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JENNIFER DUNN JOINS *BANTERRA BANK* AS CUSTOMER RELATIONSHIP OFFICER AT EAST PRAIRIE, MISSOURI LOCATION

Marion, IL – *Banterra Bank*, with \$1.5 billion in assets and locations throughout the Midwest, is pleased to announce that Jennifer Dunn has joined the Banterra Team as Customer Relationship Officer at the East Prairie, Missouri location. Jennifer brings more than seven years' experience in the financial industry and more than 16 years' experience in the insurance industry.

"Jennifer's familiarity with the Mississippi County region, and her experience in both the financial and insurance industries will be an asset to our East Prairie team," said Brad Keck, Market Executive of *Banterra Bank's* East Prairie Region. "Jennifer knows the importance of customer relationships and providing the best service which will translate well to our customers."

Dunn most recently served as a multi-line insurance agent for Missouri Farm Bureau for more than five years. Prior to this, she worked as a multi-line agent for a couple other insurance agencies including Self Insurance Agency and State Farm. She was also a P & C Agent for Coon Insurance Agency for more than six years. She was previously employed by First Security State Bank (Focus Bank) where she was a teller for more than seven years.

Jennifer was born and raised on a farm in Missouri, and married a farmer who now is a corporate pilot and manager of a local airport. She and her husband, Lee, have been married for 20 years and currently reside in East Prairie. They have three children: Jocee, 19, who attends Shawnee Community College where she plays softball; Decker, 16, a sophomore at East Prairie High School who plays basketball and baseball; and Ella, 9, a 3rd grader at Martin Elementary who plays softball for a local travel team. Dunn received her Bachelor of Science degree in Psychology, Human Resources and Personnel Management from Southeast Missouri State University. She and her family are active members of East Prairie's United Methodist Church. She and her husband spend the majority of their time attending their kids' ball games and at the lake.

Banterra Bank began as a single bank in Ridgway, Illinois in July of 1975. Today, *Banterra* is the largest, locally-owned bank in the region with \$1.5 billion in assets and is ranked in the Top Ten Percent of U.S. Charter Banks and Top Five Percent for Illinois Charter Banks, according to asset size. Banterra opened their East Prairie location in 2015 and entered the nearby Cape Girardeau market in 2007. *Banterra* has 35 locations in Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky and Missouri. For more information, call 866-BANTERRA (226-8377), or go to www.banterra.com.

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