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First Security Bank Announces Hiring of Sr. Vice President of Mortgage Banking

Prior to joining the bank, Belcher was Mortgage Market Manager at PNC Bank where he was named one of Mortgage Originator Magazine's Top 200 Mortgage Originators. He achieved the highest Customer Satisfaction Rating in the Kentucky Market and was instrumental in developing the Middle Tennessee market.

A graduate of the University of Kentucky, Belcher received his Bachelors of Science degree in Business Administration.

Belcher has served in leadership roles with Boy Scouts of America and was instrumental in fundraising efforts for the Owensboro Museum of Fine Art. He also has served as Chairman of Friday After 5 and is an affiliate member of the Greater Owensboro Realtor Association, as well as the Home Builders Association of Owensboro.

M. Lynn Cooper, President and CEO stated; "Brad brings invaluable experience to the First Security Bank team. He has over 20 years of banking experience with leadership in mortgage banking in addition to leading and recruiting top performing relationship bankers. He will be an invaluable asset to us as we continue our growth strategy in key markets that have shown to have strong mortgage business."

First Security Bank is a \$535 million asset bank with 10 banking centers in Owensboro, Bowling Green, Franklin and Lexington, Kentucky, as well as Evansville and Newburgh, Indiana. Focusing on relationship banking and the ability to make decisions locally, First Security Bank creates value through unparalleled service.