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Andrew Tagg Joins First Northern Bank's Capital Region Lending Team as Vice President/Business Banking Relationship Manager



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Dixon, CA—First Northern Bank is pleased to announce that Andrew Tagg has joined its Capital Region Lending Team as Vice President/Business Banking Relationship Manager for Rancho Cordova, Folsom, Gold River, and the surrounding communities.

Andrew's 26 years in the financial services industry includes retail/commercial branch management, relationship management, commercial lending, marketing, sales, and business development. Prior to joining First Northern Bank, Andrew served as Vice President/Branch Manager for California Bank & Trust in Sacramento.

He is currently serving his second term as an elected school board member of the Roseville Joint Union High School Board and serves as treasurer/board member of the Placer Breast Cancer Foundation. His civic leadership involvement also includes recent service as a board member of the City of Roseville Library Board.

"Andrew's experience with business loan and deposit development and relationship management are tremendous assets for our team," says John Fenner, Senior Vice President/Capital Region Commercial Loan Team Leader. "He has a geniune passion for helping people and building relationships with his clients, aligns well with the Bank's values."

Andrew received Bachelor of Arts degrees in Social Science and Political Science from California State University, Chico and is a graduate of CBA Executive Banking School at Furman University, in Greenville, South Carolina. He is a native of Northern California and has lived in Roseville for 12 years, where he enjoys spending time with his family, and mentoring his teenage daughter with her basketball team.

Andrew's office is located in First Northern Bank's Sacramento Financial Center at 1375 Exposition Boulevard, Suite #101. Andrew is available by appointment; he can be reached at (916) 246-7650 or (650) 208-9842 (cell), or atagg@thatsmybank.com.

About First Northern Bank

As the Sacramento Region's local leader in small-business lending and customer satisfaction, First Northern specializes in relationship banking. Experts are available in small-business, commercial, real estate and agribusiness lending, as well as mortgage loans. The Bank is an SBA Preferred Lender. Non-FDIC insured Investment and Brokerage Services are available at every branch location, through First Northern Advisors, including: Auburn, Davis, Dixon, Fairfield, Roseville, Sacramento, Vacaville, West Sacramento, Winters, and Woodland. The Bank has a commercial lending office in Walnut Creek. Real estate mortgage and small-business loan officers are available by appointment in any of the Bank's branches. First Northern is rated as a Veribanc "Blue Ribbon" Bank and a "5-Star Superior" Bank by Bauer Financial, for the earnings period of September 30, 2018 (www.veribanc.com). The Bank can be found on the Web at www.thatsmybank.com, on Facebook and on LinkedIn.

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