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Metropolitan Commercial Bank Announces its 3rd Annual Holiday Coat Drive

Bank to Collect Coats for Long Island Cares

GREAT NECK, N.Y. - December 5, 2018— For thousands of Long Islanders, the recent Thanksgiving Arctic blast was an early sign that this could be a cold, harsh holiday season— especially for those without a warm winter coat. In response, Metropolitan Commercial Bank® is once again partnering with Long Island Cares in collecting lightly used and new coats as part of the Bank's *Give the Gift of Warmth Holiday Coat Drive* at its Great Neck banking center. The Bank will be collecting coats through January 15, 2019.

“Metropolitan Commercial Bank has a long tradition of giving back to the communities it serves. It is especially gratifying during the holiday season to be able to deliver the gift of warmth that these coats represent to so many families across Long Island,” stated Laura Capra, Senior Vice President and Head of Retail Banking. “We asked our employees to help us jump-start our 3rd annual coat drive and their response, as it is every year, has been inspiring. It is another example of how Metropolitan Commercial Bank employees rally together to help make a difference in our local neighborhoods.”

Metropolitan Commercial Bank clients, as well as local neighborhood residents and businesses, are welcome to visit the Bank's Great Neck banking center located at 111 Great Neck Road in Great Neck Plaza during regular business hours to donate gently used or new coats.

About Metropolitan Commercial Bank

Metropolitan Commercial Bank®, The Entrepreneurial Bank, is headquartered in New York City and operates full-service banking centers in Great Neck, Long Island; Manhattan; and Boro Park, Brooklyn. We are a community-focused bank that provides a broad range of business, commercial and personal banking products and services to small businesses, middle-market enterprises, public entities and affluent individuals. In addition to our tradition of relationship-driven, one-on-one personalized service, Metropolitan Commercial Bank offers multiple convenience delivery channels, including online banking, flexible mobile banking apps and no-fee access to over 1 million ATMs worldwide for our clients. The Bank is also an active issuer of debit cards for an increasing number of third-party debit card programs. Metropolitan Commercial Bank is a New York State chartered commercial bank, an FDIC member and an equal opportunity lender.

The parent company of Metropolitan Commercial Bank, Metropolitan Bank Holding Corp., is a publicly traded company. The common stock of Metropolitan Bank Holding Corp. is listed on the New York Stock Exchange (NYSE) and trades under the ticker symbol “MCB.”

For more information about Metropolitan Commercial Bank, visit the Bank's website at www.MCBankNY.com.