

LDV Capital Management to Host Dinner for BankAtlantic Bancorp in Miami, Florida

"The Miami Heat Isn't the Only Story on South Beach"

FORT LAUDERDALE, Fla., Aug. 17, 2011 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- The City of Miami already has the **Big Three** of the National Basketball Association (NBA), with Wade, James and Bosh of the Miami Heat. However, on Thursday, August 25th, a **different Big Three** will be bringing their talents to South Beach, consisting of: **BankAtlantic Bancorp** (NYSE:[BBX](#)), **Texas De Brazil**, and **LDV Capital Management**.

The **Three** will combine efforts for a **Corporate Awareness Dinner about BankAtlantic**, which will include a presentation by Leo Hinkley, BankAtlantic Bancorp's Investor Relations Officer. LDV Capital Management will host the dinner, which will convene at 5:30 p.m. Texas De Brazil will be serving the churrasco cuisine, located at: 300 Alton Road, 2nd Floor at the Marina, Miami Beach, FL 33139.

Reservations are required. All parties interested in attending should RSVP via EventBrite below:

<http://bankatlanticdinner.eventbrite.com/>

LDV Capital Management President/Founder, James DePelisi, commented: "With a current weak dollar valuation, relative to foreign currencies, Miami - South Beach has consistently proven to be an attraction for international business and investment. Hence, Texas De Brazil, South Beach, should be an engaging venue to hear about one of Florida's largest financial institutions."

LDV Capital Management (www.LdvCapitalManagement.com) is an established Florida Registered Investment Advisory firm, with core competencies in **Corporate Finance, Asset Management and Fairness Opinion work**. LDV has received recent acclaim for its monthly corporate dinner events, in conjunction with the Stock and Bond Club of South Florida; and also its annual "Spring Break for Wall Street Growth and Value Investor Conferences":

<http://ldvtrade.accountsupport.com/conferences.htm>;

http://ldvtrade.accountsupport.com/press_releases.htm.

Mr. DePelisi further stated, "BankAtlantic is one of the oldest and largest community banks in Florida. With everything occurring in the economy, particularly in the banking industry, we believe BankAtlantic is a compelling company to study and evaluate, particularly since it recently recorded positive earnings after many quarters of losses."

<http://www.marketwatch.com/story/bankatlantic-bancorp-reports-profit-of-23-million-for-the->

second-quarter-2011-2011-07-27?siteid=bigcharts&dist=bigcharts)

DePelisi continued: "In our opinion, the key with all publicly traded banks, is to see what the future outlook holds for the banking industry, in general. It is our notion that the companies with the best game plans will have the best opportunity to persevere over the next several years."

ABOUT LDV CAPITAL MANAGEMENT:

LDV Capital Management (www.LdvCapitalManagement.com) is a Registered Investment Advisory firm licensed with the state of Florida specializing in Financial Advisory, Mergers & Acquisitions, Fairness Opinions, Capital Formation, Corporate Structuring/Restructuring and Succession Planning. LDV's services encompass: 1) Asset Management; 2) Financial Statement Analysis for Publicly Traded Companies Preparing for Audit; 3) Financial Advisory, Analysis and Preparation of SEC Registration Statements (S-1, S-3, Form 10); 4) Financial Advisory, Analysis and Preparation of Private Placement Memorandums (PPM). It's President/Founder, James DePelisi, is also the six – time President of the 46 year old Stock and Bond Club of South Florida.

ABOUT THE STOCK AND BOND CLUB OF SOUTH FLORIDA:

For nearly half a century, the Stock & Bond Club of South Florida (www.SBCSF.org) Dinner Association has proven to be one of the largest and most established investment advisory associations in the state of Florida. Over 150 companies have presented before its assembly in the past 16 years, including NYSE listed companies: Aflac (<http://www.aflac.com>); BB&T Corporation (www.bbandt.com); Cemex (<http://www.cemex.com>); CF Industries Holdings, Inc. (www.cfindustries.com); Colgate–Palmolive Company (www.colgate.com); El Paso Corporation (<http://www.elpaso.com>); Equity One, Inc. (<http://www.equityone.net>); Enerplus Corporation (<http://www.enerplus.com>); General Electric Co. (www.ge.com); General Motors Company (www.gm.com); Gold Corp, Inc. (<http://www.goldcorp.com>); Lexington Realty Trust (<http://www.lxp.com>); McDonalds Corp (<http://www.mcdonalds.com>); Nokia Corporation (<http://www.nokia.com>); Novartis (<http://www.novartis.com>); Occidental Petroleum Corporation (<http://www.oxy.com>); Pengrowth Energy Corporation (<http://www.pengrowth.com>); (SAP AG (<http://www.sap.com>); Statoil (www.statoil.com); Tsakos Energy Navigation Ltd. (www.tenn.gr); Tyson Foods, Inc. (<http://www.tyson.com>); Watsco, Inc. (www.watsco.com); and Yum! Brands, Inc. (<http://www.yum.com>).

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BankAtlantic Bancorp (NYSE:[BBX](http://www.bbx.com)) is a bank holding company and the parent company of BankAtlantic. BankAtlantic, Florida's Most Convenient Bank, is one of the largest financial institutions headquartered in Florida. Via its broad network of community branches and conveniently located ATMs, BankAtlantic provides a full line of personal, small business and commercial banking products and services. Bank Atlantic is open 7 days a week and offers extended weekday hours, Online Banking & Bill Pay, a 7-Day Customer Service Center, Change Exchange coin counters, as well as retail and business checking accounts. Member FDIC.

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