotter. “The remodel will also allow Bank First to further invest in and strengthen its relationship with the Waupaca community.”

As part of the remodel, the bank will be adding a technologically advanced training room with the capacity to seat up to 50 people. In addition to using the training room for employee development, Bank First will be offering the space to local small businesses and non-profit organizations to use free of charge. The remodel is expected to be complete in the first quarter of 2020.

For more information about Bank First, visit www.BankFirstWI.bank.

Bank First Corporation provides financial services through its subsidiary, Bank First, which was incorporated in 1894. The Bank is an independent community bank with 23 banking locations in Wisconsin. The Bank has grown through both acquisitions and de novo branch expansion. The Bank offers loan, deposit and treasury management products at each of its banking offices. Insurance services are available through our bond with Ansay & Associates, LLC. Trust, investment advisory and other financial services are offered through the Bank’s partnership with Legacy Private Trust, an alliance with Morgan Stanley and an affiliation with McKenzie Financial Services, LLC. The Bank is a co-owner of a data processing subsidiary, UFS, LLC, which provides data and technology services to banks in the Midwest. The Company employs approximately 279 full-time equivalent staff and has assets of approximately \$2.1 billion. Further information about Bank First Corporation is available by clicking on the Investor Relations tab at www.BankFirstWI.bank.

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