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CEO Conversations on August 13

MASON CITY, IA – Kurt Herbrechtsmeyer, President & CEO of First Security Bank and Steve Sukup, President & CEO of Sukup Manufacturing, will serve as keynote speakers at the **CEO Conversations** event scheduled from 11:30AM to 1PM on Thursday, August 13 at the North Iowa Regional Commerce Center. The series is offered by the Chamber's Program Committee.

CEO Conversations is a quarterly educational opportunity held during the lunch hour, led by well-recognized and experienced business leaders from the region. The program is intended for participants with a desire to advance their career by interacting with accomplished professionals. Sessions are limited to 20 guests to encourage candid conversation.

Kurt recently celebrated his 20th anniversary at First Security Bank. The Herbrechtsmeyer family has been with First Security Bank for more than 92 years. Kurt joined First Security as an Assistant Vice President in the Operations Department and through the years held several positions before being named Chief Operating Officer in 2004 and President & CEO in 2007.

Steve Sukup served as Sukup Manufacturing's Vice-President & CFO for 25 years before he was appointed President & CEO in 2020. Sukup is the largest family owned and operated grain storage, drying, and handling equipment manufacturer in the world. The company holds more than 80 patents and has received 12 ASABE AE50 awards for innovation in agriculture.

Tickets for **CEO Conversations** are \$20 each for employees of Chamber member businesses, and \$30 for non-members. Registration is available online at masoncityia.com or by contacting Kativa Weitzel (kweitzel@masoncityia.com) at the Chamber for more information. Registration is limited. The **CEO Conversations Series** is sponsored by First Citizens Bank.

Physical and social distancing precautions will be taken. Masks are required.

The Chamber of Commerce is a membership-based organization with a mission to promote progressive community and economic development to benefit Chamber members and the North Iowa region.

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