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Pagan River Architects Opens in Smithfield

SMITHFIELD, VA – Pagan River Architects, a full-service design studio for both residential and commercial projects, recently opened on South Church Street in Smithfield. The Isle of Wight-Smithfield-Windsor Chamber of Commerce will host a ribbon cutting ceremony and grand opening on Monday, March 23, 2015 at 10 a.m.

Owner, Russell J. Parrish, AIA, is a Registered Architect with over 20 years of experience in architectural design, interior architecture, and project management. Parrish worked with Lyall Design Architects in Norfolk for over nine years and also owned his own firm, Parrish Design Architects, for four years. His experience includes programming, design, development and execution of premier single family residential, multi-family residential, financial, corporate office, retail, adaptive reuse and urban mixed use projects both locally and abroad. Parrish is a leader in both the community and among the architectural design profession.

Some of Parrish's projects in the Hampton Roads region and Northeastern North Carolina include:

- Old Point National Bank Corporate Headquarters, Hampton VA
- Engine Company #1 Retail Spaces + Lofts, Smithfield VA
- Lifenet Corporate Headquarters, Virginia Beach VA
- Gateway Bank Corporate Headquarters, Elizabeth City, NC
- Armada Hoffer Tower + Parking Structure, Town Center Virginia Beach, VA

“Excellent design is accessible and recognizable to everyone,” said Parrish who is always interviewing prospective new clients who are looking for an experienced design professional to collaborate on visionary projects on any scale.

Pagan River Architects is located at 1100 South Church Street, Suite B., Smithfield, VA. The Design Studio is typically open 7 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday-Friday. Call 757-620-1186, visit them on the web at www.paganriverarchitects.com or find them on [Facebook](#).

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