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### **5-Star City National Bank of Florida Opens Banking Center in Downtown Hollywood**

HOLLYWOOD, FL – October 2, 2009 – Florida’s only bank with more than \$1 billion in assets to receive a 5-star rating from Bauer Financial has recently opened a new location in Downtown Hollywood.

City National Bank opened on Tuesday, September 22 at 1845 Hollywood Boulevard on Young Circle in the La Piazza mixed use development. The banking office is open Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. and managed by banking industry veteran Ryan Riley.

City National brings its tradition of strength, stability and unparalleled customer service to Downtown Hollywood.

President Jorge Gonzalez said, “This convenient location on Young Circle allows us to bring our financial strength and dedicated service directly to our customers in Hollywood. We look forward to showing them what we have to offer.”

Founded in 1946, City National has assets of \$4.43 billion with deposits of more than \$2.8 billion. City National Bank has offices throughout Florida including Miami-Dade, Broward, Palm Beach, the Treasure Coast and the Orlando area. Corporate offices are located at 25 West Flagler St. in Miami.

For more information about the City National Downtown Hollywood location, contact 954-926-4240.

For more information on Downtown Hollywood businesses or events, call 954-921-3016 or visit [www.downtownhollywood.com](http://www.downtownhollywood.com).

The Hollywood Community Redevelopment Agency (CRA) was created under the authority of Florida’s Community Redevelopment Act of 1969. The CRA’s mission is to encourage economic development through the use of tax increment financing by funding development, special projects and enhanced services that address areas of community concern. The Downtown District was established in 1979 to promote Hollywood’s central business district including Historic Hollywood Boulevard, Young Circle and nearby residential neighborhoods. The Downtown District is approximately 580 acres and extends from 22nd Avenue on the west to generally 17th Avenue on the east, Johnson Street on the north and Washington Street on the south.

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