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United Republic Bank celebrates 5 years of serving Omaha

(Omaha, NE) – United Republic Bank is celebrating five years of service to the Omaha community throughout the month of December. In commemoration of this occasion, United Republic Bank is giving away one free trip for two on the official Husker Cruise in February 2012 to one lucky winner and a guest. Those interested in registering to win, can stop by United Republic Bank's location at 180th & Burke St., two blocks south of W. Dodge Road.

Mike Pate, President and CEO and founder of United Republic Bank states; "In December 2006 we received our banking charter and became the area's first, newly chartered independent community bank in over 16 years. The organization is dedicated in our community support by remaining locally owned and operated. Client deposits of United Republic Bank are maintained in Omaha providing access to capital for local economic development and consumer needs. We're proud to call Omaha home and we look forward to serving the needs of our entire community for the next 5 years and beyond".

United Republic Bank has grown to over \$70 million in assets and is one of the fastest growing banks in the region currently employing 18 people from one location at 180th & Burke St. The bank recently made a major investment in technology infrastructure that will improve the delivery and offering of its products and services including remote deposit capture, true mobile banking using mobile apps, peer-to-peer payments, online account and loan applications, improved online business cash management tools and more.

Pate states; "In addition to enhancing the client experience through improved technology the culture of United Republic Bank was founded on one guiding principal, to provide a level of personalized client service that exceeds client expectations. We develop and foster long term client relationships. Most other banks offer "private banking" for certain clients. At United Republic Bank we feel each and every one of our clients deserves that type of attention and we deliver".

For more information, call United Republic Bank or visit www.UnitedRepublicBank.com/huskercruise for the official contest rules. Member FDIC.

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