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From: Jim Davis, Henderson County President, Independence Bank

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Independence Bank will be presenting "Sounds of Independence" with a free outdoor concert by country music artists Martina McBride and Jack Ingram on Saturday, October 1, 2011. The concert will be held at their newest signature location – Liberty Square, 76 Green Street in Henderson from 6 to 9 p.m. followed by a grand finale fireworks display.

The concert stage will be located in the parking lot of the bank's new building, facing east toward Center Street. Green Street will be blocked off from Washington to Second Street beginning at 2 p.m. Saturday, October 1st to allow for festival seating for the concert. Nashville promoters expect as many as 20,000 people to attend the concert. This will be a similar celebration to the opening of the three-story replica of Independence Square in Owensboro in July, 2004.

Jim Davis, President said, "Independence Bank is proud of the communities it serves and this is our way of saying thank you to Henderson for its support."

Concert headliner and four time CMA Female Vocalist of the Year, Martina McBride has sold over 18 million albums and has had six number one hits. Martina is set to release an upcoming album later this fall, just in time for the Sounds of Independence Celebration.

A VIP area near the stage will be reserved exclusively for Independence Bank customers. Special event ID cards will be required to gain admittance to this area. Customers of Independence Bank may have their event ID card made at any Independence Bank location beginning Friday, August 12th.

Independence Bank is a regional community bank with 20 locations in seven counties in western Kentucky - Daviess, Hancock, Henderson, McLean, McCracken, Warren and Webster counties, with assets of \$1,076,699,000.

For more concert information, please visit <u>www.soundsofindependence.com</u>