



News For Immediate Release

Esquire Bank Designated an Approved Lender for Breezy Point Cooperative

May, 2008 – Breezy Point, NY – Esquire Bank has been designated as an Approved Lender by the Breezy Point Cooperative. This important distinction allows Esquire Bank to extend mortgage programs and other banking services to Cooperative shareholders.

“We’re extremely pleased with the Breezy Point Cooperative’s designation as an Approved Lender,” said Richard T. Powers, Esquire Bank’s President and CEO. “Breezy Point is an exceptional and unique community. We look forward to building strong ties to the community and in providing responsive, competitive and customer-focused banking services to the Cooperative’s shareholders.”

In addition to utilizing space in the Cooperative’s office building to meet with members, Esquire Bank has conveniently located branch offices in Brooklyn, at 64 Court Street, and in Garden City, at 320 Old Country Road.

Offering a full suite of banking services including CDARS, no fee ATM access, and competitive deposit and loan rates. Esquire Bank’s Internet banking serve, *DepositExpress*, provides business customers, both small businesses and professionals, with the convenience and efficiency of making deposits from their offices via a remote check scanning unit that Esquire Bank personnel will set up and provide instructions on its ease of use.

Esquire Bank’s experienced staff seeks to gain a complete understanding of its customer’s financial goals and personal objectives to provide hands-on personalized service.

Breezy Point residents who are interested in a competitive fixed- or adjustable-rate loan should call Lori Boes, Esquire Bank’s Vice President of Lending Operations, at 516-535-2002. Lori will be pleased to assist members of the Cooperative through the loan process.

To open an account call 800-996-0213, and for information on Esquire Bank, go to www.esquirebank.com.

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UPADTE: August 4, 2008: Since being designated an Approved Lender by the Breezy Point Cooperative, Esquire Bank has either closed on or is processing some \$1.7 million in loans to shareholders.