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KANSAS CITY FED ANNOUNCES OFFICER APPOINTMENT

The following officer appointment was recently announced by Esther George, president and chief executive officer of the Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City:

Ryan Harwell has been appointed assistant vice president in the Bank's Supervision and Risk Management Division. He will assume responsibility for the division's learning services, credit and risk management, and statistical services functions, effective Jan. 1. He joined the Bank in 2005 as an assistant examiner and earned his examiner commission in 2009. He was promoted to manager in 2010 and has had responsibility for examination scheduling in Kansas City, the small shell bank holding company portfolio in Kansas City, the transition to Bank supervision of all savings and loan holding companies with assets of less than \$5 billion, and assistant examiners participating in the Examiner Commissioning Program. He holds a bachelor's degree in business administration from William Jewell College and an MBA from the University of Missouri-Kansas City.

As the regional headquarters of the nation's central bank, the Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City and its branches in Denver, Oklahoma City and Omaha serve the seven states of the Tenth Federal Reserve District: Colorado, Kansas, Nebraska, Oklahoma, Wyoming, northern New Mexico and western Missouri.

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