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## 5-Star First National Bank and Trust Fostering Relationships, Accountability

**January 2018: BAUERFINANCIAL, Coral Gables, Florida, the Nation's Premier Bank Rating Firm**, is proud to announce that **First National Bank and Trust, London, Kentucky** has once again secured a **5-Star** rating. What a great way to start **2018!** (A five-star rating indicates the bank excels in areas of capital adequacy, profitability, asset quality and much more.) First National Bank and Trust has earned and maintained this top 5-Star rating for 11 consecutive quarters, and that deserves recognition.

"Because community banks put their focus on local people and small businesses, they are perfectly positioned to provide the specialized support that is unique to their area," acknowledges Karen L. Dorway, president of BauerFinancial. "Community banks, like First National Bank and Trust, promote local growth by investing back into the same neighborhoods that their deposits come from. By fostering these local relationships, they achieve two goals: they are highly capitalized and they are accountable to their customers."

Established in 1903, First National Bank and Trust has been reinvesting in its local communities for 114 years. It currently operates through four conveniently located offices in Greater Laurel County and can also be found online at [www.fnblondonky.com](http://www.fnblondonky.com).

**First National Bank and Trust: "Strength. Service. Solutions."**

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