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**First Northern Bank Promotes Carol Landry to
Senior Vice President/
Western Region Commercial Loan Manager**



Carol Landry
Senior Vice President
First Northern Bank

First Northern Bank is pleased to announce the promotion of Carol Landry to Senior Vice President/Western Region Commercial Loan Manager.

Carol has been with First Northern Bank for 12 years. In her current position, she manages First Northern Bank's commercial loan activities in Solano and Yolo counties. Carol has more than 30 years of experience in commercial lending, having worked in commercial lending for several other community banks and national banks in Solano, Yolo and Napa counties.

Carol is Past Chairman of the Vacaville Chamber of Commerce (2011-2012) and the Vacaville Library Commission. She has been a board member of several community organizations in Solano County.

Carol holds a Bachelor of Arts in Economics from the University of California, Davis, and is a graduate of the Pacific Coast Banking School, Graduate Studies, at the University of Washington, Seattle.

She has lived in Vacaville, Calif., for the past 20 years with her husband and their three children.

First Northern Bank has 10 branches, including three in the Solano County cities of Fairfield, Vacaville, and Dixon. Total assets at December 31, 2012, were \$831.5 million. Today, in addition to operating lines of credit and equipment lines and leases, the Bank offers commercial solar financing and commercial real estate loans (owner-occupied and investor) to small- and medium-sized businesses and farms. First Northern Bank is a Preferred SBA lender.

About First Northern Bank

First Northern Bank, an independent community bank headquartered in Solano County since 1910, serves Solano, Yolo, Sacramento, Placer and the west slope of El Dorado County. First Northern has 10 branches located in Dixon, Davis, West Sacramento, Fairfield, Vacaville, Winters, Woodland, Downtown Sacramento, Roseville, and Auburn, and has a full service Trust Department in Sacramento. First Northern Bank also offers 24/7 real estate mortgage loans, SBA Loans, and non-FDIC insured Investment and Brokerage Services at each branch location. Real Estate Mortgage Loan offices are located in Davis and Roseville, and real estate loan representatives are available to meet customers at any of the Bank's branches by appointment. The Bank specializes in relationship banking and employs experts in the area of small business, commercial, agribusiness, and real estate lending, as well as wealth management. The Bank can be found on the Web at www.thatsmybank.com.

Forward-Looking Statement

This press release may include certain "forward-looking statements" about First Northern Community Bancorp (the "Company"). These forward-looking statements are based on management's current expectations and are subject to certain risks, uncertainties and changes in circumstances. Actual results may differ materially from these expectations due to changes in global political, economic, business, competitive, market and regulatory factors. More detailed information about these risk factors is contained in the Company's most recent reports filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on Forms 10-K, 10-Q and 8-K, each as it may be amended from time to time, which identify important risk factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from those contained in the forward-looking statements. The financial information contained in this release should be read in conjunction with the consolidated financial statements and notes thereto included in the Company's most recent reports on Form 10-K and Form 10-Q. The Company undertakes no obligation to update these forward-looking statements to reflect events or circumstances arising after the date on which they are made. For further information regarding the Company, please read the Company's reports filed with the SEC and available at www.sec.gov.

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