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Community Icon, Minnesota National Bank, Named Among the Top Extraordinary Banks in the Nation



Atlanta, Georgia, September 20, 2023 – Minnesota National Bank, a local icon in Central Minnesota with offices in Sauk Centre, Long Prairie and Pelican Rapids was just named among the top extraordinary banks in the United States by The Institute for Extraordinary Banking™.

Minnesota National Bank was recognized with the Institute’s Banky™ Award for its commitment to strong community banking. This recognition is given to top community banks across the country to help people find the best banks in their communities. Minnesota National Bank was also recognized with two category awards. The first category award being the Institute’s BanksGiving™ Banky™ Award for Extraordinary Philanthropy in recognition of their commitment to the strategic direction of their communities and to making profound impacts within the communities they serve. The second category award given was the Institute’s Money Smarts Banky™ Award for Financial Literacy Education as a result of their extraordinary service to their customers and community through a commitment to

professionals that have been recognized for the excellent job they do of helping our clients with their financial needs. We are also so blessed to have the trust of our clients and be looked upon as trusted advisors to them for their financial needs."

The Extraordinary Banking™ Awards emphasize the indispensable contribution community banks have on their communities—how deeply woven into the fabric of the community they are. Their role in elevating the national economy is profound yet often misunderstood.

Community banks are the beacon that illuminates their local communities and the pillar of small business success.

Roxanne Emmerich, Chair and Founder of The Institute for Extraordinary Banking™, proclaimed during the awards ceremony: "Community banks recognize aspirations, dreams, and silent hopes of small businesses and individuals within their communities. The heart and soul of an extraordinary community bank is the visionary blueprint for the community's success and ability to enact that plan. Those banks were chosen to receive this year's Banky awards."

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