



# GOLDEN EAGLE COMMUNITY BANK

P.O. Box 1930, Woodstock, Illinois 60098

December 2007 - Letter from the President

Golden Eagle Community Bank, which is now open for your business, would like to express our sincere appreciation to the communities of Woodstock and Crystal Lake as well as all of McHenry County for the solid support we received during 2007 to organize and open a new community bank with local ownership and management.

During late December of 2006, a formal application to organize a state bank was filed with the Illinois Department of Financial and Professional Regulation (IDFPR) – Banking Division. This application included our 14 million dollar goal, as a minimum level of capital funds, to organize a new Bank to serve Woodstock, Crystal Lake and all of McHenry County.

The IDFPR issued our formal permit to organize Golden Eagle Community Bank on May 22, 2007. We subsequently surpassed our goal and raised an initial capital level of over 16 million dollars in start up capital funds. Our capital offering was closed September 12, 2007 along with filing our final materials to receive our formal charter from the IDFPR and our Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC) Insurance Certificate.

We received our formal IDFPR Charter on October 29, 2007 and FDIC Insurance on October 31, 2007.

I am, therefore, proud to announce that Golden Eagle Community Bank opened for business at 133 S. Eastwood Drive in Woodstock, Illinois on October 31, 2007 as a full service banking facility. In addition, we have a limited service lending and loan production facility at One North Virginia Street, Crystal Lake, Illinois.

Again, I express our sincere appreciation to the community and invite you to visit our website ([www.goldeneaglecommunitybank.com](http://www.goldeneaglecommunitybank.com)) or certainly visit our local office and experience the uniqueness of Golden Eagle Community Bank.

Sincerely,

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