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SouthStar Bank Steiner Ranch Location NOW OPEN
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March 8, 2017 – Austin, TX –SouthStar Bank, one of the largest independent banks in Texas, announced the opening of its newest location at Steiner Ranch Boulevard and Highway 620. SouthStar Bank now serves much of Central Texas through 14 full-service branches and four loan production offices, including four other Austin-area locations in Bee Cave, Southwest Austin, Round Rock and Leander.

SouthStar Bank specializes in residential mortgage, real estate and construction lending. Decisions are made locally and policies are continually updated to reflect current market conditions. This approach allows SouthStar Bank the flexibility to apply common sense standards to products, services and loan requests.

“Our Steiner Ranch location expands our footprint to better serve the area with lending capabilities and product offerings to reinforce our commitment to convenience with exceptional customer service,” said David Kapavik, President, SouthStar Bank. “Though we are growing, we remain the same proudly independent, privately held community bank our customers can trust for all their financial services, including mortgages in the fast-growing Austin-area market.”

The Steiner Ranch branch and its experienced lending team are led by Elise Giles, Senior Vice President/Commercial Real Estate Lender along with Larry D. Weisinger, Senior Vice President/Mortgage Lender Greg W. Vesely, Senior Vice President/Commercial Lending Officer and Cole Schindler, Vice President/Mortgage Lender. Collectively they have served the lending needs of businesses and individuals alike for over 80 years.

The 7,381 square-foot building began with design by architect Kirby Fleming in the Hill Country modern style, executed by McAden Builders. Embracing the beauty of its surroundings, interior design by Edgewater & Company captures the essence of the area. SouthStar Bank Steiner Ranch is full of influences driven by its location, sitting between Lake Travis and Lake Austin it is framed by some of the most picturesque offerings in the Texas Hill Country.

A public Open House and Ribbon Cutting ceremony will be held at the branch Thursday, April 27, 3:30-6:30pm. The family friendly event will include Texas-style BBQ, sweet treats, and exciting giveaways.

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About SouthStar Bank

SouthStar Bank, S.S.B. (headquartered in Moulton, TX) specializes in residential mortgage, real estate and construction lending, operating 14 full-service branches and four loan production offices across the Central Texas region. Built on a 100-year Texas heritage, the bank holds over \$700 million in assets and focuses on community involvement and personal relationships. Decisions are made locally, allowing the flexibility to apply common-sense standards to products, services and loan requests.

In addition to lending and traditional financial services, SouthStar Bank brings the latest conveniences to its clients, including online banking and mobile banking with check capture, debit cards with CardValet so you're always in control and a free worldwide ATM network.

SouthStar Bank is one of the largest independent banks in Texas and holds an impressive 5-Star rating by Bauer Financial. Southern Bancshares (Houston, TX) holds majority ownership of SouthStar Bank. Learn more at southstarbank.com. Equal Housing Lender and Member FDIC, NMLS # 410624.

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