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Peoples Bank & Trust Volunteer of the Quarter

As a community bank, Peoples Bank & Trust recognizes the value of volunteerism in our communities. Peoples Bank & Trust has established a program to recognize community volunteers who personally exhibit outstanding volunteerism and promote the improvement of our communities.

The Scottville Community Club has been chosen as Peoples Bank & Trust's Volunteer of the Quarter. The Scottville Community Club was organized 10 years ago with the goal of transforming the former Scottville Elementary School into a community and historical building. They have hosted various groups including Palmyra Lions Club, Green Machine 4-H Club, EMT's, exercise classes and several showers, reunions and weddings. The club hosts a Halloween Party in October for area children. Along with the Scottville Historical Society, the club host Tuesday morning coffee hour and a monthly breakfast on the first Tuesday of each month.

In honor of their commitment and service to the community, Peoples Bank & Trust has made a \$250.00 donation to the Scottville Community Club and thier name has been placed on a plaque and displayed in the bank's lobby.

Peoples Bank & Trust is an independent Community Bank with ten offices located in Pana, Taylorville, Altamont, Charleston, Tower Hill, Springfield, Morrisonville, Palmyra, Waverly, and White Hall. Peoples is a full service bank offering outstanding customer service to customers, small businesses, and farmers in Central Illinois. Peoples First Bancshares, Inc., with corporate offices in Pana, Illinois, is the holding company for Peoples Bank & Trust.