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NATIONAL BANK OF ARIZONA'S INVESTMENT AFFILIATE ANNOUNCES NAME CHANGE TO NB|AZ WEALTH MANAGEMENT

Phoenix, AZ; October 5, 2009 — National Bank of Arizona today announced that its investment affiliate, Contango Capital Advisors, will now operate in Arizona under the name NB|AZ Wealth Management.

““We are launching the NB|AZ Private Bank and formally integrating National Bank of Arizona’s private and business banking services with Contango’s wealth management activities,” said Keith Maio, National Bank of Arizona’s President and CEO. “With the estate planning and trust services available to NB|AZ Wealth Management clients through another affiliate, Western National Trust Company, we will now offer a truly comprehensive and integrated suite of advisory services. We believe that even the most demanding and sophisticated investors will find appealing breadth and quality of service.”

Contango’s wealth management clients in Arizona will see no change in their advisor, the services offered, or the statements and other information provided. Contango, Western National Trust Company, and National Bank of Arizona are all affiliates and subsidiaries of Zions Bancorporation.

About NB|AZ Wealth Management

Contango Capital Advisors, Inc. has begun operating as NB|AZ Wealth Management in Arizona. The wealth management arm of Zions Bancorporation, Contango has been offering comprehensive wealth management services since November 2004. As of August 31, 2009, the company had \$1.3 billion in assets under management. Contango’s services include portfolio development and management; financial planning; and private business transition strategies. Investment and advisory services are designed to be appropriate to each client’s needs and objectives, to contribute to and fit in with a client’s overall financial situation, and to target a level of risk that the client is comfortable with. Contango actively manages its clients’ portfolios in accordance with its long-term, global perspective, and its understanding of the macroeconomic environment.

About National Bank of Arizona

Founded in Tucson, Ariz., in 1984, National Bank of Arizona is a community bank serving professionals and meeting the needs of small and mid-sized Arizona businesses. Arizona’s fourth-largest bank with \$4.8 billion in assets, National Bank has more than 75 offices throughout the state. For more information, visit www.nbarizona.com.