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German American Bancorp, Inc. Declares Dividend

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JASPER, Ind., July 28, 2008 (PRIME NEWSWIRE) -- German American Bancorp, Inc. (Nasdaq:GABC) announced today that its Board of Directors declared a regular quarterly cash dividend of $0.14 per share which will be payable on August 20, 2008 to shareholders of record as of August 10, 2008.

German American Bancorp, Inc. is a financial services holding company based in Jasper, Indiana. The Company's Common Stock is traded on NASDAQ's Global Select Market System under the symbol GABC. The principal subsidiary of German American Bancorp, Inc. is its banking subsidiary, German American Bancorp which operates through six community banking affiliates with 28 retail banking offices in the ten contiguous Southern Indiana counties of Daviess, Dubois, Gibson, Knox, Lawrence, Martin, Monroe, Perry, Pike, and Spencer. German American Bancorp owns a trust, brokerage and financial planning subsidiary which operates from its banking offices and a full line property and casualty insurance agency with six insurance agency offices throughout its market area.

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