

Citizens Bank of WV Invests \$100,000 in Youth Center

Officials from the City of Buckhannon, Stockert Youth & Community Center, and Citizens Bank of West Virginia held an official signing ceremony on May 5 to formalize a naming rights agreement for the Stockert expansion. A banner was hung at the site of the future multi-purpose gymnasium following the ceremonial signing.

The \$100,000 naming rights contribution will help support the building of a new facility that will include an indoor walking track and additional gym space. Under the terms of the agreement, the facility will become known as the Citizens Bank Arena at the Stockert Youth & Community Center.

“This is a milestone agreement and we are thrilled to support this first class expansion that will enhance the recreational and educational programs offered to area youth and adults,” said Nathaniel S. Bonnell, President & CEO of Citizens Bank of West Virginia. “This is further tangible evidence we are committed and invested in serving the citizens of Upshur County and being a community partner.”

Mayor David McCauley addressed the audience at the sign unveiling with the history of the Stockert Youth Center and a thank you to Citizens Bank. “The largest gift received for our capital campaign has been made today by a gift from Citizens Bank of West Virginia. The contribution takes the campaign to \$440,000. Citizens Bank President & CEO Nathaniel Bonnell and its Board of Directors are friends and wonderful partners of our City of Buckhannon and our SYCC programs and facilities.”

Citizens Bank of West Virginia opened its Buckhannon office in 2014 and is located at 77 West Main Street. With assets of \$317 million, Citizens is a community bank headquartered in Elkins, West Virginia and operates other branch offices in Parsons, Beverly, and Snowshoe. Citizens provides integrated financial services including retail and commercial banking, wealth management, and mortgage services in North Central West Virginia. The bank is a wholly owned subsidiary of Citizens Financial Corp. (OTC: CIWV). For more information, visit us online at www.citizenswv.com.

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