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Charleston, Illinois: As a community bank, Peoples Bank & Trust recognizes the value of volunteerism in our communities. To recognize, commend and promote volunteerism, Peoples Bank & Trust has established a program to recognize outstanding community volunteers who personally exhibit outstanding volunteerism and promote the improvement of our communities.

Peoples Bank & Trust has chosen the Lincoln Fire Protection District as its current Volunteers of the Quarter.

The Lincoln Fire Protection District is a 50+ member volunteer fire department that covers 125 square miles of Coles County, Illinois. The department has stations near Charleston, Lerna and Mattoon. They respond to fire, EMS, rescue and dive calls within the response areas. The fire personnel respond to roughly 450 calls or more a year.

If you are interested in joining the department, reach out to them via their Facebook page.

Peoples Bank and Trust is honoring Lincoln Fire Protection District with a donation and have placed their name on a plaque, which is displayed in the bank's lobby. Peoples Bank and Trust has honored area volunteers in Charleston for the past thirteen years and Lincoln Fire Protection District is the 53rd volunteer recognized by the Charleston Branch of Peoples Bank and Trust.

Peoples Bank & Trust is an independent Community Bank with ten offices located in Pana, Taylorville, Altamont, Charleston, Tower Hill, Springfield, Morrisonville, Palmyra, Waverly and White Hall. Peoples Bank & Trust is a full-service bank offering outstanding customer service to consumers, small businesses and farmers in Central Illinois. People First Bancshares, Inc., with corporate offices in Pana, Illinois, is the holding company for Peoples Bank & Trust.