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FS Bancorp Approves 3rd Quarter Stock Dividend

LAGRANGE, IN. – FS Bancorp Approves 3rd Quarter Stock Dividend

The Directors of FS Bancorp (OTC Pink: FXLG), the parent company of Farmers State Bank, IN, declared a two-for-one stock split to be effected in the form of a stock dividend of one additional share of common stock for each outstanding share of common stock. The stock dividend will be payable on August 20, 2018 to its common shareholders of record at the close of business on August 6, 2018, and the per share price will be adjusted accordingly. The stock split does not change the proportionate interest a shareholder maintains in FS Bancorp. The additional shares will be distributed in book entry form by the Company's transfer agent, Continental Stock Transfer & Trust Company.

ABOUT FARMERS STATE BANK

Founded in 1915 in Stroh, Indiana, Farmers State Bank is one of northeast Indiana's leading financial institutions and the home of Blue Button Banking. With corporate headquarters in LaGrange, Indiana, Farmers State Bank has been providing banking and financial services to both consumers and businesses for over 100 years. To learn more, visit GoFSB.com.

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