



## **AG Mortgage Investment Trust, Inc. Announces the Appointment of Jason Biegel as Managing Director at Angelo, Gordon & Co.**

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NEW YORK--(BUSINESS WIRE)--Feb. 28, 2013-- AG Mortgage Investment Trust, Inc. (NYSE: MITT) (the "Company") today announced that Angelo, Gordon & Co., L.P., the parent of the Company's external manager, has appointed Jason Biegel a Managing Director and that he has joined its Residential and Consumer Debt team. In this role at Angelo, Gordon, he will have primary responsibility for building out a residential whole loan platform that will enable the Company to expand its investments in residential whole loans, mortgage servicing rights and other similar assets.

Mr. David Roberts, Chairman and CEO of the Company, commented, "Jason has over 20 years of experience in whole loan capital markets and mortgage fixed income markets, and accordingly we are delighted to have him join Angelo, Gordon to help lead MITT's expansion into the residential whole loan space." Mr. Roberts further commented, "His in-depth knowledge and background will help us drive value for MITT's shareholders as we grow our investment and origination capabilities."

Prior to joining Angelo, Gordon, Mr. Biegel previously served as Managing Director at Lone Star Funds, where he was the head of the residential whole loan business platform and responsible for its design and implementation. Prior to that, he held senior positions at Bear, Stearns & Co., including Senior Managing Director, Mortgage Trading.

### **About AG Mortgage Investment Trust, Inc.**

AG Mortgage Investment Trust, Inc. is a real estate investment trust that invests in, acquires and manages a diversified portfolio of residential mortgage assets, other real estate-related securities and financial assets. AG Mortgage Investment Trust, Inc. is externally managed and advised by AG REIT Management, LLC, a subsidiary of Angelo, Gordon & Co., L.P., an SEC-registered investment adviser that specializes in alternative investment activities. Please visit the Company's website at [www.agmit.com](http://www.agmit.com).

### **Forward-Looking Statements**

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