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**JOHN MARSHALL BANK TAPS PAM DECANDIO**  
*Growing Bank Expanding Presence In Alexandria Region*

[Alexandria, VA] [February 15, 2011] – Today John Marshall Bank, one of the most respected, well capitalized and successful community banks in the Washington metro area, announced the addition of Pam DeCandio to its team of banking leaders. Ms. DeCandio, a Senior Vice President will be based in John Marshall Bank’s Alexandria branch.

“We could not be happier about the addition of Pam to our growing team” said John Maxwell, John Marshall Bank’s Chairman and Chief Executive Officer. “There is no one who knows banking in Alexandria in better. Her expertise and relationships will ensure continued growth in our Alexandria branch.”

Pam DeCandio began her career in banking with George Washington National Bank in Alexandria, Virginia, in 1995. The bank was soon acquired by Franklin National Bank where Ms. DeCandio worked as an Assistant Branch Manager until December 1996. In October 1997 she joined Virginia Commerce Bank as the Branch Manager of their Duke Street branch in Alexandria. For the next ten years, Ms. DeCandio worked for Virginia Commerce Bank, resigning in April 2007 as Senior Vice President of Community Banking to join Burke & Herbert Bank & Trust Company as Vice President of Business Development.

Ms. DeCandio is the current Treasurer of the Alexandria Police Foundation and has served on the board since 2005. She is an active member of the Alexandria Chamber of Commerce and has served on the board from 2000 to 2008. Ms. DeCandio has been actively involved in Leadership Alexandria since its beginning in 2004 and has served two terms as Steering Committee Chair. She has been involved in several charitable organizations during her career in Alexandria. Ms. DeCandio has attended both George Washington University and Georgetown University in Washington, DC.

“I am thrilled to be joining John Marshall Bank. There is an array of talent and customer first philosophy that is a welcome change of pace from traditional area banks” explained DeCandio. “Bill Ridenour, (John Marshall Bank President), gave me my first job in banking and I’m so excited to be back on his team.”

The addition of new senior leaders like Pam DeCandio is being seen as a true demonstration of John Marshall Bank's strength as a well-run bank, especially in today's economy. The bank recently announced the opening of a new branch in Rockville, MD.

John Marshall Bank first opened to the public in Falls Church, Virginia in May 2006. Since that time, customer service, satisfaction, and success have inspired the bank's leaders who have helped it to grow into one of the areas most respected and well capitalized banks.

"John Marshall Bank's business model is based largely on people" Maxwell continued. "We seek to hire talent, and expand the company based on the strengths of our bankers like Pam."

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