



*April*  
**2023**

# *Metro* **MESSENGER**

## Letter from the *President*

Spring is a time of opportunity and new beginnings. This rings true at First Metro Bank as we are proud to announce the completion of our 11<sup>th</sup> First Metro Bank branch, our second location in Athens, situated just off Highway 72 and Lindsay Lane. With contemporary banking services in a state-of-the-art facility, we're eager to deepen our roots in Limestone County.

In every season, we are thankful to you for your support, patronage, and loyalty. As a token of our gratitude, I want to personally invite you to join us for our Annual Customer Appreciation Day. Stop by any First Metro Bank location on Friday, May 5<sup>th</sup>, from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., for a complimentary lunch courtesy of your neighbors at First Metro Bank.

The banking industry has recently received widespread coverage in the media. Rest assured that First Metro Bank, as an independent, community bank, remains positioned as the strongest bank in the Shoals with a robust liquidity position, a healthy portfolio of deposits and investments, and as always, a team of community bankers who are dedicated to assisting you with your financial needs. Our pledge to serve you as your genuine hometown bank remains steadfast, just as it has been since 1988.



Thank you for  
Banking with a Neighbor.

*Rodney Howard*



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# CUSTOMER

# Appreciation DAY

Friday, May 5<sup>th</sup> • 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Stop by any of our branches + enjoy lunch on us!

*Thank you for Banking with a Neighbor!*

## Metro Happenings

Friday, May 5<sup>th</sup>  
*Customer Appreciation Day*  
11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.  
Lunch is on us!

Monday, May 29<sup>th</sup>  
Closed for Memorial Day

Monday, June 19<sup>th</sup>  
Closed for Juneteenth

Thursday, June 22<sup>nd</sup>  
*Metro on Main*  
5:00 p.m.  
Keller Festival Parade Party  
Downtown Tuscumbia Branch

## Digital Spring Cleaning

- Keep your devices + software updated and current with security features.
- Verify that your debit cards, credit card accounts, investments, and retirement accounts are configured to alert you when transactions are made. Our debit card management tool, Card Controls, is available in the First Metro Bank mobile app.
- Review privacy settings on your social media accounts.



Muscle Shoals  
West Avalon - Main Office  
East Avalon

Tuscumbia

Russellville

Florence  
Pine Street  
Cloverdale Road  
Hough Road

Lexington

Greenhill

Athens  
Downtown  
Lindsay Lane

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Recently, the Alabama Chapter of the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation presented First Metro Bank with the **Community Corporate Champion Award** in recognition of the fundraising efforts from our annual Steve Littrell Memorial Swingin' for a Cure Golf Tournament. Steve Littrell served as Senior Vice President, Lauderdale County Manager, and Lexington Branch Manager at First Metro Bank for 17 years. He was a compassionate, genuine, and kind man who loved his family, friends, neighbors, and community. Steve suffered from Pulmonary Fibrosis and battled this horrible disease for over five years before passing away in 2017. Steve would be elated to know that so much progress has been made in the fight against Cystic Fibrosis and that people with the disease are living longer, healthier lives.



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