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***FIRST RESOURCE BANK SELLS \$2.6 MILLION IN PREFERRED  
STOCK TO DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY***

**EXTON, PA** - First Resource Bank (OTC Bulletin Board: FRSB) announced it had issued 2,600 shares of Series 2009A Preferred Stock and a warrant to purchase 130 shares of Series 2009B Preferred Stock to the United States Department of the Treasury for gross proceeds of \$2.6 million. This sale was made pursuant to the Department of the Treasury's Capital Purchase Plan. The warrant was immediately exercised and 130 shares of Series 2009B Preferred Stock were issued on January 30, 2009.

President and CEO Glenn B. Marshall stated, "We are pleased to receive this capital infusion from the Treasury which will enable us to continue lending to Main Street businesses and assist in the economic stabilization of our region."

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The Series 2009A Preferred Stock bears an annual dividend rate of 5% for the five years and 9% per year thereafter. The Series 2009B Preferred Stock bears an annual dividend of 9% per year.

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