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WAHOO STATE BANK ANNOUNCES FORMATION OF WAHOO STATE BANK FINANCIAL SERVICES

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Wahoo—Gregory Hohl, President of Wahoo State Bank has announced the offering of new financial services through Wahoo State Bank Financial Services. These new services will include full investment services plus estate, tax, retirement, business continuation, long-term care and individual financial planning. Long-time Wahoo native E. J. Hancock has joined the bank as Investment Advisor for Wahoo State Bank Financial Services. Mr. Hancock is fully licensed to help clients with all of their insurance, investment and financial planning needs. E. J. attended the University of Nebraska at Kearney and received a Bachelors of Science Degree from the University of Nebraska at Omaha. He and his wife Traci have a son Tucker and currently live in the rural Wahoo area.

President Hohl stated “We are very excited about the opportunity to provide additional services to our customers that will enable them to develop comprehensive financial planning strategies that are appropriate and optimal for their short and long-term goals and values. We have an excellent program in place featuring our full-time Investment Advisor, E.J. Hancock, as well as our partnership with Strategic Legacy Planning Incorporated of Lincoln, Nebraska and securities offered through QA3 Financial Corp., Member NASD/SIPC, Omaha, Nebraska.” Hohl also added that Securities are not FDIC insured, not obligations of, nor guaranteed by Wahoo State Bank and are subject to normal investment risk including possible loss of principal.

E.J.’s office is located at the main bank in downtown Wahoo and he is now available to discuss and review clients’ financial planning and investment needs. He can be reached at 443-3207 or eric@wahoostatebank.com. Wahoo State Bank is a family owned bank established in 1932

with assets of \$39 million. More information about the bank and its services may be obtained at its website, www.wahoostatebank.com.