

## **First Northern Bank Hires New Branch Manager to Lead Dixon Team**

For immediate release



Dixon, Calif., July 22, 2025 – First Northern Bank (OTCQX: FNRN), the region’s #1 local small business lender, proudly welcomes Maria Arevalo as its Vice President and Branch Manager to lead our flagship branch in Dixon, CA.

With more than 18 years of experience in financial services management, branch operations, and customer service, Maria brings a wealth of knowledge and leadership to First Northern Bank. Prior to joining First Northern Bank, Maria served as Vice President and Branch Manager for a national bank in St. Helena.

In her role, Maria will lead the areas of overseeing daily operations, strengthening team development, fostering client relations, and devoting resources to the Dixon community.

“We are very excited to welcome Maria to lead our flagship branch,” said Amanda Connell, Senior Vice President and Director of Operations of First Northern Bank. “Her expertise in branch operations and customer service will deepen our connection with our customers and businesses in Dixon and Solano County.”

Maria is dedicated to serving in the community. She enjoys partnering with Habitat for Humanity and teaching financial literacy in local schools. She has a strong passion for helping others reach their financial goals and staying engaged in the community through organizations like the Rotary Club.

In her spare time, she enjoys hiking, traveling, cooking traditional Mexican dishes, and spending time with her family.

### **About First Northern Bank**

First Northern Bank is an independent community bank that specializes in relationship banking. The Bank, headquartered in Solano County since 1910, serves Solano, Yolo, Sacramento, Placer, Colusa, and Glenn counties, as well as the west slope of El Dorado County. Experts are available in small business, commercial, real estate, and agribusiness lending, as well as mortgage loans. The Bank is an SBA Preferred Lender. Real estate mortgage and small-business loan officers are available by appointment at any of the Bank’s 14 branches, including Dixon, Davis, West Sacramento, Fairfield, Vacaville, Winters, Woodland, Sacramento, Roseville, Auburn, Rancho Cordova, Colusa, Willows, and Orland. Non-FDIC insured Investment and

Brokerage Services are also available at every branch location. First Northern Bank is rated as a Veribanc “Green-3 Star Blue Ribbon” Bank and a “5-Star Superior” Bank by Bauer Financial for the earnings period ended March 31, 2025 ([www.veribanc.com](http://www.veribanc.com)) and ([www.bauerfinancial.com](http://www.bauerfinancial.com)). For additional information, please visit [thatsmybank.com](http://thatsmybank.com) or call (707) 678-7742. Member FDIC. Equal Housing Lender.

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