



F.N.B. Wealth Management

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## FIRST NATIONAL INVESTMENT SERVICES EMPLOYEE EARNS CRPC® DESIGNATION

**STATE COLLEGE, PA—June 11, 2009**—First National Investment Services Company (FNIS), a subsidiary of F.N.B. Wealth Management, is pleased to announce that Alton J. Stewart, Financial Consultant, has successfully completed the CRPC® Professional Designation Program from the College for Financial Planning®, Denver, CO. In his current position, Stewart provides investment planning and solutions for individuals, groups, and high-net worth clients.



The CHARTERED RETIREMENT PLANNING COUNSELOR<sup>SM</sup> Program focuses on the pre- and post-retirement needs of individuals, better equipping Stewart to transform the retirement planning process into a more positive and educational experience for his clients. The CRPC® curriculum emphasizes the importance of understanding each client's individual financial situation, and then analyzing his or her related needs and identifying investment opportunities that will best meet those needs.

Stewart has over twenty years experience as a Financial Services Consultant. Prior to joining First National Investment Services Company in 2002, Stewart held positions as Vice President of Investments for Dreyfus Investment Services and Hilliard Lyons Investments.

Stewart has been recognized by Bank-Investment-Marketing Magazine as one of the top 50 Bank Investment Representatives in the United States. A registered General Securities Representative and Investment Advisor Representative, Stewart has successfully completed exams for General Securities Registered Representative (Series 7), Uniform Investment Advisor's Law (Series 65), and the Uniform Securities Agent State Law (Series 63). He is also licensed for Life Insurance and Variable Annuities.

Stewart is a thirty-five year resident of State College, PA.

### **About the CRPC® Program**

Graduates of the CRPC® Program must complete a specialized independent study course that provides a general foundation for giving retirement planning advice to clients. The course covers key issues that occur throughout all phases of retirement planning. The designation is awarded to students after they successfully complete the course, pass a proctored final examination, and sign a code of ethics commitment and declaration form. CHARTERED RETIREMENT PLANNING COUNSELOR<sup>SM</sup> and CRPC® are registered service marks of the College for Financial Planning®.

### **About F.N.B. Wealth Management:**

Founded in 1999, F.N.B. Wealth Management has \$3 billion in assets under management. F.N.B.

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Wealth Management includes First National Trust Company, First National Investment Services Company, LLC, and F.N.B. Investment Advisors, Inc. It operates from fourteen regional offices located throughout Pennsylvania and Eastern Ohio.

**About F.N.B. Corporation**

F.N.B. Corporation, headquartered in Hermitage, PA, is a diversified financial services company with total assets of \$8.4 billion as of December 31, 2008. F.N.B. Corporation is a leading provider of commercial and retail banking, leasing, wealth management, insurance, merchant banking and consumer finance services in Pennsylvania and Ohio, where it owns and operates First National

Bank of Pennsylvania, First National Trust Company, First National Investment Services Company, LLC, F.N.B. Investment Advisors, Inc., First National Insurance Agency, LLC, F.N.B. Capital Corporation, LLC, Regency Finance Company and Bank Capital Services Corporation. It also operates consumer finance offices in Tennessee and loan production offices in Pennsylvania, Tennessee, and Florida.

The common stock of F.N.B. Corporation trades on the New York Stock Exchange under the symbol "FNB". Investor information is available on F.N.B. Corporation's Web site at [www.fnbcorporation.com](http://www.fnbcorporation.com).

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