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**Evolve Bank & Trust Appoints John McKeel
Vice President, Cash Management Services & Commercial Lending Jonesboro, AR**

MEMPHIS, TN September 27, 2021 – Evolve Bank & Trust (“Evolve”) has appointed John McKeel Vice President, Cash Management Services and Commercial Lending in its Jonesboro, AR Financial Center. This is a return to Evolve for McKeel, he previously served as a Credit Analyst from 2013 to 2018.

“We are thrilled to welcome back John,” said John Freeman, Retail Bank President for Evolve. “John’s vast experience in business banking is an asset to Evolve and the customers we serve. He is also a valued member of the community, which is critical to our mission as a local bank.”

“I am excited to be back with the Evolve team,” said McKeel. “I look forward to continuing to serve the Northeast Arkansas region and help our local businesses flourish. It is an honor to be a part of a bank that is committed to the financial success of the communities it serves.”

McKeel has more than 20 years of experience in the banking sector. Most recently, he served as Vice President, Community Banker II for Simmons Bank, Jonesboro, AR. McKeel has also held numerous positions with Union Planters Bank, Southern Bank of Commerce and Regions Bank. He is very involved in the Jonesboro community, volunteering for the United Way and he currently serves as the President-Elect for the Exchange Club of Jonesboro. McKeel attended Arkansas State University.

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