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Summit State Bank selects Candy Yandell for Cash Management Service Managers position. Tori Lewis named Healdsburg Branch Manager

Santa Rosa, CA – (January 7, 2020) – Summit State Bank (NASDAQ: SSBI) selects Candy Yandell, former Healdsburg Branch Manager, for the newly created Cash Management Service Manager position, and promotes Tori Lewis to Healdsburg Branch Manager.

“We are pleased to announce Candy Yandell as our new Assistant Vice President and Cash Management Service Manager and Tori Lewis as our new Healdsburg Branch Manager. Candy has played a key role in building customer relationships across our organization, launching our former Windsor branch, which was relocated to Healdsburg, and recently celebrated its 10-year anniversary. Candy is a natural fit for this position based on her experience with business development and new customer relationships. Tori was a part of the original Healdsburg team when the branch opened 10-years ago and has been instrumental in the Branch’s growth within the Healdsburg community. We are very excited for this next step in her career,” said Jim Brush, President and CEO of Summit State Bank.

Candy has been with the Bank for fifteen years and in banking for over 24 years. Candy volunteers throughout the Sonoma County community and has served on the Board of the Healdsburg Chamber of Commerce, Healdsburg Young Professionals and Entrepreneurs, and the Advisory Board for the Healdsburg and Geyserville Boys and Girls Club.

Tori has been with the bank for almost fifteen years and in the banking industry for 25. Tori lives in Healdsburg with her husband and two dogs. She enjoys their community and has built and fostered lasting relationships with both Bank customers and community members alike. Tori has been a Healdsburg Booster Member, volunteer for the North Bay Stage Company and the Santa Rosa Fair Grounds Evacuation Center during the 2019 fires. Tori was named Healdsburg Chamber of Commerce Ambassador of the Year in 2011.

About Summit State Bank

Summit State Bank, a local community bank, has total assets of \$681 million and total equity of \$67 million at September 30, 2019. Headquartered in Sonoma County, the Bank specializes in providing exceptional customer service and customized financial solutions to aid in the success of local small businesses and nonprofits throughout Sonoma County.

Summit State Bank is committed to embracing the diverse backgrounds, cultures and talents of its employees to create high performance and support the evolving needs of its customers and community it serves. At the center of diversity is inclusion, collaboration, and a shared vision for delivering superior service and results for shareholders. Presently, 82% of management are women and minorities with 60% represented on the Executive Management Team. Through the engagement of its team, Summit State Bank has received many esteemed awards including: Best Business Bank, Corporate Philanthropy Award and Best Places to Work in the North Bay.

Summit State Bank’s stock is traded on the Nasdaq Global Market under the symbol SSBI. Further information can be found at www.summitstatebank.com.

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