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First United Bank hires Michael Meil Vice President

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MICHAEL MEIL HIRED AS VICE PRESIDENT

Michael Meil has been hired as Vice President of Commercial lending for First United Bank Amarillo. Michael is a Texas native and graduate of Stratford High School in Stratford, TX. In 2001, he received his Bachelors of Business Administration in Finance degree from Texas Tech University in Lubbock, Texas. Michael has over seven years of banking experience in the Amarillo market with an extensive background in both personal and business banking. Michael is an active member of Trinity Fellowship Church. Michael also serves on the board of Faith City Ministries. Michael will serve as Vice President of Lending in First United Bank's Amarillo Colonies Banking Center located at One First United Bank Parkway (45th & Soncy), Amarillo, Texas. His responsibilities will include servicing and growing a commercial, agricultural and consumer lending portfolio.

ABOUT FIRST UNITED BANK & PLAINS BANCORP, INC.:

First United Bank, a subsidiary of Plains Bancorp, Inc., reports total assets of approximately \$895 million and currently operates thirteen (13) Banking Center offices in Amarillo, Canyon, Dimmitt, Earth, Lamesa, Littlefield, Lubbock, Seagraves, Seminole and Sudan, Texas.

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