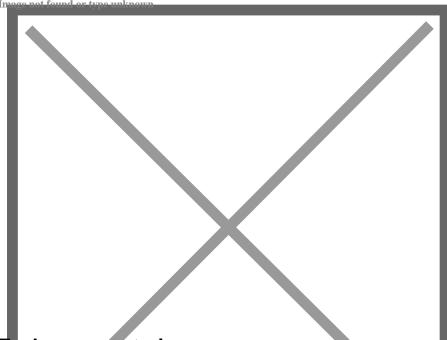
Park Sterling Corporation (Tue, Jan 16, 2018)

Buy candidate since Nov 28, 2017 Gain 1.90%

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Trend MV Long: MV Short: Volume: MACD:

Tech commentaries:

No changes to the price of **Park Sterling Corporation** fund on the last trading day (Tuesday, 16th Jan 2018). During the last trading day the fund fluctuated **0**% from a day low at **\$12.87** to a day high of **\$12.87**. The price has been going up and down for this period, and there has been a 0% change for the last 2 weeks.

The fund lies in the middle of a weak rising trend in the short term and a further rise within the trend is signaled. Given the current short-term trend, the fund is expected to rise 3.13% during the next 3 months and, with a 90% probability hold a price between \$12.68 and \$13.84 at the end of this 3-month period.

The Park Sterling Corporation fund holds buy signals from both short and long-term Moving Averages giving a positive forecast for the stock. Also, there is a general buy signal from the relation between the two signals where the short-term average is above the long-term average. On corrections down, there will be some support from the lines at \$12.87 and \$12.83. A breakdown below any of these levels will issue sell signals. Some negative signals were issued as well, and these may have some influence on the near short-term development. A sell signal was issued from a pivot top point on Wednesday, November 29, 2017, and so far it has fallen -1.08%. Further fall is indicated until a new bottom pivot has been found. Furthermore, there is currently a sell signal from the 3 month Moving Average Convergence Divergence (MACD). Volume fell on the last day without any changes to the price. This does not cause any direct divergence but may be an early warning and a possible "turning point". The very low volume increases the risk and reduces the other technical signals issued.

Park Sterling Corporation finds support from accumulated volume at \$12.63 and this level may hold a buying opportunity as an upwards reaction can be expected when the support is being tested. On the upside the fund meets some resistance just above today's level from accumulated volume at \$12.89, \$13.01 and \$13.06.

In general the fund tends to have very controlled movements and therefore the general risk is considered very low. However, be aware of low or falling volume and make sure to keep an eye on the fund During the last day, the fund moved \$0 between high and low, or 0%. For the last week the fund has had daily average volatility of 0%

Park Sterling Corporation holds several positive signals, but we still don't find these to be enough for a buy candidate. At the current level, it should be considered as a hold candidate (hold or accumulate) in this position whilst awaiting further development.

Risk: Low

Evaluation: Hold/Accumulate