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**EAGLEBANK'S BRIAN BLONDER, PAUL HARSANYI AND JEFF FINK
RANKED AS THREE OF THE NATION'S TOP ORIGINATORS**

Scotsman Guide Releases Top Originators 2011 Rankings

BETHESDA, MD. EagleBank congratulates Brian Blonder, Paul Harsanyi and Jeff Fink for their ranking as *Scotsman Guide* 2011 Top Originators. Fourteen of last year's Top 200 Originators from across the country work in Metro Washington; of these 14 Top Residential Loan Producers, three are with EagleBank.

Brian Blonder was ranked #15 nationally in Top Dollar Volume with a total of \$171.6 million (466 loans); Paul Harsanyi was ranked #55 in the same category with a total of \$98.4 million (225 loans); and Jeff Fink was ranked #195 also in the same category with a total of \$57.2 million (118 loans).

Blonder, Harsanyi and Fink were ranked among entries from nearly 800 mortgage professionals across the country. To be eligible for initial consideration in *Scotsman Guide's* Top Originators rankings, originators must have had at least \$30 million in loan volume or 100 closed home loans for the 2011 calendar year.

Scotsman Guide, a resource for mortgage originators, released its third annual Top Originators rankings on April 1. The list, which ranks the nation's top mortgage brokers, originators and bankers, appears in *Scotsman Guide's* April 2012 residential edition.

"We are very proud of Brian, Paul and Jeff for their energy, motivation and success in finding the right mortgage loans for so many satisfied customers," commented EagleBank's Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer Ronald D. Paul. "This is not the first time that Brian and Paul have been recognized for their outstanding achievements—I know the effort that they put forth to be part of this select group. We are fortunate to have them on our Residential Lending Team," he concluded.

"Most impressive is their commitment to great service and track record of producing quality loans...earning them a reputation for closing loans quickly and efficiently with a focus on exceptional customer service. Excellent customer, builder and realtor relationships bring repeat business and referrals...which result in a phenomenal amount of high-quality mortgage loans, recognition and a chance to help more homeowners. These mortgage professionals bring their knowledge and skill to a leading community bank that values their contribution," commented Roshan A. Alavi, Senior Vice President and Manager of EagleBank's Residential Lending Division.

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Eagle Bancorp, Inc. is the holding company for EagleBank, which commenced operations in 1998. The Bank is headquartered in Bethesda, Maryland, and conducts full service banking services through sixteen offices, located in Montgomery County, Maryland, Washington, D.C. and Northern Virginia. The Company focuses on building relationships with businesses, professionals and individuals in its marketplace.

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