

## NOTIFICATION OF LATE FILING

Name of the Issuer: Heartland BancCorp

Check One: ☒ Annual Report ☐ Quarterly Report ☐ Interim Report

For Period Ended: 12/31/2023

**Address of Principal Executive Office:**

430 North Hamilton Rd.  
Whitehall, Ohio 43213

**Reason for Delay in Posting Financial Report:** State below in reasonable detail why the Annual/Quarterly Report could not be filed within the prescribed time period.

Our mail date of the annual report to the shareholders is April 4, 2024. I plan on filing it on that date.

**Anticipated Filing Date:**

[Please note that the filing of this notification grants issuers 5 additional calendar days to post a Quarterly or Interim Report and 15 calendar days to post an Annual Report.]

4/4/2024

**Person to contact regarding this notification:**

Date: 3/28/2024

Signature: /s/ Jennifer Eckert

Name: Jennifer Eckert

Title: SVP, CRO, Corp. Secretary

**Officer/Director Signature:**

Date: 3/28/2024

Signature: /s/ Jennifer Eckert

Name: Jennifer Eckert

Title: SVP, Corp. Sec.

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