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**PHIL MAUGHAN NAMED EVP & SENIOR LENDER  
FOR FIRST UNITED SECURITY BANK**

THOMASVILLE, AL – Phil Maughan has recently been named Executive Vice President for First United Security Bank. Mr. Maughan was formerly Executive Vice President and Regional President of Capstone Bank in Tuscaloosa, Alabama. Prior to this, he had been President and Chief Executive Officer for Security Bank from 2006 until 2008.

“I have known Phil for several years. His background, knowledge, and experience, especially in the Tuscaloosa market, will be a tremendous asset for our bank,” President and CEO Terry Phillips said. “We will certainly benefit from his leadership within our organization.”

According to Maughan, understanding what customers want from their banker is vital. “Our customers want to deal with a banker that they know and trust and that understands their business. This is what makes institutions prosper in the communities it serves,” Maughan said. “We value our customers, call them by name and spend time getting to know them and their businesses in order to provide the services that they want. To me, exceeding their highest expectations shows that we really are all about them, as our slogan reads.”

Among other accomplishments, Maughan has served in executive level positions for the financial services industry for more than two decades. He holds a Bachelors of Science in Commerce and Business Administration degree from the University of Alabama (1987). He also received a Masters of Business Administration from Samford University (1994).

Maughan’s roots are not far from First United Security Bank’s offices. He is a native of Tuscaloosa and his wife, Melony, is from Huntsville. They have been married for 18 years and have two children, Mason (15) and Sam (14). Maughan is actively involved in several

community organizations including: YMCA, United Way and The First Tee. Phil and his family are also active members of The First Baptist Church in Tuscaloosa.

Joining Phil Maughan at First United Security Bank is Jenny Howton. She comes to the bank with 5 years of experience in the financial industry. She holds a Bachelor of Science in Commerce and Business Administration from the University of Alabama (2004). Her primary responsibilities will include credit analysis and loan support for the branches in Tuscaloosa, Bibb, Jefferson and Shelby counties.

Established in 1952, First United Security Bank serves Clarke, Bibb, Choctaw, Jefferson, Shelby, Tuscaloosa, and Washington Counties through its 19 offices in Brent, Butler, Calera, Centreville, Coffeeville, Columbiana, Fulton, Gilbertown, Grove Hill, Harpersville, Jackson, McCalla, Thomasville, Tuscaloosa and Woodstock. The bank holds \$674 million in assets, is a member of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation and is an Equal Housing Lender. For more information, visit the bank's website at: [www.firstusbank.com](http://www.firstusbank.com). Or write to: First United Security Bank, P.O. Box 249, Thomasville, AL 36784.