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WaterStone Bank to Close Branches Early in Observance of Juneteenth

Wauwatosa, **Wis.** -6/17/2020 - WaterStone Bank announced today that it will be closing all branches and offices at 1:00 p.m. on Friday, June 19, 2020 in observance of Juneteenth.

"The early closure of our offices will allow us to take time to reflect on the social injustices that continue to plague our nation," said Doug Gordon, President/CEO of WaterStone Bank. "We encourage everyone to take the time to listen, learn and promote positive change. At WaterStone Bank, we will continue to support diversity efforts and make it our priority to promote racial and social equality in the workplace and throughout our community."

For any time-sensitive banking needs, customers are encouraged to visit their local branch before 1:00 p.m. on Friday, June 19. Customers are also able to utilize WaterStone's digital banking tools for any self-service banking needs.

WaterStone Bank's customer service center will remain open on Friday until 7:00 p.m. for customers in need of assistance with the bank's new digital banking experience, which launched this week.

WaterStone Bank's branches will resume normal business hours on Saturday, June 20, 2020.

About WaterStone Bank

WaterStone Bank, established in 1921, offers a full suite of personal and business banking products. The community bank has branches in Wauwatosa/State St, Brookfield, Fox Point/North Shore, Franklin/Hales Corners, Germantown/Menomonee Falls, Greenfield/Loomis Rd, Oak Creek/27th St, Oak Creek/Howell Ave, Oconomowoc/Lake Country, Pewaukee, Waukesha, West Allis/Greenfield Ave, West Allis/National Ave, Wisconsin along with a commercial lending branch in Minneapolis, Minnesota. WaterStone Bank is the parent company to Waterstone Mortgage, which has the ability to lend in 48 states. For more information about WaterStone Bank, go to http://www.wsbonline.com. Follow WaterStone Bank on Facebook, Twitter, LinkedIn, YouTube, and Instagram.

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