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ST. LOUIS — The Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis, acting pursuant to delegated authority for the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, today approved the notification of Maries County Bancorp., Inc., Vienna, Missouri, to acquire at least 73.85 percent of the outstanding voting shares of Progress Bancshares, Inc., Sullivan, Missouri, a proposed bank holding company, thereby indirectly acquiring its subsidiary bank, Progress Bank of Sullivan, Sullivan, Missouri, a proposed de novo bank.

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