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*Celebrating* **100** *Years*

On **December 3, 1910**, eight visionary citizens chartered the Bank of Vacherie. In January 1978, in recognition of the fact that the area served by the Bank had grown far beyond the boundaries of the town from which its name was derived, the name of the bank was changed to First American Bank and Trust.

Over the years, First American has expanded its financial network from four offices in St. James Parish to a total of 24 offices located in Lafourche, St. Charles, Jefferson, St. John, Tangipahoa, Assumption, Ascension, East Baton Rouge, St. Tammany and now Terrebonne Parish when our 24th office opens in Houma this month.

A strong, independent community bank, First American Bank and Trust is closely tied to the businesses, organizations and citizens in each community we serve. At First American, we are committed to helping make our region stronger, while at the same time retaining the traditions that make it special.

First American Bank will continue to provide its customers with modern financial services as we journey together into our 100th year of banking. Thank you for your patronage and for allowing us to serve your past, present and future banking needs.

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*A Banking Tradition Since 1910*





## Now **OPEN** in Houma!

Our **24th** banking location  
opened for business on  
**December 3rd!**



**1249 St. Charles St.  
Houma, LA 70306**

**Attention: Commercial Customers**  
UNLAWFUL INTERNET GAMBLING  
TRANSACTIONS PROHIBITED.

Effective December 1, 2009, if you are a commercial customer, you may not engage in any activity or business that is unlawful under the Unlawful Internet Gambling Enforcement Act of 2006, 31 USC 5361, et seq., (the "UIGEA"). You may not use your Account or any other service we offer to receive any funds, transfer, credit, instrument or proceeds that arise out of a business that is unlawful under the UIGEA. If anyone asks us to process a transaction that we believe is restricted under the UIGEA, we may block the transaction and take any other action we deem to be reasonable under the UIGEA.

## Happy Holidays!



*In observance of the  
upcoming holidays,  
on*

- ★ Christmas Eve - Close at Noon
- ★ Christmas Day - Closed
- ★ All offices with Saturday banking will be closed Saturday, December 26, 2009



- ★ New Year's Eve - Close at 2:00 p.m.
- ★ New Year's Day - Closed

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### Frequently Used Portraits on United States Paper Money

★ **\$1 Note**

Face - George Washington  
1st U.S. President  
Back - The Great Seal of  
the United States

★ **\$2 Note**

Face - Thomas Jefferson  
3rd U.S. President

Back - Signing of the Declaration  
of Independence

★ **\$5 Note**

Face - Abraham Lincoln  
16th U.S. President  
Back - Lincoln Memorial

★ **\$10 Note**

Face - Alexander Hamilton  
1st Secretary of the Treasury  
Back - U.S. Treasury Building

★ **\$20 Note**

Face - Andrew Jackson  
7th U.S. President  
Back - White House

★ **\$50 Note**

Face - Ulysses Grant  
18th U.S. President  
Back - U.S. Capitol

★ **\$100 Note**

Face - Benjamin Franklin  
Statesman  
Back - Independence Hall



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First American Bank  
Attn: Stars and Stripes  
P.O. Box 550  
Vacherie, LA 70090

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Please return by January 31, 2010 to be eligible for this drawing.  
Winners will be announced in the next quarterly publication of Stars and Stripes.