ST. LOUIS, Mo. — The Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis, acting pursuant to delegated authority for the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, today approved the notification by Ozarks Heritage Financial Group, Inc., Gainesville, Missouri, to become a bank holding company through the acquisition of 100 percent of the outstanding voting shares of Community First Financial Corporation, Inc., Plato, Missouri, and thereby indirectly acquire 97.4 percent of its subsidiary bank, Bank of Plato, Plato, Missouri. Also approved today was a companion notification by Century Bancshares, Inc., Gainesville, Missouri, to acquire 24.8 percent of Ozarks Heritage Financial Group, Inc.

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