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## **New Peoples Bank Opens Bristol VA State Street Branch**

Honaker, Va. – New Peoples Bank is announcing the opening of a new branch location on October 28, 2021, at 901 West State Street, Bristol, Virginia. To celebrate the opening, a ribbon-cutting ceremony was held followed by a reception inside the branch.

This will be the second branch for New Peoples Bank in Bristol, VA extending the bank's footprint to include 19 branches in southwest Virginia, northeastern Tennessee, southern West Virginia and a Loan Production Office in western North Carolina. This state-of-the-art, full service banking center will feature a newly designed spacious interior, a private area to access safe deposit box content, Interactive Teller Machines (ITMs) both inside and outside, a self-service coin counter, and easy, accessible drive-thru lanes.

"We are excited for the opportunity to grow in the Bristol area while also expanding our presence in the Central Appalachian region," said New Peoples Bank President and CEO Todd Asbury. "We have several customers already in the vicinity and this will provide convenience for them. We believe this will be an excellent location for us to establish additional relationships with new customers in both Virginia and Tennessee."

Marjorie Tester, Bristol Market Manager, Tonda Williams, Branch Manager, and the entire NPB team are ready to serve customers with an extensive array of consumer, commercial, mortgage, treasury management, and electronic banking products and services. Lobby hours are 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM, Monday through Thursday and 9:00 AM – 6:00 PM, Friday. Drive thru hours are 8:30 AM – 5:00 PM, Monday through Thursday and 8:30 AM – 6:00 PM, Friday. Extended banking hours are available at the outside Interactive Teller Machine from 5:00 PM – 7:00 PM, Monday through Friday and 9:00 AM – 1:00 PM on Saturday. ATM, online, mobile and telebanking services are available 24/7. Additional information about the bank's entire suite of products and services can be found on their website at [www.newpeoples.bank](http://www.newpeoples.bank).

## **About New Peoples Bank**

New Peoples Bankshares, Inc. is the financial holding company for New Peoples Bank, Inc., a community bank with 19 offices serving southwestern Virginia, southern West Virginia, northeastern Tennessee and western North Carolina. The Bank offers a full range of banking and financial services focused primarily on individuals, small to medium size businesses, and the professional community. The Bank strives to serve the financial needs of its customers while developing personal, hometown relationships.