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First Citizens Donates \$30,000 to Area Educational Programs

MANSFIELD, PA (March 2016)...First Citizens Community Bank recently contributed a total of \$30,000 in support of educational programs throughout their Southcentral region. The Bank donated \$7,500 each to the Cedar Foundation, the Falcon Foundation, and the Eastern Lebanon County Education Foundation. They also provided \$5,000 to the Northern Lebanon Education Foundation, and \$2,500 to the Sexual Assault Resource and Counseling Center (SARCC) of Lebanon and Schuylkill Counties.

Budget cuts and the state budget impasse seriously impacted K-12 public schools and community outreach programs. First Citizens recognized an opportunity to provide financial assistance that will be used to provide scholarships, summer programs, innovative classroom programs, and social, cultural and athletic enrichment opportunities to local students.

"We are pleased to establish a deeper partnership with area schools to help provide area children with the opportunity for a quality education," stated James Rovito, SVP, Southcentral Regional President. "These children are our future leaders, and it's important to provide them with the tools they need to succeed."

First Citizens Community Bank is headquartered in Mansfield, Pennsylvania and currently operates 24 offices in Tioga, Bradford, Potter, Clinton, Lebanon, Berks, and Schuylkill Counties in PA, and Alleghany County, NY. For more information on First Citizens Community Bank, visit www.firstcitizensbank.com or find them on Facebook.

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