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**Legence Bank Breaks Ground for New Corporate Office
in Eldorado Oct. 22**

PHOTO OPTION 1:



Eldorado, IL— Shovels ready at the Oct. 22 groundbreaking for the Legence Bank Corporate Office. Holding shovels and wearing hardhats, left to right, are: Tim Smith, president, Evan Lloyd Associates, Inc. Architects; Jim Rann, corporate vice president H.E. Mitchell Construction; Kenny Etienne, Legence Bank board director; Michael Tyson, board director; Ron Mitchell, president H.E. Mitchell Construction; Vince Kasiar, board director; Rocky James, mayor, City of Eldorado; Rick Williams, chairman, Legence Bank Board of Directors; Kevin Beckemeyer, president and CEO, Legence Bank; Martin B. Rowe, president and CEO, First Eldorado Bancshares (Legence Bank holding company) and Don Poore, board director.

The facility will be approximately 14,000 square feet, and will feature a training room, executive offices and other cubicles. Human resources, audit and compliance, loan and deposit operations, IT, marketing, and e-branch functions also will be moved to the Corporate Office, which will free up more space for retail and customer service at the Main Bank at 4th and Locust, also in Eldorado. The exact address of the Legence Bank Corporate Office will be 1200 US Highway 45 in Eldorado, IL. The Corporate Office is expected to be completed and open during the summer of 2014.

PHOTO OPTION 2:



Eldorado, IL— Martin B. Rowe, president and CEO, First Eldorado Bancshares (Legence Bank holding company), welcomes and thanks attendees at the Oct. 22 groundbreaking for Legence Bank's Corporate Office while Kevin Beckemeyer, Legence Bank President and CEO, prepares to share construction details for the new facility.

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