## M&A Transaction Announcement



American Bank & Trust Has Been Acquired by Citizens Bank of Lafayette

## **Transaction Profile**

### **Advised Seller**



Has been acquired by

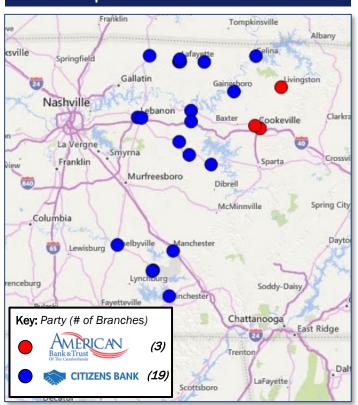


The undersigned served as exclusive financial advisor to American Bancshares Corp., parent of American Bank & Trust

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#### **Branch Footprint**



American Bancshares Corp. ("American"), parent company of American Bank & Trust of the Cumberlands, and Citizens Bancorp Investment, Inc. ("Citizens"), parent company of Citizens Bank of Lafayette, have completed their transaction to merge American with and into Citizens.

Olsen Palmer LLC served as exclusive financial advisor and issued a fairness opinion to American Bancshares Corp.

American Bank & Trust has become a part of Citizens Bank of Lafayette while American Bank & Trust's offices continue to operate under their current name for a period of time. The combined bank now has total assets of approximately \$1.3 billion and 22 banking locations and has become the 18th largest bank based in Tennessee as ranked by total assets.

The transaction has been unanimously approved by the boards of directors of Citizens and American and additionally has been approved by American shareholders and applicable regulators. The transaction was announced on July 9, 2020 and closed on November 30, 2020.

Olsen Palmer LLC is ranked as the #2 bank M&A advisor nationwide according to *S&P Global*, based on the number of whole-bank M&A transactions advised upon in 2020.

## **Transaction Summary and Valuation Multiples**

Transaction Date	July 9, 2020
Closing Date	November 30, 2020
Aggregate Consideration Value	Not disclosed
Form of Consideration	Not disclosed
Price / Tangible Common Equity	Not disclosed
Price / Net Income (LTM)	Not disclosed

Note: Buyer and seller have elected to not publicly disclose pricing information.

### **Financial and Operating Summary**

	Bank & Trust Of The Cumberlands	CITIZENS BANK
Location	Livingston, TN	Lafayette, TN
Year Established	1979	1909
CEO	Marty Maynord	Peter G. Williston
Assets (MM)	\$286.2	\$1,014.8
Branches	3	19
ROAA (LTM)	1.95%	1.18%
NPAs / Assets (MRQ)	0.05%	1.19%

Note: Information as of Q3 2020. Source: S&P Global.

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