

Marathon Digital Holdings Adds Anchorage Digital Bank as a Bitcoin Custodian

Fort Lauderdale, FL, Dec. 21, 2023 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- Marathon Digital Holdings, Inc. (NASDAQ:MARA) ("Marathon" or "Company"), a leader in supporting and securing the Bitcoin ecosystem, has added <u>Anchorage Digital Bank National Association</u> ("Anchorage Digital Bank"), a leading secure custodian and the only federally chartered crypto bank, as a bitcoin custodian, increasing the number of Marathon's bitcoin custodians from two to three.

As of November 30, 2023, Marathon held 14,025 bitcoin on its balance sheet. With the Company's bitcoin production and treasury continuing to expand, Marathon has opted to add another enterprise-grade custodian to help diversify its treasury. Anchorage Digital Bank is the third custodian Marathon has engaged to custody its bitcoin and the second the Company has added in the fourth quarter of 2023. Marathon may continue to further diversify its bitcoin custody across additional custodians in the future.

"The addition of Anchorage Digital Bank demonstrates our ongoing commitment to securely managing and diversifying our bitcoin holdings," said Salman Khan, Marathon's chief financial officer. "We started the month with over 14,000 bitcoin on our balance sheet, and with our operations continuing to grow, we believe it is prudent to continue diversifying these holdings. Anchorage Digital Bank's regulatory status and solutions are well regarded in the industry, and we look forward to working alongside them."

Diogo Mónica, President and Co-Founder at Anchorage Digital Bank added, "Marathon is one of the leading Bitcoin miners and one of the largest holders of bitcoin in the industry. Their onboarding is a testament to the security and functionality of the solutions that Anchorage Digital Bank provides. We look forward to helping them achieve their strategic objectives."

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mining difficulty rate or Bitcoin hash rate may also materially affect the future performance of Marathon's production of bitcoin. Additionally, all discussions of financial metrics assume mining difficulty rates as of December 2023. See "Forward-Looking Statements" below.

Forward-Looking Statements

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About Marathon Digital Holdings

Marathon is a digital asset technology company that focuses on supporting and securing the Bitcoin ecosystem. The Company is currently in the process of becoming one of the largest and most sustainably powered Bitcoin mining operations in North America.

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About Anchorage Digital

Anchorage Digital is a crypto platform that enables institutions to participate in digital assets through custody, staking, trading, governance, and settlement. With the only federally chartered crypto bank in the US, Anchorage Digital Bank, as well as Anchorage Digital Singapore, which offers equivalent security and service standards, Anchorage Digital delivers an unparalleled combination of security, regulatory compliance, and platform capabilities. The company is funded by leading institutions including Andreessen Horowitz, GIC—Singapore's sovereign wealth fund, Goldman Sachs, KKR, and Visa, with its most recent Series D valuation over \$3 billion. Founded in 2017, Anchorage Digital is headquartered in San Francisco, California with offices in New York, New York; Porto, Portugal; Singapore; and Sioux Falls, South Dakota. Learn more at anchorage.com, on X

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