#2010-029

AGREEMENT BY AND BETWEEN The First National Bank of Plainview Plainview, Minnesota and The Comptroller of the Currency

The First National Bank of Plainview, Plainview, Minnesota ("Bank") and the Comptroller of the Currency of the United States of America ("Comptroller") wish to protect the interests of the depositors, other customers, and shareholders of the Bank, and, toward that end, wish the Bank to operate safely and soundly and in accordance with all applicable laws, rules and regulations.

The Comptroller has found unsafe and unsound banking practices relating to credit administration at the Bank.

In consideration of the above premises, it is agreed, between the Bank, by and through its duly elected and acting Board of Directors ("Board"), and the Comptroller, through his authorized representative, that the Bank shall operate at all times in compliance with the articles of this Agreement.

ARTICLE I

JURISDICTION

(1) This Agreement shall be construed to be a "written agreement entered into with the agency" within the meaning of 12 U.S.C. § 1818(b)(1).

(2) This Agreement shall be construed to be a "written agreement between such depository institution and such agency" within the meaning of 12 U.S.C. § 1818(e)(1) and 12 U.S.C. § 1818(i)(2).

(3) This Agreement shall be construed to be a "formal written agreement" within the

meaning of 12 C.F.R. § 5.51(c)(6)(ii). See 12 U.S.C. § 1831i.

(4) This Agreement shall be construed to be a "written agreement" within the meaning of 12 U.S.C. § 1818(u)(1)(A).

(5) All reports or plans which the Bank or Board has agreed to submit to the Assistant Deputy Comptroller pursuant to this Agreement shall be forwarded to:

Sheila Van Ornum Assistant Deputy Comptroller Minneapolis Field Office 222 South Ninth Street, Suite 800 Minneapolis, Minnesota 55402

ARTICLE II

CRITICIZED ASSETS

(1) The Bank shall take immediate and continuing action to protect its interest in those assets criticized in the Report of Examination dated as of June 30, 2009 ("ROE"), in any subsequent Report of Examination, by internal or external loan review, or in any list provided to management by the National Bank Examiners during any examination.

(2) Within sixty (60) days, the Board shall adopt, implement, and thereafter ensure Bank adherence to individual workout plans designed to eliminate the basis of criticism of assets criticized in the ROE, in any subsequent Report of Examination, or by any internal or external loan review, or in any list provided to management by the National Bank Examiners during any examination as "doubtful," "substandard," or "special mention." Each workout plan shall include, at a minimum:

(a) an identification of the expected sources of repayment;

- (b) the current value of supporting collateral and the position of the Bank's lien on such collateral where applicable;
- (c) an analysis of current and satisfactory credit information, including a global cash flow analysis of the borrower's repayment ability; and
- (d) actions designed to eliminate the basis of criticism of and protect the bank's interest in the asset, including timeframes for implementing and evaluating the effectiveness of those actions.

(3) Upon adoption, a copy of the workout plans for all criticized assets equal to or exceeding one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) shall be forwarded to the Assistant Deputy Comptroller.

(4) The Board, or a designated committee, shall conduct a review, on at least a quarterly basis, to determine:

- (a) the status of each criticized asset or criticized portion thereof that equals or exceeds one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000);
- (b) management's adherence to the workout plans adopted pursuant to this Article;
- (c) the status and effectiveness of the plans; and
- (d) the need to revise the plans or take alternative action.

(5) A copy of each review shall be forwarded to the Assistant Deputy Comptroller on a quarterly basis (in a format similar to Appendix A, attached hereto).

(6) The Bank may extend credit, directly or indirectly, including renewals or extensions, to a borrower whose loans or other extensions of credit are criticized in the ROE, in any subsequent Report of Examination, in any internal or external loan review, or in any list provided to management by the National Bank Examiners during any examination and whose aggregate loans or other extensions exceed two hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000) only if each of the following conditions is met:

- (a) the Board or designated committee finds that the extension of additional credit is necessary to promote the best interests of the Bank and that prior to renewing, extending or capitalizing any additional credit, a majority of the full Board (or designated committee) approves the credit extension and records, in writing, why such extension is necessary to promote the best interests of the Bank; and
- (b) a comparison to the plans adopted pursuant to this Article shows that the Board's formal plan to collect or strengthen the criticized asset will not be compromised.

(7) The requirements of paragraph (6) of this Article shall not apply to advances under a line of credit that was approved in accordance with paragraph (6) or before the effective date of this Agreement.

