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**TWO RIVER COMMUNITY BANK PARTNERS WITH SHORE HOUSE
TO SUPPORT ADULTS WITH MENTAL ILLNESS IN MONMOUTH COUNTY**

Long Branch, NJ (February 26, 2019) – As the first and only Clubhouse in New Jersey to be accredited through Clubhouse International, Long Branch-based Shore House is dedicated to building a community where people with mental illness recover and are an integral part of society. In support of this mission, **Two River Bancorp** (Nasdaq: TRCB) (**the "Company"**), **the parent company of Two River Community Bank ("the Bank")**, has announced the Bank donated \$10,000 toward the operations and strategic growth of Shore House.

Membership at Shore House is open to all residents living with a severe and persistent mental illness, age 18 or older and demonstrate a true desire to be a member. Shore House currently has a membership of 145 adults, including 40 active members, ranging in ages from 18 to 82. Members are referred to Shore House from partial hospitalization programs, outpatient clinics, rehabilitation and detox centers, physicians, and therapists. Members may also self-refer. Shore House membership is free of charge, and transportation is provided to members living in Monmouth County at no cost.

“Mental illness affects one in four families, and recent studies have found community care is a more cost-effective way to treat mental illness than a lengthy hospital stay,” explains Shore House Executive Director Susan Mazzeo. “Those living with a mental illness are re-hospitalized at a rate of 50%, while the average Clubhouse rate is 7%. The rate of re-hospitalization among Shore House members is currently 4%. Lower hospitalization rates lead to an overall reduction in the use of high-cost services, such as emergency room visits.”

Shore House invests 80% of every dollar raised in restorative programs and services. The General Programs of Shore House focus on employment, which includes a range of supportive services to help members find and maintain real jobs in the community at fair-market wages; education, which includes tutoring and educational counseling to assist members in achieving their educational goals for the purpose of career development and advancement, as well as personal fulfillment; and wellness, which includes resources, education, referrals and support to help them achieve and maintain optimum physical, emotional and social health. The effectiveness of each program is monitored closely and measured on the Empowerment Scale and Progress Notes.

“Two River Community Bank is proud to support Shore House for their dedication to building a community of hope and mental wellness,” shared William D. Moss, Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer of Two River Community Bank. “Their holistic approach to helping members reintegrate into the working world and larger society with self-esteem and dignity is a life-changing resource for members and their families, while also serving as a powerful force in defeating the stigma of mental illness.”

To learn more about Shore House, including how to donate or get involved, visit www.shoreclubhouse.org/.

About the Company

Two River Bancorp is the holding company for Two River Community Bank, which is headquartered in Tinton Falls, New Jersey. Two River Community Bank operates 13 branches along with two loan production offices throughout Monmouth, Union, and Ocean Counties, New Jersey. More information about Two River Community Bank and Two River Bancorp is available at www.tworiver.bank.

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