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**FIRST COMMUNITY FOUNDATION OF PENNSYLVANIA
APPOINTS ACTING PRESIDENT, FORMS SEARCH COMMITTEE**

WILLIAMSPORT, PA – The Board of Directors of the First Community Foundation of Pennsylvania, a regional community foundation with affiliates in Lycoming County, Montour County and Union County, announced today that the Foundation has appointed Sheryl A. Hoff as the Foundation’s acting president. The Foundation’s Board of Directors also formed a search committee to identify a successor for Frank J. Concino, Jr., who announced his resignation as president and chief executive officer, effective June 4. Hoff will lead the Foundation after Concino’s departure.

Hoff is the Foundation’s chief financial officer, and she led the Foundation as interim president during its last presidential search. She has been on the Foundation’s staff since 2001.

“I am deeply honored that the Board of Directors put their confidence in me to continue the Foundation’s positive growth during this transition,” said Hoff.

Concino recently announced his resignation and his family’s relocation to Hilton Head Island, South Carolina. In the announcement of his resignation, Concino said that his decision to relocate was not lightly made, but he had decided to take an opportunity in the housing market to make a move he had been planning in a few years.

In accordance with its succession plan for the Foundation’s chief executive, the Board of Directors appointed a presidential search committee. Dr. Davie Jane Gilmour, president of Pennsylvania College of Technology, will chair the search committee. The committee vice-chair is Karen Armstrong, vice-president and chief information officer for Susquehanna Health.

The First Community Foundation of Pennsylvania has three affiliates: the Williamsport-Lycoming Community Foundation, the Danville Area Community Foundation and the Union County Community Foundation. The Foundation maximizes the power of people and their donated assets to build vibrant communities within Central and Northcentral Pennsylvania now and in the future. The Foundation focuses on sincerity and integrity in all of its relationships - including those with donors, estate and financial planning professionals, investment partners, current and potential grant recipients, government and business leaders, and the many individuals and families living in its service area. For more information on the programs and services offered by the Foundation, or to learn more about ways to make a difference in the community, contact the Foundation office toll free at (866) 901-2372.

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