(8) A copy of the approval of the Board or of the designated committee shall be maintained in the file of the affected borrower.

ARTICLE III

CREDIT RISK IDENTIFICATION

(1) Within sixty (60) days, the Board must ensure that the Bank's internal risk ratings, as assigned by responsible loan officers and the independent loan review, are timely, accurate and consistent with the regulatory classifications of credit criteria set forth in the *Rating Credit*

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Risk Booklet of the Comptroller's Handbook. At a minimum, the Board must ensure, on an ongoing basis, that with respect to the assessment of credit risk:

- (a) The primary consideration is the strength of the borrower's primary source of repayment;
- (b) If the primary source of repayment is cash flow from the borrower's operations, the strength of cash flow is determined through analysis of the borrower's historical and projected financial statements, past performance and future prospects in light of conditions that have occurred;
- (c) Collateral, non-government guarantees and other similar credit risk mitigants that affect potential loss in the event of default are taken into consideration only after the primary source of repayment has weakened and the probability of default has increased;
- (d) Collateral values should reflect a current assessment of value based on actual market conditions and product status;
- (e) Credit risk ratings are reviewed and updated whenever relevant new information is received, but no less frequently than annually;
- (f) The credit risk rating analysis is documented (in the file) and available for review by the Board and the OCC upon request; and
- (g) Loans and other assets are timely placed on nonaccrual by the lending officers in accordance with the guidelines set forth in the Call Report Instructions.

(2) Within ninety (90) days, and on an ongoing basis thereafter, the Board must ensure that any credit relationship with a high probability of payment default or other well-defined

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weakness is rated no better than Substandard, unless the loan is secured by marketable collateral, or cash. Consistent with the guidance in the *Rating Credit Risk* Booklet of the Comptroller's Handbook, the presence of illiquid collateral or existence of a plan for improvement does not, and a non-government guaranty generally will not, mitigate the probability of default or a well-defined weakness.

ARTICLE IV

INTERNAL LOAN REVIEW

(1) Within ninety (90) days, the Board shall establish an effective, independent and ongoing loan review system to review, at least quarterly, the Bank's loan and lease portfolios to assure the timely identification and categorization of problem credits. The system shall provide for a written report to be filed with the Board after each review and shall use a loan and lease grading system consistent with the guidelines set forth in *Rating Credit Risk* Booklet of the Comptroller's Handbook. Such reports shall include, at a minimum, conclusions regarding:

- (a) the overall quality of the loan and lease portfolios;
- (b) the identification, type, rating, and amount of problem loans and leases;
- (c) the identification and amount of delinquent loans and leases;
- (d) concentrations of credit;

(2) The Board shall ensure that an independent loan review is conducted which includes the dairy cattle and milk production loan portfolio as well as any other lending areas experiencing an economic downturn.

(3) The Board shall evaluate the internal loan and lease review report(s) and shall ensure that immediate, adequate, and continuing remedial action, if appropriate, is taken upon all findings noted in the report(s).

(4) A copy of the reports submitted to the Board, as well as documentation of the action taken by the Bank to collect or strengthen assets identified as problem credits, shall be preserved in the Bank.

ARTICLE V

CREDIT AND COLLATERAL EXCEPTIONS

(1) Within sixty (60) days the Board shall obtain current and satisfactory credit information on all loans lacking such information, including those listed in the ROE, in any subsequent Report of Examination, in any internal or external loan review, or in any listings of loans lacking such information provided to management by the National Bank Examiners at the conclusion of an examination.

(2) Within sixty (60) days the Board shall ensure proper collateral documentation is maintained on all loans and correct each collateral exception listed in the ROE, in any subsequent Report of Examination, in any internal or external loan review, or in any listings of loans lacking such information provided to management by the National Bank Examiners at the conclusion of an examination.

(3) If the Board and management are unable to obtain the credit information or collateral documentation required by paragraphs (1) and (2) of this article within sixty (60) days, the Bank will not be in noncompliance with paragraphs (1) and (2) if the Board and management exercise reasonable efforts to obtain such information or documentation, and maintain documentation of their efforts in the loan file.

