

Community Bank® pays special dividend for shareholders and community

Inverloch, Thursday 24 February 2011:

Inverloch & District Financial Enterprises Limited, which oversees Inverloch & District **Community Bank**® Branch, will pay shareholders a special dividend to celebrate the branch's fifth anniversary.

A special dividend of two cents per share, fully franked will be paid to all shareholders as at the record date of 8th April 2011. Payment will be made on 29th April 2011

Chair, Alan Gostelow, said the company was delighted to be able to pay a special dividend to its loyal supporters, who helped the **Community Bank**® Branch get up and running initially and have remained committed during the past five years of operation.

"I'm very pleased to be able to recognise our dedicated shareholders with this special dividend," Mr Gostelow said.

"In this our fifth year of operation, it is important that we recognise the commitment of our shareholders in the establishment and successful operation of our **Community Bank**® branch."

"This special dividend for our dedicated shareholders is in addition to the branch's significant contribution to local organisations, thus ensuring their long term viability and continuing community service.

"We have seen tremendous growth since the branch first opened, bringing huge rewards for local people.

"Early indications are that this financial year will be another positive one for the branch."

Mr Gostelow said the **Community Bank**® company would continue to work with the community to support important services and infrastructure in coming years.

"The more people who bank with us, the more we will be able to return to the community and shareholders.

"I'd like to encourage everyone in Inverloch and the surrounding districts to visit the branch and transfer their banking business to us."

For further information about Inverloch & District **Community Bank**® Branch contact Alan Gostelow on 0409 559 598.