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First National Community Bank Announces Jason Faulkner's Promotion to Cartersville Market President – To Host Customer Appreciation Day at Cartersville Branch on April 25th

Chatsworth, Ga., March 20, 2025 – First National Community Bank (FNCB), a wholly owned subsidiary of First Chatsworth Bankshares, Inc., proudly announces the promotion of Jason Faulkner to the role of Cartersville Market President. Faulkner, who has been with FNCB since April 2022, most recently served as Vice President, Commercial Lender for the Paulding and Cobb County markets. His promotion reflects his outstanding leadership, commitment to the bank, and dedication to fostering strong relationships.

Faulkner, a seasoned banking professional with a wealth of experience, has a long history of leadership and community involvement. Before joining FNCB, Faulkner worked as Vice President and Branch Manager for both regional and state banks in Marietta, Georgia, where he successfully managed branch teams, grew deposit portfolios, and developed new business relationships.

"The bank remains committed to our focus on growth opportunities in Cartersville. Jason and our Cartersville team's robust involvement in the area, along with his new role as Cartersville Market President, is evidence of this and will be among the difference-makers in our bank's bright future," said Chief Banking Officer, Gary Middleton.

In addition to his role at FNCB, Faulkner is an active member of the Rotary Club of North Cobb since 2023 and has been elected to the Board of Directors, with his term beginning July 2025, and has been involved with both the Marietta Business Association and the West Cobb Business Association for many years. Faulkner served on the board of the West Cobb Business Association in 2023 and 2024. He and his family attend North Metro Church in Marietta, Georgia.

"I am thrilled to take on this new role as Cartersville Market President. I look forward to continuing to serve our customers, foster relationships with local businesses, and contribute to the growth of our community. It's an honor to be part of such a dynamic and community-focused organization, said Faulkner.

To honor customers and welcome the community, the FNCB Cartersville Branch will host a **Customer Appreciation Day** on **Friday, April 25th**, from **11:00 AM to 2:00 PM** at the branch, located at 325 Cherokee Place, Cartersville, GA 30120. The bank invites its customers and the community to stop by and enjoy a delicious grilled hotdog, chips, cookies, refreshing water and soda, as well as a game of corn hole. There will also be exciting giveaways and an 'enter to win' gift card drawing to a local business.

For more information about First National Community Bank's services and its involvement in local initiatives, please visit https://fncbank.com.

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