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FIRST FEDERAL TEAM MEMBER CELEBRATES 15 YEARS OF SERVICE

Yellville, Ark., August 2008 – Vickie Fogerty, Vice President/Yellville Branch, is pleased to announce that **Lorna Goodwin**, Vice President/Loan Officer at the Yellville Office, is being honored for 15 years of service.

“We are proud of Lorna’s years with the Bank,” said Fogerty. “We are honored to recognize her dedication to our core values of **INTEGRITY, COMMITMENT, EXCELLENCE, TEAMWORK, INNOVATION,** and **PROFESSIONALISM.**”

Goodwin became a Team Member on August 24, 1993. She is a graduate of Yellville Summit High School and North Arkansas College. She and her husband, Dan, have two children – son Seth, a University of Arkansas Graduate and Second Lieutenant in the US Marine Corps; and daughter Evan, a sophomore at Yellville Summit High School.

Goodwin is a Yellville City Councilman, Secretary of the Yellville City Park Board, Treasurer of the Yellville-Summit Athletic Booster Club, and Past President of the Mid-Marion County Rotary Club. She and her husband attend Victory Baptist Church in Yellville.

About First Federal Bank

First Federal is a community bank serving consumers and businesses in Northcentral and Northwest Arkansas with a full range of checking, savings, investment, and loan products and services. The Bank, founded in 1934, has \$820.5 million in assets as of June 30, 2008, and conducts business from 20 full-service branch locations, one stand-alone loan production office, and 31 ATMs. First Federal Bank is a wholly owned subsidiary of First Federal Bancshares of Arkansas, Inc., whose stock is traded on the NASDAQ Global Market under the symbol FFBH. For information on all the products and services we offer, visit us on the web at www.ffbh.com or contact our Account Information Center by phone toll free at 866-AIC-FFBH (870.365.8329 Harrison area) or by email at aic@ffbh.com.

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