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FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF KANSAS CITY ANNOUNCES APPOINTMENTS TO THE DENVER BRANCH BOARD

The Federal Reserve Board of Governors and the Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City Board of Directors has appointed two new directors, reappointed one director and named a new chair to the Board of Directors of the Bank's Denver Branch. The appointments are effective Jan. 1, 2010.

Anne Haines-Yatskowitz, president/CEO and principal founder of ACCION New Mexico-Arizona-Colorado, to a three year term by the Kansas City Board of Directors. ACCION is a private, nonprofit organization dedicated to help small business owners by offering small business loans, training, networking and other support services to entrepreneurs throughout its three-state region.

Margaret Kelly, CEO of RE/MAX International, Inc., to an unexpired portion of a three year term that expires December 31, 2010 by the Board of Governors. RE/MAX International is a global real estate system of franchisee owned and operated offices, made up of a network of independent sales professionals.

Charles H. Brown III, president of C.H. Brown Company, to a three year term by the Kansas City Board of Directors. C.H. Brown Company is nationally recognized finance business for heavy equipment primarily for the agricultural, construction and transportation industries.

Barbara Mowry, president and CEO of Silver Creek Systems, to be the Chairman of the Denver Branch's Board of Directors for a one-year term in 2010. Silver Creek Systems' is a software company that enables enterprise-wide standardization and integration of information for market-leading companies in retail, distribution, manufacturing, high tech, healthcare, telecom, energy and other industries.

Other members of the board are: **Bruce K. Alexander**, president and CEO of Vectra Bank Colorado, Denver, CO; **William C. Enloe**, president and CEO of Los Alamos National Bank, Los Alamos, NM; and **Larrisa L. Herda**, chairman, CEO and president of tw telecom inc., Littleton, CO.

The Denver Branch is one of three branches of the Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City. The Branch provides services to financial institutions and the public in Colorado, Wyoming and northern New Mexico. The Branch board is comprised of seven directors, four of whom are appointed by the Kansas City Board of Directors; the remaining three are appointed by the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System in Washington, D.C. Directors meet monthly to confer on economic and financial developments and operational matters.

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