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Harvard Illinois Bancorp, Inc. Announces Date of 2015 Annual Meeting of Stockholders

Harvard, Illinois, April 13, 2015 – Harvard Illinois Bancorp, Inc. (the “Company”), (OTC: HARI) announced today that the Company’s 2015 Annual Meeting of Stockholders will be held on Thursday, June 25, 2015.

The Company is the holding company of Harvard Savings Bank (the “Bank”). Founded in 1934, Harvard Savings Bank is an Illinois-chartered savings bank that conducts business from its offices in Harvard, Illinois and Morris, Illinois. As a community-oriented savings and loan company, Harvard offers a variety of deposit and loan products to individuals and small businesses, primarily those located in McHenry and Grundy Counties, and, to a lesser extent, Boone County, Illinois and Walworth County, Wisconsin. Investors may obtain additional information about Harvard Illinois Bancorp, Inc. and Harvard Savings Bank on the internet at www.harvardsavingsbank.com.

This press release contains certain forward-looking statements that are based on assumptions and may describe future plans, strategies and expectations of the Company. Forward-looking statements can be identified by the fact that they do not relate strictly to historical or current facts. They often include words like “believe,” “expect,” “anticipate,” “estimate” and “intend” or future or conditional verbs such as “will,” “would,” “should,” “could” or “may.” Certain factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from expected results include changes in the interest rate environment, changes in general economic conditions, legislative and regulatory changes that adversely affect the business of the Company and the Bank, and changes in the securities markets. Except as required by law, the Company does not undertake any obligation to update any forward-looking statements to reflect changes in belief, expectations or events.