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## Midland States Bank becomes 48<sup>th</sup> St. Louis Mosaic Project Ambassador Company

The St. Louis Mosaic Project welcomes Midland States Bank as its 48<sup>th</sup> Mosaic Ambassador Company. The financial services company, founded in 1881, serves consumer, business and corporate clients with a full range of services.

Midland continues to create a welcoming environment for people from all backgrounds. Through its Diversity and Inclusion Council, Midland celebrates multicultural events and holidays and facilitates employee resource groups for its diverse workforce.

"Our business is focused on providing world-class service to our customers and having a supportive, inclusive work culture for our employees," said David Noble, Midland States Bank St. Louis Market President and Director of Community Economic Development. "We are eager to find new ways to connect to the region's foreign-born population as potential customers and teammates."

Midland's Believable Banking Home Mortgage provides an opportunity for foreign-born customers with an ITIN to achieve homeownership. As a Mosaic Ambassador Company, Midland States Bank will post jobs on the website of St. Louis Mosaic Project. Midland States Bank is an equal opportunity employer, equal housing lender and Member FDIC.

## About the St. Louis Mosaic Project

The St. Louis Mosaic Project began in 2013 under the St. Louis Economic Development Partnership and the World Trade Center-St. Louis. Its goals are to make St. Louis the fastest growing US major metropolitan area for immigration by 2025 and to increase the foreign-born regional population by 25,000. Mosaic is a public/private partnership supported by a 32member steering committee comprised of a diverse mix of regional business, civic, economic development, faith, agency, and academic leaders. For more information, visit <u>www.stlmosaicproject.com</u>.