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Meridian Bank Contributes \$6,000 to West Chester Fire Company

Malvern, Pa. (June 15, 2015) – Meridian Bank has contributed \$6,000 to the capital campaign of West Chester's Fame Fire Company No. 3.

A volunteer fire company in the West Chester Fire Department, Fame Fire Company provides fire and rescue services to the residents of West Chester, Thornbury Township, and portions of West Goshen, Westtown, Birmingham and East Bradford Townships. Fame Fire Company's capital campaign aims to raise \$2.5 million to expand their existing station with a two-story, 8,000 square foot addition.

"Meridian Bank's generous contribution to the Fame Capital Campaign brings us that much closer to our goal of renovating and expanding the forty-year-old station currently in use," said Bill Ronayne, Fame Capital Campaign Co-Chair.

Charlie Kochka, Meridian's SVP Commercial Lending, said, "We are pleased to support the Fame Fire Company with this donation. Meridian's location at 16 West Market Street is covered by the West Chester Fire Department, and we take pride in giving back to the first responders who protect us."

Meridian Bank is a locally owned and managed, full-service commercial bank serving the Delaware Valley. In addition to a robust business banking platform, Meridian's specialties include commercial and consumer real estate financing, residential mortgages, retail banking, investment and wealth management services and electronic payments processing. Meridian operates 16 offices and employs over 280 team members throughout Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Delaware.

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300dpi photo caption: Meridian Bank presents a \$6,000 contribution to Fame Fire Company. From left: Paul Carpenter (Fame Corporate Gifts Co-Chair), Charlie Kochka (Meridian SVP Commercial Lending) and Bill Ronayne (Fame Campaign Co-Chair).