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Taylorville, Illinois: As a community bank, Peoples Bank & Trust recognizes the value of volunteerism in our communities. To recognize, commend and promote the volunteerism, Peoples Bank & Trust has established a program to recognize outstanding community members for their volunteer efforts of improvement to our community.

Bill Harmon has been chosen as our current Volunteer of the Quarter for his many years of service with the local Cub Scouts and Boys Scouts.

Bill has served as a leader with the local Boy Scouts of America for 13 years. He has been a den leader, troop chairman, Scoutmaster and currently serves as the Cub Master for Pack 74. While serving as Scoutmaster, Bill has helped eight boys earn their Eagle Scout rank. Pack 74 currently has 3 Cub Scouts ranging from 1st to 5th grade. Bill has been an Eagle Scout since 1982.

Bill is a native of Morrisonville. He is the son of Elmer and the late Jody Harmon. He graduated from Morrisonville High School in 1984. He graduated from Lincoln Land Community College in 1986, University of Illinois with a BS in 1988 and a Masters in 1989. Bill taught agriculture at Morrisonville High School for seven years and at Lincoln Land Community College for 21 years. Bill and his wife of 24 years, Wendy are the parents of two children, Cameron 20 and Mackenzie 16.

In honor of Bill's volunteer services to the community, Peoples Bank has made a donation to Cub Scout Pack 74 and his name will be placed on a plaque to be displayed at the bank.

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