

## **Metropolitan National Bank Recruits Veteran Banker**

### **George N. Jarvis**

New York, New York – February 6, 2012 – Metropolitan National Bank®, a New York City-based community bank, has hired **George N. Jarvis** for the position of Senior Marketing Officer.

Mr. Jarvis has been a banker for over 30 years and will be responsible for identifying and targeting middle market companies in the tri-state area that require the depth and scope of banking products and services available with Metropolitan National Bank.

“George has an outstanding reputation as a senior banker in our markets, and I am extremely happy to have him on our team,” says Mark R. DeFazio, President and CEO. “George’s industry knowledge and vast experience will greatly benefit the Bank.”

“Getting back into the banking sector is a dream come true,” says George. “I am excited at the potential to introduce Metropolitan National Bank to new and old relationships.”

After a brief period of consulting, and before joining Metropolitan National Bank, Mr. Jarvis was an Executive Vice President and Co-Director of the Commercial Group of Amalgamated Bank. He also held senior positions at North Fork Bank, Atlantic Bank of New York, and Chase Manhattan Bank. Prior to that, Mr. Jarvis spent 21-years at Manufacturers Hanover Trust Company in the Middle Market Lending Group.