(4) Effective immediately, the Bank may grant, extend, renew, alter or restructure any loan or other extension of credit only after:

(a) documenting the specific reason or purpose for the extension of credit;

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- (b) identifying the expected source of repayment in writing;
- (c) structuring the repayment terms to coincide with the expected source of repayment;
- (d) obtaining and analyzing current and satisfactory credit information,including cash flow analysis, where loans are to be repaid from operations;
 - (i) Failure to obtain the information in (4)(d) shall require a majority of the full Board (or a delegated committee thereof) to certify in writing the specific reasons why the Bank did not obtain and analyze the information in (4)(d).
 - (ii) A copy of the Board certification shall be maintained in the credit file of the affected borrower(s). The certification will be reviewed by this Office in subsequent examinations of the Bank.
 - (iii) The requirements of paragraph (4)(d) of this Article shall not apply to a de minimus extension of credit. A de minimus extension of credit is one that, when aggregated with all other extensions of credit outstanding to the same borrower approved after the effective date of this Agreement without meeting the requirements of paragraph (4)(d), does not exceed ten thousand dollars (\$10,000).
- (e) documenting, with adequate supporting material, the value of collateral and properly perfecting the Bank's lien on it where applicable; and

 (f) documenting an effective appraisal review in accordance with real estate lending regulations (12 CFR 34), the Interagency Appraisal and Evaluation Guidelines, and OCC Bulletin 2005-6.

ARTICLE VI

CLOSING

(1) It is expressly and clearly understood that if, at any time, the Comptroller deems it appropriate in fulfilling the responsibilities placed upon him/her by the several laws of the United States of America to undertake any action affecting the Bank, nothing in this Agreement shall in any way inhibit, estop, bar, or otherwise prevent the Comptroller from so doing.

(2) Any time limitations imposed by this Agreement shall begin to run from the effective date of this Agreement. Such time requirements may be extended in writing by the Assistant Deputy Comptroller for good cause upon written application by the Board.

(3) The provisions of this Agreement shall be effective upon execution by the parties hereto and its provisions shall continue in full force and effect unless or until such provisions are amended in writing by mutual consent of the parties to the Agreement or excepted, waived, or terminated in writing by the Comptroller.

(4) In each instance in this Agreement in which the Board is required to ensure adherence to, and undertake to perform certain obligations of the Bank, it is intended to mean that the Board shall:

(a) authorize and adopt such actions on behalf of the Bank as may be
necessary for the Bank to perform its obligations and undertakings under
the terms of this Agreement;

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- (b) require the timely reporting by Bank management of such actions directed by the Board to be taken under the terms of this Agreement;
- (c) follow-up on any non-compliance with such actions in a timely and appropriate manner; and
- (d) require corrective action be taken in a timely manner of any noncompliance with such actions.

(5) This Agreement is intended to be, and shall be construed to be, a supervisory "written agreement entered into with the agency" as contemplated by 12 U.S.C. § 1818(b)(1), and expressly does not form, and may not be construed to form, a contract binding on the Comptroller or the United States. Notwithstanding the absence of mutuality of obligation, or of consideration, or of a contract, the Comptroller may enforce any of the commitments or obligations herein undertaken by the Bank under his supervisory powers, including 12 U.S.C. § 1818(b)(1), and not as a matter of contract law. The Bank expressly acknowledges that neither the Bank nor the Comptroller has any intention to enter into a contract. The Bank also expressly acknowledges that no officer or employee of the Office of the Comptroller of the Currency has statutory or other authority to bind the United States, the U.S. Treasury Department, the Comptroller, or any other federal bank regulatory agency or entity, or any officer or employee of any of those entities to a contract affecting the Comptroller's exercise of his supervisory responsibilities. The terms of this Agreement, including this paragraph, are not subject to amendment or modification by any extraneous expression, prior agreements or prior arrangements between the parties, whether oral or written.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the undersigned, authorized by the Comptroller, has hereunto set his hand on behalf of the Comptroller.

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/s/

2/5/2010

Date

Sheila Van Ornum Assistant Deputy Comptroller Minneapolis Field Office

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the undersigned, as the duly elected and acting Board of Directors of the Bank, have hereunto set their hands on behalf of the Bank.

/s/	2/3/2010
Tom Deming	Date
/s/	2/3/2010
Bob Elwood	Date
/s/	2/3/2010
Dean Harrington	Date
/s/	2/3/2010
Kent Harrington	Date
/s/	2/3/2010
Cassie Harrington	Date
/s/	2/3/2010
Ellen Hutchinson	Date
/s/	2/3/2010
Ferman Lanning	Date
/s/	2/3/2010
Jim Severson	Date
/s/	2/3/2010
John Sloan	Date
/s/	2/3/2010
Karen Timm	Date