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AB&T Announces Staff Promotions

Albany, Ga. (January 12, 2017) – AB&T President and CEO, Luke Flatt, recently announced the promotion of four team members.

With more than 30 years of experience in banking and accounting, Stan Edmonds has been promoted to Vice President, Controller. He is instrumental in budgeting and financial analysis and reporting which is crucial to the bank's success.

"Stan is a highly experienced banker and financial analysis professional. The quality and presentation of his work have been, and will continue to be, vital in the success of AB&T," said Flatt.

Terri Christian is a 25-year banking veteran who brings a wealth of management experience and banking knowledge to AB&T. She has been promoted to Vice President, Branch Manager. She will now oversee the main office's client service delivery, consumer relationship growth and consumer lending.

"Terri brings a unique ability to both develop and maintain long-term client relationships, and her passion for delighting customers continues to illustrate what it means to be the gold standard of community banking," Flatt noted.

Tina Marbury has been promoted to Banking Officer, Senior Credit Analyst. A native of Albany, Tina brings a wealth of credit knowledge and underwriting expertise in her work with both commercial and private bankers.

"Tina's experience and proficiency truly set her apart," said Flatt. "Our credit quality and ability to respond timely to client requests are direct reflections on Tina's high level of competence."

Whitney Passmore was promoted to Banking Officer, Cash Management Specialist. A native of Leesburg, Whitney has excelled in establishing and maintaining client relationships through her role as Cash Management Specialist and Administrative Assistant to the Commercial and Private Bankers.

"On a daily basis, Whitney demonstrates what solid relationship banking represents and is a tremendous asset to AB&T and to this community," stated Luke Flatt.

AB&T opened its doors in 1999 as Albany Bank & Trust, focused on providing customers with local decision-making and exceptional quality service. AB&T is a member of the FDIC and is an Equal Housing Lender. For more information, visit www.abtgold.com.