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PRESS RELEASE: THE STATE BANK RANKS 4TH OVERALL FOR COMMUNITY BANKS IN MICHIGAN

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THE STATE BANK RANKED 4TH OVERALL IN COMMUNITY BANKS IN MICHIGAN BY FMC
February 11, 2019, Fenton, MI – The State Bank is proud to announce that they have been ranked fourth overall in community banks in Michigan by Financial Management Consulting Group (FMC). The performance report considers many key factors such as bank size, margin, fee income, efficiency, asset quality and earnings. Of ninety-one banks headquartered in Michigan, The State Bank achieved the ranking of fourth.

Financial Management Consulting Group was organized in 1988 with focus on strategic planning for community banks. They have published the state ranking reports since 1998 and now provide that service to about 450 clients in 41 states.

“Based on the 8 performance criteria used by FMC in ranking Michigan-based banks, The State Bank is proud to be ranked fourth in the State for overall performance. This type of performance could not be achieved without the hard work of our dedicated team and the loyalty of our customer base,” says Craig Johnson, Senior Vice President.

About Fentura Financial and The State Bank

Fentura Financial is the holding company for The State Bank. It was formed in 1987 and is traded on the OTCQX exchange under the symbol FETM, and was recognized as one of the Top 50 performing stocks for 2015 on that exchange.

The State Bank is a full-service, retail and trust bank headquartered in Fenton, Michigan. It has assets of approximately \$900 million. It currently operates fifteen full-service branches located in Genesee, Livingston, Oakland, Saginaw and Shiawassee Counties and loan production offices in Washtenaw and Saginaw Counties. The State Bank's commercial department provides a complete array of products including lines of credit, term loans, commercial mortgages, SBA loans and a full-suite of cash management products. The retail department offers personal checking, savings, time and IRA deposit accounts and all types of loan products including home equity, auto and personal loans. The residential loan department offers construction, purchase and refinance residential mortgage loans. The wealth management department offers a full-service suite of trust and portfolio management services. The aim of The State Bank is to become and remain "Your Financial Partner for Life." More information can be found at www.thestatebank.com.

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