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Pana, Illinois: As a community bank, Peoples Bank & Trust recognizes the value of volunteerism in our communities. To recognize, commend and promote the volunteerism, Peoples Bank & Trust has established a program to recognize an outstanding community member for their volunteer efforts of improvement to our community.

Nick Kroenlein has been chosen as our current Volunteer of the Quarter for his many years of volunteer services to Pana organizations.

Some of Nick's services include Pana Pride Christmas Light program, Pana Youth Basketball – 1st and 2nd grade, coaching 8u recreation baseball and coaching 8u travel baseball for Central Illinois Thunder. Nick is the founder of Hot Rods for Cancer car show. He is also a member of the Pana Industrial Committee Board.

Nick is a lifelong Pana resident. He has been married to his wife, Amanda, for twelve years and is the father of three children, Colten Finley, Keaten and Karsyn Kroenlein. Nick is employed by the Aspen Group and is the owner of Scoop'd Ice Cream shop and co-owner of BNT Glass.

In honor of the Nick's many years volunteer service, he has asked to award his monetary donation to the Pana Fireworks Committee and a plaque with his name will be placed on display at the bank.

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