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Maine Bankers Association

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October 8, 2020

RMA's Annual Gerard Cassidy Banking Outlook

Friday, November 20

9:00-10:30 AM

Zoom

It's time for RMA's 23rd Annual Banking Outlook with Gerard Cassidy, Managing Director and Bank Analyst at RBC Capital Markets. Check out the [Flyer](#) and [Registration Form](#) for more information.

HELOC Scams

Article by Travelers

Home Equity Line of Credit (HELOC) scams continue to be a costly and challenging issue for financial institutions. Wire transfer fraud can easily reach millions of dollars, and with advancements in technology, such as online databases for county clerk records, online banking and online title searching, data commonly used by financial institutions to verify customer identity for wire transactions is routinely and easily comprised.

Read the entire article [here](#).

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Upcoming Events

October 9 Director & Senior Management Series kickoff

October 14 Marketing Committee Meeting

October 15 HR Committee Meeting

October 19 BSA/AML 1-Day Advanced Workshop

October 19-27 Northern New England School of Banking

October 20 Cyber & IT Series

October 21 Fraud Call

October 23 Directors College

November 18 Women in Banking Conference

Coming Soon

- **TBD** Emerging Leaders Conference

For more upcoming events, check out our [Events Calendar](#).



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Bar Harbor Bank & Trust



Bar Harbor Bank & Trust will host its annual Customer Appreciation Week during the week of October 12-16. To adhere to safety precautions in place as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic, all of the Customer Appreciation Week activities will take place virtually on the Bank's Facebook page. Read more [here](#).

Camden National Bank



The week of September 21st, Camden National Bank celebrated a virtual Employee Appreciation event across more than 60 business locations. On Wednesday, 13 employees received awards for their impressive commitment to Camden National Bank's customers, employees, and communities. Read more [here](#).

Maine Community Bank



In an unprecedented time of need, the newly formed Biddeford and Mechanics Savings Charitable Foundation is pledging funds to assist food insecure and homeless children and adults in Maine. The Foundation has approved a three-year commitment totaling \$24,000 to the Lewiston Schools Homeless Youth program as well as \$5000 to support the Good Shepherd Food Bank this year. Read more [here](#).

Norway Savings Bank



Norway Savings Bank is proud to announce the promotion of Dan Walsh, Executive Vice President, Commercial Lending as the bank's 17th President. Patricia Weigel, current President and CEO, becomes Chairwoman of the bank's board of directors and will remain as CEO until her retirement in December 2021. Read more [here](#).

Partners Bank



The Rockingham Nutrition Meals on Wheels program is the latest recipient of the Partners Bank Employee Donation Program. Bank SVP/Chief Financial Officer, Jennifer Stauffis, selected the organization to receive the program's \$500 monthly gift for September. Read more [here](#).

Saco & Biddeford Savings Institution



Saco & Biddeford Savings Institution and Paquin & Carroll Insurance have given a combined gift of \$57,500 to The Ecology School to help fund the construction of two of the most sustainable buildings in the Northeast. The new buildings will be centerpieces of the school's new riverfront environmental education learning center. Read more [here](#).

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