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**MB FINANCIAL BANK OPENS NEW DOLTON BRANCH**

CHICAGO, IL – (January 15, 2009) MB Financial Bank, N.A., has opened a new branch facility in Dolton at 14121 Chicago Road, it was announced today by Mitchell Feiger, President and CEO of MB Financial, Inc. (NASDAQ: MBFI)

The new MB Financial Banking Center, located across the street from the former MB Dolton branch, represents MB's commitment to the Dolton community and the south suburbs.

MB's new Dolton location provides full-service banking, seven days a week and includes four drive-ups; an ATM; and a free-of-charge, self-service MB Coin Hopper to count change.

MB Financial Bank ([www.mbfinancial.com](http://www.mbfinancial.com)) is a locally-operated financial institution that has been delivering competitive personalized service for nearly 100 years to businesses and individuals who live and work in the Chicago metropolitan area. MB Financial Bank has locations throughout the Chicagoland area.

MB Financial Bank is the Illinois local operating unit of MB Financial, Inc., a financial services holding company which is traded on the NASDAQ as "MBFI." MB Financial, based in Chicago, has more than \$8.4 billion in assets. Information about MB Financial can be found at [www.mbfinancial.com](http://www.mbfinancial.com).

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Note: The Banking Center Manager at the Dolton branch is Jacqueline Lockette.