St. Johns Bank and Trust Company

PRE-OFFER INVITATION TO SELF IDENTIFY

PROTECTED VETERANS

St. Johns Bank and Trust Company is a Government contractor subject to the Vietnam Era Veterans' Readjustment Assistance Act of 1974, as amended by the Jobs for Veterans Act of 2002, 38 U.S.C. 4212 (VEVRAA), which requires Government contractors to take affirmative action to employ and advance in employment: (1) disabled veterans; (2) recently separated veterans; (3) active duty wartime or campaign badge veterans; and (4) Armed Forces service medal veterans. These classifications are defined as follows:

- A "**Disabled Veteran**" is one of the following:
  - a veteran of the U.S. military, ground, naval or air service who is entitled to compensation (or who but for the receipt of military retired pay would be entitled to compensation) under laws administered by the Secretary of Veterans Affairs; or
  - a person who was discharged or released from active duty because of service connected disability.

- A "**Recently Separated Veteran**" means any veteran during the three-year period beginning on the date of such veteran's discharge or release from active duty in the U.S. military, ground, naval, or air service.

- An "**Active Duty Wartime or Campaign Badge Veteran**" means a veteran who served on active duty in the U.S. military, ground, naval or air service during a war or in a campaign or expedition for which a campaign badge has been authorized under the laws administered by the Department of Defense.

  Period of War Dates now include:

Persian Gulf War	August 2, 1990 to present
Vietnam Era	August 5, 1964 to May 7, 1975 for all veterans
	February 28, 1961 to May 7, 1975 for vets serving in the Republic of Vietnam
Korean Conflict	June 27, 1950 to January 31, 1955

- An "**Armed Forces Service Medal Veteran**" means a veteran who, while serving on active duty in the U.S. military, ground, naval or air service, participated in a United States military operation for which an Armed Forces service medal was awarded pursuant to Executive Order 12985.

Protected veterans may have additional rights under USERRA, the Uniformed Services Employment and Reemployment Rights Act. In particular, if you were absent from employment in order to perform service in the uniformed service, you may be entitled to be reemployed by your employer in the position you would have obtained with reasonable certainty if not for the absence due to service. For more information, call the U.S. Department of Labor's Veterans Employment and Training Service (VETS).

If you belong to any of the categories of protected veterans listed above, please indicate by checking the appropriate box below. As a Government contractor subject to VEVRAA, St. Johns Bank and Trust Company requests you provide this information in order to measure the effectiveness of the outreach and positive recruitment efforts we undertake pursuant to VEVRAA.

[ ] I identify as one or more of the classifications of Protected Veteran listed above

[ ] I am not a Protected Veteran

Print Name:_____ _____ _____

Last First Middle

Signature:_____ Date:_____